

**Granite Lake Watershed Association  
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## **March 2015 Newsletter**

**Hi All!**

I hope you are all enjoying the first days of March. It won't be long now until we start seeing some warmer weather. Spring is just around the corner!

### **Eurasian Milfoil Crisis**

Unfortunately, I must report that the results of our Point Intercept Survey are quite alarming. We have a bigger problem with Eurasian Milfoil than we were expecting. I am including a picture of the results, but you can see that the Milfoil is around most of the lake with the densest concentrations at the south end. It will require a multi-year effort to address this problem and we will need the support of everyone. We have received a couple bids to treat the heaviest areas this year and the cost will be roughly \$9,000.

### **Non-Profit Status**

The Board has also been working to establish ourselves as an official Non-Profit (5013-c) Organization. We expect this process to be complete in the next couple months.

### **Please Donate to fight the Milfoil!**

We are asking everyone to please consider making an additional donation specifically to treat the Eurasian Milfoil problem. If we all work together we can tackle this problem. Please send donations to:

**Lucinda Ogden/Treasurer**  
**1885 Knowles Ave NW**  
**Annandale, MN 55302**

### **Annual Dues: \$40.00**

Of course, you can send in your annual dues at the same time you make a donation the Milfoil fund. Just specify on your check if your donation is for Milfoil, annual dues or both. And remember, it's never too late to pay for previous years. Not sure, please contact Lucinda at 320-963-5594

### ***List of 2014 Dues Paid:***

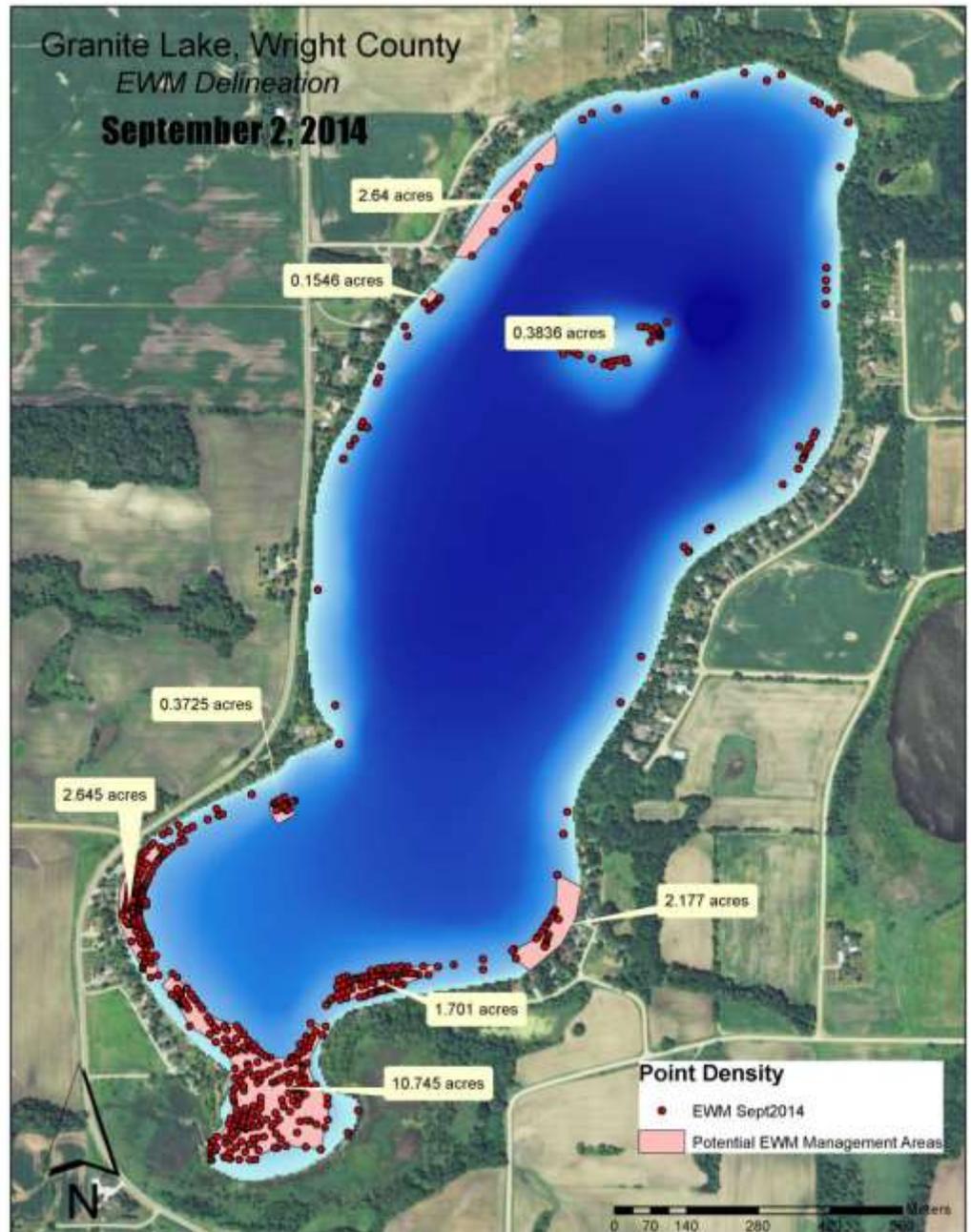
Andersohn	\$ 40	Hedman	\$ 40	Meyer	\$ 40	Stevens	\$ 50
Bainey	\$ 100	Henry	\$ 40	Nanoff	\$ 40	Sturgeon	\$ 40
Bellows	\$ 50	Holmgren	\$ 50	Noble	\$ 40	Sundberg	\$ 50
Coon	\$ 100	Johnson	\$ 50	Ogden	\$ 50	Sunde	\$ 40
Evenson	\$ 50	Jones	\$ 50	Oppegaard	\$ 100	Thompson-Henderson	\$ 40
Foss	\$ 50	Knutson	\$ 50	Parady	\$ 40	Thul	\$ 40
Gerlach	\$ 40	Koltes	\$ 100	Pesheck	\$ 100	Tracy	\$ 40
Grindle	\$ 40	Looft	\$ 40	Peterson	\$ 50	Vergin	\$ 40
Hackenmueller	\$ 40	Mackie (Van)	\$ 50	Quiggle	\$ 50	Waldschmidt	\$ 50
Hayes	\$ 40	Mattson	\$ 100	Reeves	\$ 40	Welter	\$ 100
Hecksel	\$ 40	Mehr	\$ 100	Robinson	\$ 40	Wilde	\$ 50

## Upcoming Events

I apologize for the somber tone of this newsletter, but I know we will work through this and still have another awesome summer on Granite Lake! Dates for our Annual Meeting and Summer Boat Party will be set soon! Watch for another email to come with specifics on both.

## Thank you!

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**Friends of the Association \$50 Annual Donation.**  
Looking for a realtor, see Bob!

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