



Dear Residents,

Eurasian Milfoil was discovered in Brant Lake in 1985. The Brant Lake Association along with the Town of Horicon began a harvesting program in 2008, to date we have exceeded 1,000,000 dollars in monies spent. Eurasian Milfoil, like any other weed, continues to replenish itself.

This letter is to notify you that the Brant Lake Association is applying to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation and the Adirondack Park Agency to use aquatic herbicide in the spring of 2023 to control the invasive plant Eurasian Milfoil in Brant Lake.

The Brant Lake Association will be hosting an informational meeting about this project on Tuesday March 7, 2023 at 6:00pm Horicon Community Center, 6604 NY 8, Brant Lake NY12815.

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John Dunn

President

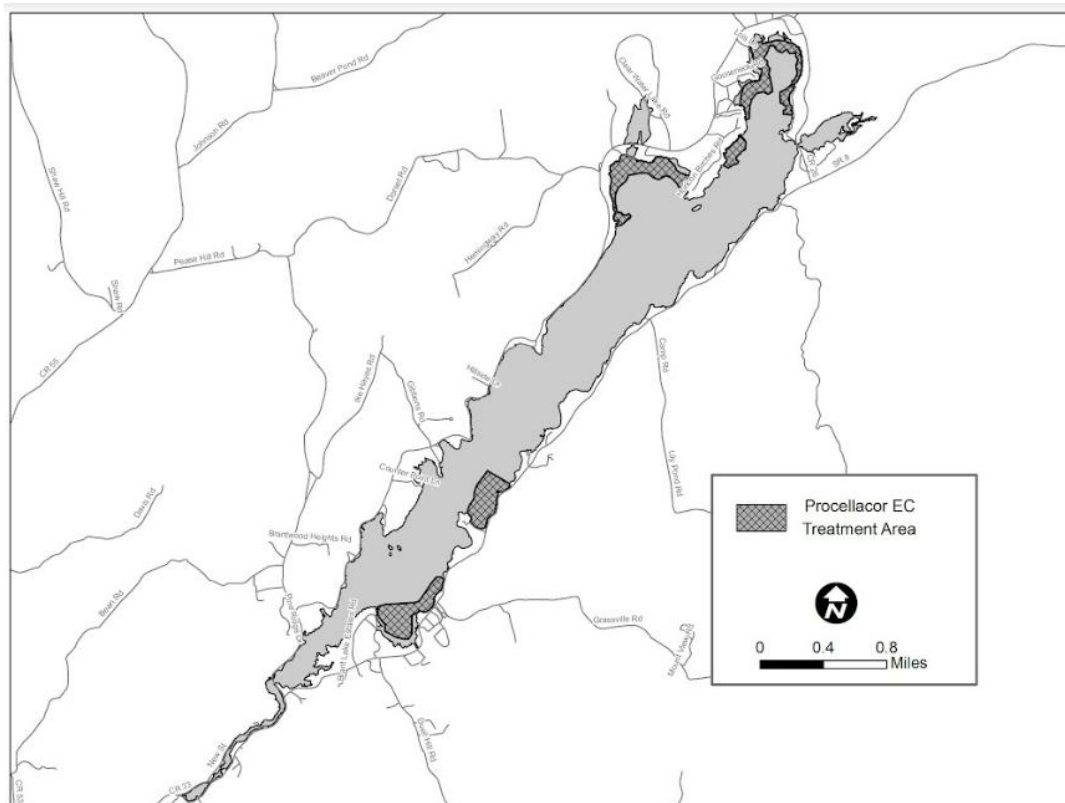
Brant Lake Association



Date: February 17, 2023

Re: Proposed Invasive Aquatic Plant Management Program – Brant Lake

The Brant Lake Association (Foundation), in cooperation with the Town of Horicon is applying to the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and the Adirondack Park Agency (APA) to use an aquatic herbicide in the spring of 2023 to control the invasive plant Eurasian Watermilfoil in 5 areas of the lake, as shown on the map below.



The herbicide, ProcellaCOR EC, will control invasive Eurasian watermilfoil for multiple seasons in the treatment areas, but can have minimal impact on native plants. ProcellaCOR EC will be applied at less than 10 parts per billion (ppb), a rate which is significantly lower than most other aquatic herbicides. The Program will be conducted by licensed biologists and technicians with the lake management firm Solitude Lake Management, NYSDEC Pesticide Business Registration No.17886. NYSDEC and APA permit applications are being submitted for approval for the treatment.

It is anticipated that the treatment will take place on **one day between May 15 and June 30**, pending permit approvals and the appropriate stage of target plant growth. Notification of the actual date of the treatment will be submitted to the Association, the Town, APA and NYSDEC at least 7 days prior to application. The roads along the lakeshore will be posted at the time of the treatment indicating applicable water use restrictions. A restriction on all water uses in the treatment zone during the application will be in effect to prevent disruption to the application process. Following application, water drawn from the lake for livestock watering and irrigation will be restricted.

ProcellaCOR EC was registered by the EPA in 2018 and in NY in 2019. Dozens of ProcellaCOR EC applications have been conducted throughout the state from Chautauqua Lake to Saratoga Lake, and in Minerva Lake in the Adirondack Park. ProcellaCOR EC applications to control in-lake invasive plants have no impact on public health, and there are **no restrictions on swimming, fishing or potable/domestic water use.**

Water samples will be collected to determine the concentration of herbicide in the water and identify when the livestock watering and non-turf irrigation restrictions can be removed. This is anticipated to take 7-10 days.

The product label is available for review on Solitude Lake Management's website <https://www.solitudelakemanagement.com/product-labels-new-york-updates>.

If you wish further information about the proposed management program or need a printed copy of the product label, please contact the Brant Lake Association at brantlkassociation@gmail.com or visit our website at www.brantlakeassoc.org .