



Gleason Lake Improvement Association

Dear Gleason Lake Homeowner,

It is time for our annual Gleason Lake Improvement Association (GLIA) fund drive. As homeowners on Gleason Lake, we all share an important stake in the beauty and water quality of the lake. Enclosed is an envelope for you to send in your contribution by check for your continued support, or you may go to our website to donate online through paypal or a debit/credit card. Go to www.gleasonlake.org and click on the donate button.

The annual donation income is primarily (90%) spent on weed control and aeration, to address the challenges of a smaller and shallow lake. Your annual contributions, which currently come out to average of \$300 per household, are essential in order to continue these programs. The GLIA continues to implement these programs while also adding environmental education, and monitoring water quality and fish populations.

If you have already sent in your donation, thank you! Regardless of your activity on the lake, from boating, fishing, kayaking, or just viewing, we need everyone's contributions through time and resources to maintain our lake!

2020 Highlights:

- Over 30 of GLIA homeowners did shoreline treatments in 2020, which is a great way to help support the larger lake-wide treatment. (GLIA covers the permit fees for all residential shoreline treatments)
- DNR is working with us to further treat lily pad areas. Midwest Aqua Care will again treat submerged vegetation plus 50x50 Lily Pads and Channel out 100 feet with annual shoreline sprayings. (you must mark lily pad treatment on your permit application)
- Our Spring 2021 open meeting was held via zoom and well attended by lake residents. Great to learn and meet your Gleason Lake neighbors! We hope to have an in person one this fall!
- Recreation on the lake was and is a great covid-safe activity!

Thanks again for your continued support of our annual fund drives to help improve and maintain the water quality of Gleason Lake. The GLIA is a non-profit 501 (3C) organization and you will be provided a receipt for your donation.

Reminders:

- Look for communications regarding lake updates and attend our Spring and Fall open meetings.
- Shoreline and wildlife questions should be directed to the DNR for guidelines and recommendations.
- If your company matches donations for non-profit organizations, please consider requesting a match of your donation from your company for GLIA. Let us know if you have questions.

Thanks for your support!

Sincerely,

Jay Anderson
GLIA Board President