

## LETTER OF NOTIFICATION

Date: June 30, 2022

From: Town of Ellery; Village of Bemus Point; Town of Ellicott; Village of Celoron; Town of North Harmony

Re: Herbicide application for the control of **invasive eurasian watermilfoil** in portions of Chautauqua Lake using the application of registered aquatic herbicides, to supplement plant harvesting efforts.

The Towns of Ellery, Ellicott, and North Harmony, and the Villages of Bemus Point and Celoron are applying for permits from the NYSDEC to conduct the following aquatic herbicide application to control invasive lake plants:

- a. **ProcellaCOR EC** (*Florpyrauxifen-benzyl*, EPA Reg. #67690-80) application is proposed to occur on one day between July 18<sup>th</sup> and August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 to control up to 317 acres of **invasive Eurasian watermilfoil** located in the shoreline areas of Ellery, Bemus Point, Ellicott, Celoron and North Harmony, as shown on the attached map. **These areas were not treated during the June application.** The application will selectively control the invasive plant with minimal risk of impacts to native plant or fish species.

Water use restrictions will be in effect in certain areas of the Lake and downstream waters for the time period of the treatment PLUS the period indicated in the table below. The areas of the Lake and downstream waters to which each restriction applies are shown in the attached maps.

### Water Use Restrictions

Herbicide	Swimming/ Bathing	Fishing	Livestock Watering	Drinking, culinary or food processing purposes	Irrigation (except turf)
ProcellaCOR EC	<b>No restriction</b>	<b>No restriction</b>	Until herbicide concentration levels equal < 1 ppb	<b>No restriction</b>	Until herbicide concentration levels equal < 1 ppb

Information on water use restrictions, including herbicide concentrations and lifting of restrictions, will be posted on the website of each Town and Village that receives an approved permit from NYSDEC and undertakes the application of herbicides, or by contacting the Town or Village Clerks at the numbers below. In addition, signs will be posted at public access sites around the Lake and along downstream waters notifying users of the water use restrictions. When all water restrictions are lifted, posted signs will be removed.

For actual application dates and areas, please contact Glenn Sullivan of Solitude Lake Management at [gsullivan@solitudelake.com](mailto:gsullivan@solitudelake.com) or 908-310-8775, or your appropriate Town or Village Clerk's office **once NYSDEC permits have been issued.** Notification of the application of the treatment will also be posted at public access points on each day of application.

In the event that you as a riparian owner or those individuals or entities to whom you have granted legal access rights (vested riparian users), have any objections to the proposed application or water

use restrictions, please contact the NYSDEC at the address below within 21 days of receipt of this notice. All comments must be in writing and objections must demonstrate that your use of the waterbody will be significantly affected (per the NYSDEC's policy). Lack of comment will be considered consent to the treatment and water use restrictions.

Robert Freese  
NYSDEC, Region 9, Bureau of Pest Management  
270 Michigan Avenue  
Buffalo, NY 14203

If you wish further information about the proposed program, please contact:

Town of Ellery

Rebecca Haines, Ellery Town Clerk, (716) 386-3465 ext. 200, ellertyc@windstream.net,

Town of Ellicott

Amy Bellardo, Ellicott Town Clerk, (716) 665-5317 ext. 202

Village of Bemus Point

Brenda Knipe, Village of Bemus Point Clerk, (716) 386-4398, (716) 386-2334 fax

Village of Celoron

Shirley Sanfilippo, Clerk/Treasurer, 716-487-4175

Town of North Harmony

Nancy Thomas, Clerk, 716-789-3445

The product label may be obtained from SOLitude Lake Management at 888-480-5253.

Labels can also be viewed online at <http://www.solitudelakemanagement.com/product-labels-new-york>.

