

**July 11, 2024**

**Hickory Hills Lake Residents,**

**To control Fanwort's growth, the Board of Directors has approved the application of the herbicide Flumioxazin to nine areas of the main lake. DEP and the Lunenburg Conservation Commission have approved this treatment by Solitude Lake Management for next Thursday, July 18th.**

**Flumioxazin, more commonly known as Clipper by some, is a broad-spectrum contact herbicide that has been approved for use in Massachusetts for the treatment of Fanwort. It has been approved for both non-food and food uses by the EPA.**

**The use of treated water may not be used for irrigation purposes from July 18 (date of application) through July 24, 2024 (watering grass or gardens). In addition, we and Solitude are asking residents to refrain from using the lake and water on the day of treatment as an extra precaution.**

**The treatment's goal is to prolong an expensive lake-wide Sonor treatment as long as possible by giving our Dive Survey teams the opportunity to focus on other potential emerging areas around the lake this season.**

**Board of Directors**

**Hickory Hills Landowners, Inc.**

# **WARNING**

## **PORTIONS OF HICKORY HILLS LAKE TO BE TREATED ON THURSDAY, JULY 18, 2024**

**THESE WATERS HAVE BEEN CHEMICALLY TREATED TO  
CONTROL THE GROWTH OF NUISANCE  
AQUATIC VEGETATION**

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**DO NOT USE THE WATER FOR THE FOLLOWING  
PURPOSE(S) UNTIL THE DATE NOTED BELOW:**

<b>BOATING, FISHING AND SWIMMING</b>	<b>JULY 19, 2024</b>
<b>IRRIGATION</b>	<b>JULY 24, 2024</b>

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**



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**THIS CHEMICAL TREATMENT IS BEING CONDUCTED PURSUANT TO A PERMIT  
ISSUED BY THE MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROTECTION (MASS DEP) AND AN ORDER OF CONDITIONS ISSUED BY THE  
LUNENBURG CONSERVATION COMMISSION (DEP FILE# 208-1266)**