

#### Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation

Agency of Natural Resources

Watershed Management Division 1 National Life Drive, Davis 3 Montpelier VT 05620-3522 https://dec.vermont.gov/watershed

### October 30, 2024

Re: Lake St. Catherine Pesticide Permit Public Meeting Notification

This is notification that an in-person and virtual public meeting will be held on November 20, 2024 from 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. for Aquatic Nuisance Control Draft Permit #4233-ANC-C for the Eurasian watermilfoil control project in Lake St. Catherine in accordance with the permit process as identified under <u>10 V.S.A. Chapter 170</u>. Notice of the administratively complete Aquatic Nuisance Control applications occurred on March 27, 2024. The proposed project is for the chemical control of Eurasian watermilfoil in Lake St. Catherine in the towns of Wells and Poultney. The purpose of the meeting is for the VT Agency of Natural Resources and the applicant (Lake St. Catherine Association and SOLitude Lake Management) to provide basic information about the draft permit decisions and provide an opportunity for members of the public to submit questions to the applicant, the Agency, and provide oral and written comments.

The meeting will be held both in person and on Microsoft Teams. The in-person meeting will be held at the Town of Wells Town Clerks Office, located at 1064 VT-30, Wells, Vermont, 05774. If you wish to join Microsoft Teams Meeting online, you can join the meeting at the scheduled time by either clicking the following "Join Microsoft Teams Meeting" link below or by calling the phone number and entering the Conference ID number:

### Join the meeting now

## +1 802-828-7667 Conference ID: 694 246 606#

Meeting rules to facilitate a productive and interruption free meeting:

- When you join the meeting, you will be "in the lobby" until a meeting presenter allows you into the meeting. Once allowed into the meeting, you will be muted.
- Please remain muted unless you are instructed otherwise. Unmuting yourself may negatively impact the audio feedback for all meeting participants.
- To verbally ask a question or submit a comment during the meeting, please send an email to <u>olin.reed@vermont.gov</u> or call 802-490-6121 by no later than November 18<sup>th</sup> with your name. A list of names will be created chronologically from when the request to ask a question or submit a comment was received. If online, when a meeting presenter calls your name during the meeting to have you ask your question or submit your comment, unmute yourself by clicking the microphone symbol or press \*6 if you called in to the meeting. Before moving on to the next individual, a meeting presenter will put you back on mute.
- If you are not calling in to the meeting, there is a chat box visible to meeting participants. Public comments can be submitted using the chat box. If there is still time remaining in the meeting and all of those that asked to speak in advance have spoken, please type your request to speak in the chat box. Please wait to be called on by a meeting presenter.

This meeting will be recorded. Additional public comments can be submitted through the following pages: <u>https://enb.vermont.gov/?id=23541</u>

# Thanks,

Olin Reed, Lakes and Ponds Program