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Toll-free Secchi Line Phone: 1-888-947-3282

* **Perception**=Perception of the amount of algae in the water at your sample location. See choices at bottom of page.

Waterbody #	Storet # (Use separate form for each site)	Lake Name			County	Year	Names of each volunteer who sampled on each date	Date Use 4 digits, e.g., May 19 is 0519	Time Round to nearest hour	Secchi Depth Round to nearest quarter of a foot	Hit Bottom 1=Yes 2=No	Lake Level		Appearance 1=Clear 2=Murky	Water Color 1=Blue; 2=Green; 3=Brown; 4=Red; 5=Yellow	* Perception 1 - 5	Date Entered
		1=High; 2=Low; 3=Normal; 4=Gauge	If gauge, enter numerical level														
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Perception
 1=Beautiful, could not be any nicer
 2=Very minor aesthetic problems; excellent for swimming and boating enjoyment
 3=Swimming and aesthetic enjoyment of lake slightly impaired because of high algae levels
 4=Desire to swim & level of enjoyment of lake substantially reduced because of algae; would not swim, but boating OK
 5=Swimming and aesthetic enjoyment of lake substantially reduced because of algae levels

If you call in the data, mail the original (blue) copy in the postage paid envelope (or to Citizen Lake Monitoring Network, WI DNR, PO Box 7921, Madison WI 53703) by November 1.
 If you enter the data on the web, keep a copy for your records. There's no need to mail a paper copy. The Citizen Lake Monitoring web site is: dnr.wi.gov/lakes/clmn