

ENVIRONMENTAL NEWS - LAKE HUGHES 2024

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| WATER QUALITY MONITORING | Highlights from our Water Quality Monitoring - serious deterioration in 2022 results, with a slight rebound in 2023. READ MORE Testing results do not tell it all – signs will appear along the shoreline before water quality deteriorates in the deepest zone – residents can observe and report any changes. |
| CLIMATE CHANGE | What does climate change mean for our lake and what we can do..... READ MORE |
| RIDDELL GARAGE | More than 40 years later and the contaminated garage site continues to pollute. |
| DOMAINE ÉVOLUVIE | Concerns about this development in our backyard were presented to the Municipality of Mille-Isles again on March 14 th , 2024. READ MORE |
| WINTER ROAD SANDING | Road salt puts lake health at risk. READ MORE |
| AQUATIC PLANTS | No invasive aquatic plants detected. Residents are invited to join the survey team on the lake this summer. Date to be announced. READ MORE "Lake Hughes Aquatic Plant Survey" |
| JAPANESE KNOTWEED | There are about a dozen places where this highly invasive plant is growing. The volunteer plant team and residents are working on control measures. |
| DOGS | "Man's best Friend" - Leashes and poop bags please. Phosphorus and coliforms in 'doggie do' – unwanted near a lake. |
| TREE CUTTING | A mature tree drinks up to a 1000 litres of water a day. In this time of climate change, the trees can be very helpful. |
| VISITING WATERCRAFT UNWELCOME AT LAKE HUGHES | The best way to protect our lake from invasive species is to prevent their arrival. |
| HARMONIOUS LIVING AT THE LAKE | The Lake Hughes residents have agreed on some measures to protect our lake and promote peaceful and respectful community living. READ MORE |