

**To:** President and Members of Town Council

**From:** Staff of Public Works

**Meeting:** March 3, 2025

**Re:** 2025 Lake/Pond/Ditch Maintenance

# **Background:**

On February 11, 2025, a proposal for the Custom Vegetation Management Program at a cost of \$29,155 from Aquatic Control was received. Aquatic Control has provided vegetation management for the Town since 2000.

The maintenance includes inspections and treatment for the following locations:

### **Bodies of Water**

- West Lakes Subdivision 1 lake, 4 ponds
- White Oak Estates Subdivision 5 ponds
- White Oak Woods 1 pond
- Centennial Park (Maynard Lake) 1 lake
- Schoon Ditch at Fisher Street (Calumet Ave to Columbia Ave) 1 linear ditch
- Community Estates 2 ponds

#### **Methodology:**

The Vegetation Management contract covers the sites listed above for biweekly inspection of 2 lakes, 12 ponds and 1 ditch for nuisance aquatic vegetation with treatment as necessary during the contract period of April through September 2025.

### Important Note:

• Schoon ditch is a monthly rip-rap treatment for a contract period of April through August. If additional treatments are needed between monthly visits this would be at client's request for \$362.

Funding for this invoice is from the sewer account.

## **Recommendation:**

By motion and roll call vote, approve the Aquatic Control proposal 410381 dated 2/11/2025 for 2025 Custom Vegetation Management Program in the amount of \$29,155.