



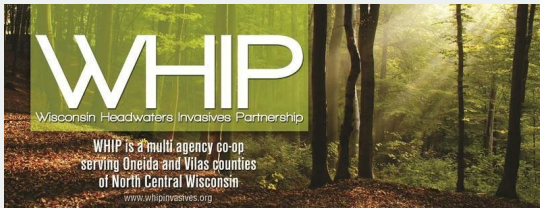
March 2019 Update



Lakes Convention!

Attended by hundreds of professionals, lake organizations, and volunteers from WI and beyond, the Lakes Convention is the best way to network, gain useful information on research, and become inspired to get some work done. Consider sending a rep from your lake organization! Event is April 10-12, 2019 in Stevens Point.

[Lakes Convention 2019](#)



WHIP Annual Meeting - 3/20/2019

If you dabble in wetland or terrestrial invasive species work then you need to be connected with WHIP! WHIP is our local Cooperative Invasive Species Management Area, covering Vilas and Oneida Counties. The annual meeting is in Woodruff and will feature involved citizen, professionals, and guests from both counties and beyond.

[WHIP Annual Meeting](#)



L&W Conservation Committee

Keep yourself in the loop with local government - the Land & Water Conservation Committee oversees the Land & Water Department in Vilas County. This is an open meeting and the public is welcome to attend.

[March 21, 2019 Agenda](#)
[UNAPPROVED Minutes Feb 14, 2019](#)



Clean Boats Clean Waters

It's official - click on the link below for the 2019 Vilas County Clean Boat Clean Waters inspector training schedule.

Inspectors should attend a training once every 2 years.

[2019 Vilas CBCW Training Schedule](#)



Aquatic Invasive Species Monitoring Workshop

Could your lake benefit from some extra eyes? If you would like to start a group, get a refresher for your group, or just be informed enough to keep a lookout on your lake for AIS consider attending the workshop is scheduled for Fri May 31, 2019 in Eagle River. This program is a part of the Citizen Lake Motoring Network.

[AIS Monitoring Workshop May 31, 2019](#)
[Eagle River](#)



Time for an Update!

The Vilas County Invasive Species Strategic Management Plan is due for its 5 year update. This document exists to guide the diverse groups in Vilas County working towards invasive species prevention, detection, and management. An action team made of lake org members and professionals is brainstorming through the drafting process. The group will be asking for feedback from a wide range of targeted individuals. The plan is scheduled to be publicly available by Fall 2019 and will be effective Jan 2020. Contact [Cathy Higley](#) with any questions/concerns.

[2014-2019 Strategic Plan \(old version\)](#)

