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STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION ALBANY, NEW YORK 12233-1010

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Mr. Rolf Tiedemann 358 Electric Avenue Rochester, New York 14613

Dear Mr. Tiedemann:

On behalf of Governor Spitzer and DEC, I want to congratulate you on your successful application to receive a 2006/2007 Invasive Species Eradication Grant (ISEG). Your ISEG grant project has been approved by DEC for the total State share amount of \$55,000 for the eradication of seven acres of Eurasian watermilfoil from Eagle Lake.

You can be proud that your application was among the 31 grant projects selected to receive funding this year by DEC. You will soon receive a letter informing you about the next steps in executing a State Assistance Contract to receive State grant funds. Even though your project has been selected to receive a grant, it is still necessary to obtain any applicable State or federal permits and complete review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act, if required, in order to obtain reimbursement.

I commend your achievement and interest in contributing to New York's efforts to protect State waters from infestations of aquatic invasive species.

Alexander B. Grannis