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Ms. Pamela Toshner
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
810 West Maple Street
Spooner, WI 54801

July 30, 2009

Re: Matthews Lake Association AIS Education, Prevention, and Planning Grant

Dear Ms. Toshner,

The board of Matthews Lake Association is submitting this Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Grant Application and its board has adopted a resolution for this project as described. Our Matthews Lake Association is concerned about the threat presented by AIS due to its transport by visiting boaters at our boat landing and supports the project methods, goals, and responsibilities as outlined.

If this grant is approved our Matthews Lake Association will commit to:

- A 3 year period of automated boat inspections using the I-LIDS system and CBCW inspections of no less than 200 hours as required by DNR code
- Provide a DSL or Cable Internet service through a local resident
- Designate a qualified local contact to act as project liaison and attend all meetings
- Offer Matthews Lake Association members training on how to identify different AIS
- Document time volunteered during the year and provide funding for balance of resources needed as documented in the grant
- Report promptly to the regional DNR warden or other peace officer any introduction of aquatic plants or identification of AIS made in our lake

Please contact me if there are any questions regarding our lakes interest in this proposed AIS grant. The Matthews Lake Association board discussed this item at our district meeting and approved this grant application.

Sincerely,


_____, president, _____ Matthews Lake District

Phone _____ Date July 30, 2009

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