

## White Lake Town Board Report September, 2021

There were 6 rainfall events in August, for a monthly total of 6.5 inches. The lake level started and ended the month at 64.5 feet NAVD, which matches what was seen in July, as well as last year at this time.

Lab results have been slow to come back this summer; July results have not yet been received. Field measurements indicate that lake conditions this summer are comparable to what has been seen in the past three years.

A proposal for a pilot project, to be located along the southwestern shoreline, was submitted to the Science Advisory Group last month. Comments received to date suggest that it is unlikely that the group will support testing the product in the lake, as there is no toxicology data available for it.

Steve Bunn has been mapping the no wake poles and buoys in the lake and their associated depths. He is working on a proposal to move some of them so that all are at a consistent depth, which could protect the lake bottom. Poles would be replaced by buoys, and the cost of doing this would need to be covered by State Parks, possibly augmented by donations.



Photo of Atkinson Property, circa 1920.