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Subject: FW: Act 57 ANC Study Committee

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Thank you,

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Dear Act 57 Study Committee,

As the president of the Shadow Lake Association and one of many hundreds of volunteers who battled Milfoil in Shadow Lake for many years, I implore you to maintain a permitting and application review process that remains rigorous but without new burdens placed on volunteers. Those of us who are already trying to wade through expectations from the state to protect the Vermont lakes through Greeter Programs, lake surveys, Aquatic Invasive Species workshops, and the like do not need any added burdens as we shoulder much responsibility in keeping Vermont water clear. The partnership that lake associations have with the state and the towns they are within, form a strong bond that must continue to be nurtured for the sake of the economics of our communities, the

health of the water and the peace of mind of all who recreate on our lakes. Sincerely,

Shadow Lake Association