

Clean Boats Clean Waters (CBCW) 2026 Update

Watercraft Inspections:

For 2025 our CBCW program inspected 590 water craft. This is a combined total of water craft either entering or leaving the Moen Chain at the public launch. These inspections typically occur only on Friday Night, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays. With the inspections we contacted 1,327 people. Thank you for your contributions and/or your time in volunteering.

In 2025 our CBCW program was provided by a combination of volunteers and two paid Boat Inspectors. Anyone interested in participating as either a volunteer or paid inspector please let me know. 16 is the minimum age.

Signup.com continues to be the tool used to schedule time at the landing. If anyone is having problems with this process or with Signup.com please let Mark Marek know at 920-213-8838.

DNR CBCW Grant:

The Wisconsin DNR has offered grants to Lake Associations to help them run a Clean Boats Clean Water inspection program at their location. The grant is for \$4,000 of which the DNR reimburses up to \$3,000 to the participating groups.

For 2025, our CBCW DNR grant was successfully closed.

For 2026 we applied and were approved for a DNR CBCW grant. The grant requires a minimum of 200 hours of watercraft inspections between Feb 1 and Dec 31. We are on track to meet this requirement.

Some Area Lakes with Invasive Species as reported by the DNR:

Lake	Invasive Species Present
Moen Lake Chain	Chinese Mystery Snail, Rusty Crawfish, Banded Mystery Snail
Storm Lake Star Lake Plum Lake Trout Lake Ike Walton Lake	Spiny Waterflea
Crescent Lake Squash Lake Bass Ba Lake Oneida Lake Hancock Lake Lake Nokomis	Eurasian Water Milfoil
Lake Metonga	Zebra Mussel

A comprehensive statewide list of lakes can be found at:

[Lakes and Aquatic Invasive Species \(AIS\) Mapping Tool](#) | [Wisconsin DNR](#)