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**From:** ANR - WSMD Lakes  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 16, 2023 2:34 PM  
**To:** Jensen, Kimberly  
**Subject:** FW: LBPT Supports DEC and ProcellaCor Management of Vermont Lakes

Thank you,

Kelcie Bean (she/her)

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
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**To:** ANR - WSMD Lakes <ANR.WSMDLakes@vermont.gov>  
**Subject:** LBPT Supports DEC and ProcellaCor Management of Vermont Lakes

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As President of the Lake Bomoseen Preservation Trust (LBPT), I would like to encourage the ACT 57 Study Committee to consider these facts in your deliberations:

- 1) The 12 Vermont Lake Associations who have used and support continued use of ProcellaCor have spent over 40 years each studying, combatting and exploring alternative means of Milfoil control BEFORE coming to their decisions to employ this targeted herbicide;
- 2) The DEC's permitting process—with which all of these lake associations are intimate—does not need “fixing,” in that it is highly structured, science-based, highly visible and allows for community input at various stages (especially through the Notice Review Board and the option for Open Forums/Community Meetings);
- 3) Not one of the 12 ProcellaCor permitted Lakes has indicated any problems with the use or effects of this method of controlling Milfoil; and
- 4) Invasive Eurasian Milfoil has continued to proliferate and expand throughout American Lakes over the past 40+ years, with no demonstrated control method that is both reasonable and cost-effective during that time, until the advent of the targeted herbicide ProcellaCor.

Based on these facts, the LBPT supports both the DEC permitting process and the option to use ProcellaCor for the control of the invasive Eurasian Milfoil in Vermont waters.

Sincerely,



President