

2018 Healthy Lakes Goals

Approved by BLCA Board March 2018

Person in Italics is lead person for that goal, but is not solely responsible that it gets accomplished.

1. Maintain Rush Lake dam **throughout 2018** with funds from member and charitable donations. *Bruce Kinney [plus Dan Stang]*
2. Extend water quality monitoring data **throughout 2018** as per Lake Management Plan, with cost sharing for testing from Palmer Township. *Walt Munstermann*
3. Continue lakeshore buffers or other conservation projects **by October 15, 2018**, while utilizing SWCD grants, Healthy Lakes Gentle Footprint grants, Mini Grants and private funds. *Kenzie Phelps*
4. Complete 3 runoff diversion projects **by October 30, 2018** with funding from the Sherburne SWCD and Gentle Footprint grants. *Gary Anderson*
5. Participate in Briggs Lake Chain related Board of Adjustment hearings **throughout 2018**. *Steve Demeules and others*
6. Coordinate and fund AIS surveys for Big Elk Lake **by August 15, 2018**. *Scott Ruiter*
7. Publish a Healthy Lakes committee report in **all 2018 Lake Report** issues and post on BLCA website. *Kenzie Phelps*
8. Conduct one Gentle Footprint Workshop **by May 31, 2018** [conservation projects workshop] and one shoreland maintenance workshop **by September 15, 2018**. *Rosalie Musachio*
9. Conduct one fish stocking of Big Elk Lake **by June 30, 2018** with funding from individual donations and charitable donations. *Wayne Smith and others*
10. Explore available AIS (Aquatic Invasive Species) related grants and other funding as needed for Big Elk Lake **throughout 2018**. *Wayne Smith, Scott Ruiter*
11. Participate with Sherburne Soil and Water Conservation District to monitor public accesses for AIS on the Briggs Lake Chain **throughout 2018** as per SWCD plan. *Scott Ruiter, Charlene Langowski*
12. Participate with Sherburne Soil and Water Conservation District **throughout 2018** in the SWCD's AIS early detection plan. *Scott Ruiter and Jim Arbeiter*
13. Introduce native aquatic vegetation in specified lake areas as per Lake Vegetation Management Plan **by July 31, 2018**. *Mike Flanery*