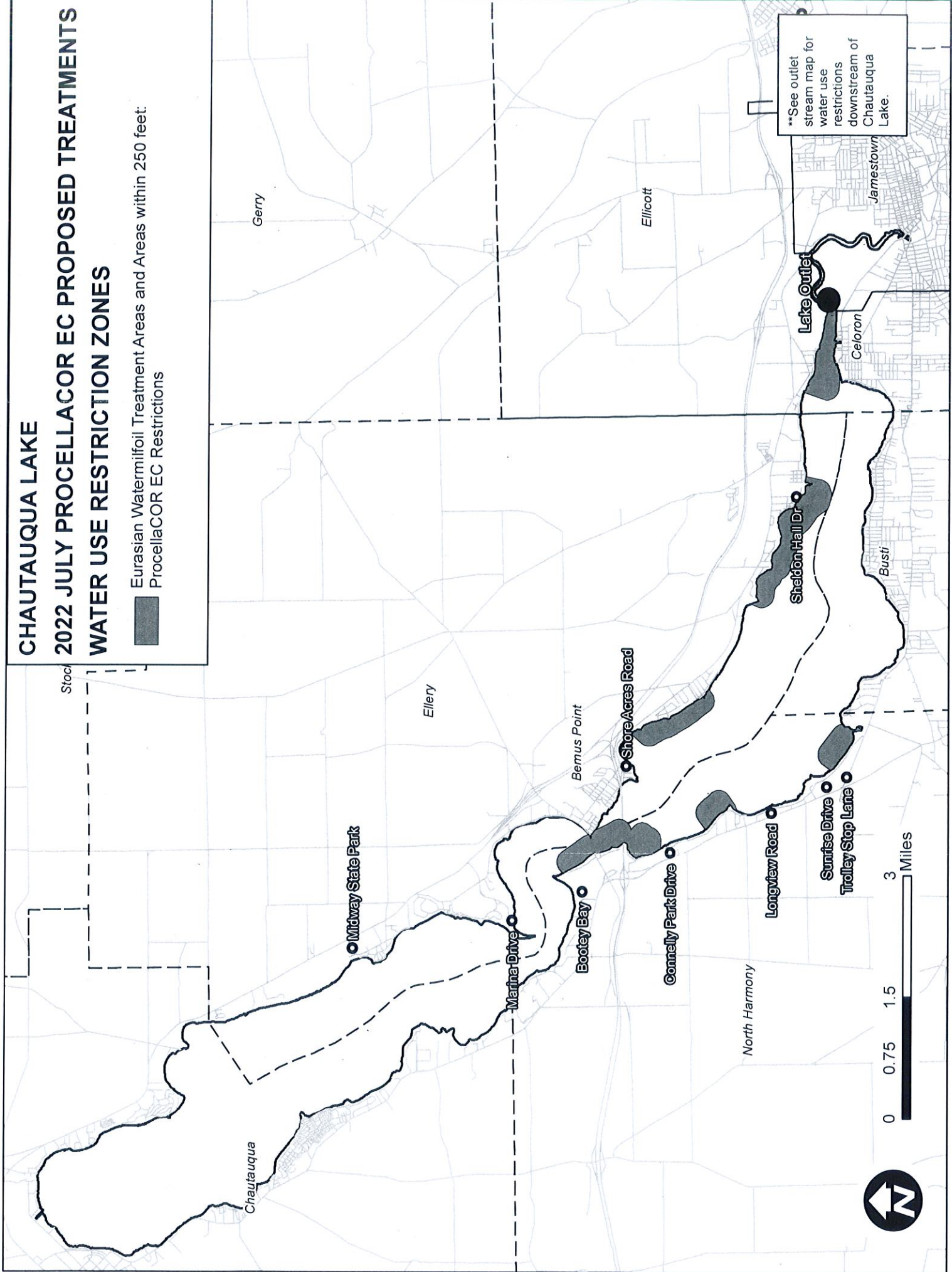


# CHAUTAUQUA LAKE

## 2022 JULY PROCELLACOR EC PROPOSED TREATMENTS

### WATER USE RESTRICTION ZONES

■ Eurasian Watermilfoil Treatment Areas and Areas within 250 feet:  
■ ProcellaCOR EC Restrictions





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