

The State of New Hampshire

Department of Environmental Services



Michael P. Nolin Commissioner

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Stephen Silva Director, EPA Water Quality and Maine Program U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1 Congress Street - Suite 1100 (CME) Boston, MA 02114-2023

Subject: Request for Final Approval of 11 Acid Pond TMDLs

Dear Mr. Silva:

We respectfully request final TMDL approval for the following 11 assessment units which are listed on our 2004 303(d) list as impaired for aquatic life due to low pH from atmospheric deposition. These assessment units represent beaches located on lakes or ponds which have approved TMDLs for low pH due to atmospheric deposition. As you may recall, 45 "Acid Pond" TMDLs were approved in FY04 and 20 were approved in FY05. These assessment units should have been included with those submittals but were inadvertently omitted. The following table lists the assessment units and the previously approved TMDL which applies.

ASSESSSMENT UNIT ID	ASSESSMENT UNIT NAME AND WATERBODY	PREVIOUSLY APPROVED TMDLTHAT APPLIES TO THIS ASSESSMENT UNIT
NHLAK600030604-01-02	BOW LAKE - TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR BOW LAKE (NHLAK600030604-01-01 APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK600030604-01-03	BOW LAKE – MARY WALDRON BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR BOW LAKE (NHLAK600030604-01-01 APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK600030604-01-04	BOW LAKE – BENNETT BRIDGE BEACH	N ACID POND TMDL FOR BOW LAKE (NHLAK600030604-01-01 APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK700030102-01-02	THORNDIKE POND – TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR THORNDIKE POND (NHLAK700030102-01-01 APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK700030103-05-02	HARRISVILLE POND – SUNSET TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR HARRISVILLE POND (NHLAK700030103-05-01 APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK700030108-02-02	GREGG LAKE – TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR GREGG LAKE (NHLAK700030108-02-01 APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK700060502-08-02	NORTHWOOD LAKE – TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR NORTHWOOD LAKE (NHLAK700060502-08-01 APPROVED IN FY04.

DES Web site: www.des.nh.gov

ASSESSSMENT UNIT ID	ASSESSMENT UNIT NAME AND WATERBODY	PREVIOUSLY APPROVED TMDLTHAT APPLIES TO THIS ASSESSMENT UNIT
NHLAK700060502-09-02	PLEASANT LAKE – VEASEY PARK BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR PLEASANT LAKE (NHLAK700060502-09-01) APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK700061002-01-02	DARRAH POND – TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR DARRAH LAKE (NHLAK700061002-01-01) APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK801030302-01-02	ECHO LAKE – FRANCONIA STATE PARK BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR ECHO LAKE (NHLAK801030302-01-01) APPROVED IN FY04.
NHLAK802010303-05-02	STONE POND – TOWN BEACH	ACID POND TMDL FOR STONE POND (NHLAK802010303-05-01) APPROVED IN FY04.

Thank you for your consideration. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Gregg Comstock at (603) 271- 2471.

Sincerely,

Paul Currier, P.E. Administrator

cc:

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