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Phillip Foussard, President
Deer Lake Conservancy
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Subject: Deer Lake Management Plan Review and Approval

Dear Mr. Foussard:

The Department has reviewed and approved the August 2020 Lake Management Plan for Deer Lake. Management activities identified in the plan are eligible for Surface Water Grants funding under Administrative Code NR 193 subject to the eligibility requirements of that program.

Furthermore, the Department must certify that all proposed projects recommended in an approved plan comply with the provisions of the Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act (WEPA). This certification could involve additional public informational meetings or other environmental assessment action.

Thanks to you and the lakes' community for your efforts to protect and improve Deer Lake and its watershed.

Sincerely,



Alex Smith
Lake Biologist

CC: Mark Hazuga, Ali Mikulyuk – WDNR
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