

Hello :LSLPC Members,

The chemical treatment for Lower Straits lake weeds is planned for June 15 (Wednesday) morning. The alternate weather date will be June 16 (Thursday).

There will be a red poster put around the lake shore announcing these dates (it could be placed as soon as tomorrow or as late as Tuesday). The red poster is merely announcing that a treatment is planned to be done on June 15 Wednesday. It is not a sign that the treatment was done.

The legally required yellow posters will be posted when the treatment is actually being done or has been completed. Please note the restrictions related to the treatment.

The restrictions for this treatment will be as follows: No boating, swimming, fishing or kayaking on the date of the treatment. Please keep pets out of the water on the day of the treatment. Please do not use lake water for irrigation for lawns for THREE (3) days, do not use for water vegetable gardens for FIVE (5) days.

The chemicals being used will be Diquat, Aquathol and some Copper. The treatment process will include both spraying on the surface of the water and dispensing of the chemicals from tubes located at the back of the boat. These tubes will be underneath the surface of the water and you will not be able to visibly see the chemical being distributed.

The target areas include most of the shoreline for the whole lake and for the canal areas. There are several shoreline areas that are hard packed sand. These areas that do not support plant life will not be treated.

Please inform your HOA residents about this upcoming treatment plan. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks for your assistance in the notification.

John