



# Squash Lake Protection & Rehabilitation District

PO Box 34, Rhinelander, WI 54501  
Established 2017

## Preliminary EWM Harvest Report - 2023

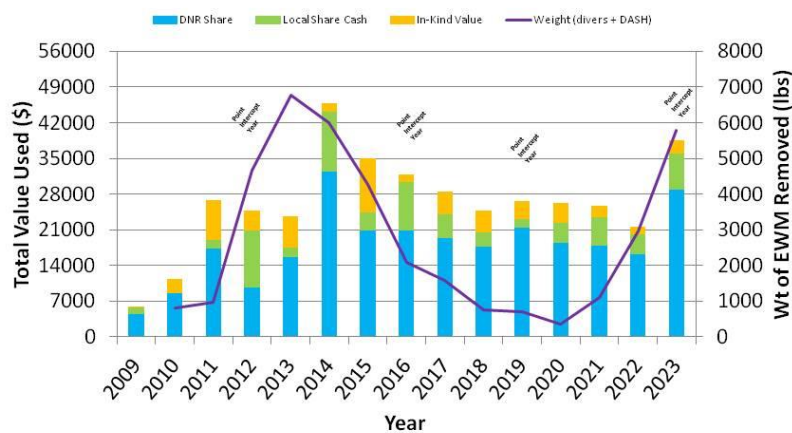
### Conclusions

- 2023 was the third highest year of EWM collection/removal on record.
- Data for annual report to submit with reimbursement request is in progress.

### EWM Harvest Summary

- Pounds: total amount of EWM collected 5783 lbs (calculated)
  - Diver Hand Harvesting – 4262 lbs
  - Aquatic Plant Management LLC – 89.5 cubic ft of EWM, equating to approximately 1521 lbs (conversion factor is 17 lbs/cu.ft)
- Dive Hours: total hours billed = 386.7 hrs
  - Divers – 341.50
  - Aquatic Plant Management LLC – 45.2
- Coverage: approximately 85% of the 7.1 mile shoreline/littoral zone was covered by divers at least once.
- Financial:
  - Total Harvesting Budget (w/o Onterra costs) Budget \$27,500; Actual \$22,732.54
  - Diver Hand Harvesting: Budget \$16,000; Actual \$13,660
  - Aquatic Plant Management LLC: Budget \$10,600; Actual \$8,426.58
  - Dive Tank Refills: Budget \$900; Actual \$645.96
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Squash Lake EWM Control  
Total Value of Effort  
Adjusted by Year Incurred



Through 2022