

Kandiyohi County
"Where The Lakes Begin"

Kandiyohi County Aquatic Invasive Species Update

**MACPZA Annual Conference
September 24, 2015**

AIS Background

56 lakes with 49 public accesses

8 infested lakes (2 ZM, 5 EWM, 2 CLPW)

\$115,621 in 2014, \$256,937 in 2015

plus, \$38,800 in additional 2015 grants

\$258,707 in 2016

AIS Taskforce coordinating with DNR

AIS Work Plan

1) Education and Outreach

AIS Hunter App (\$10,000 BoatUS Foundation Grant)

2) Local Program Grants

County Funding - \$55,600 with match required

6 Applications (5 Lakes) - \$34,135 requested

3) Inspections and Decontamination

Inspections – Partnership (County, Watershed, DNR)

Decons – Partnership (Lake Assc, City, County, DNR)

Additional Tools – Sentry Units, Car Counters, Decon Hotline

Kandiyohi County
"Where The Lakes Begin"

Inspections & Decontamination

Green Lake - 7 day/week, Memorial to mid-Aug

Additional Inspections – 19 lakes

Andrew, Calhoun, Diamond, Eagle, Elizabeth,
Elkhorn, Florida, Foot, Games, George,
Big Kandiyohi, Lillian, Long (North & South),
Monongalia, Nest, Norway, Solomon, & Willmar

Additional Watershed Inspections – 8 lakes

Additional DNR Inspections – 2 lakes