

Shoreline Workshop

LORE Project

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Shoreline Questions

Can I remove the mud bottom of the lake immediately in front of my property? Can I add sand in the lake bottom in front of my property?

Muck and rocks are lake-bed and would require a permit from the DNR to remove and no material may be added to the lake. However the drawdown will cause consolidation of sediment and should help with these concerns.

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Can we use the same contractor completing the LORE Project to perform services on our private property?

The awarded contractor will be public information once the contract is finalized. If you choose to reach out, that would be a private agreement between property owners and the contractor if you wish.

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Can we complete work during spring 2021 and when is the last suggested date for completing shoreline work?

Absolutely! Please indicate your expected timeline on your permit application. Tentative plans are for the lake to be refilled in spring 2021.

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Can lakeshore property owners combine projects with their neighbors?

Yes, but please be sure all property owners sign the permit applications as they are responsible for work done on their property, even part of a shared project.

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How far can docks extend into the lake? What are other general requirements for docks?

Please refer to the DNR's website regarding dock regulations here:

https://files.dnr.state.mn.us/publications/waters/shoreline_alterations_water_access.pdf

Shoreline Questions

Can we replace our stone paved terrace area with turf grass? This is located between existing riprap and a retaining wall.

Yes assuming all permit requirements are met. Please apply for a permit for any shoreline work and consider native plants to help better establish your shoreline.

Shoreline Questions

Can we remove old, damaged concrete from our shoreline? Some of the pieces are in the water.

Yes, please apply for a permit and ensure this area is stabilized after the existing structure is removed.

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