

Public Notice from the Village of Island Lake



When in doubt, Stay out!

Blue green algae (cyanobacteria) is a natural occurrence in many lakes across the country—especially with higher temperatures and increased precipitation.

To access the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) Algal Bloom information page, go to:

<https://epa.illinois.gov/topics/water-quality/monitoring/algal-bloom.html>

For more information about blue green algae, visit the following sites:

US Environmental Protection Agency: <https://www.epa.gov/cyanohabs>

Illinois Department of Health

<https://dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/environmental-health-protection/toxicology/harmful-algal-blooms.html>

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA):

<https://www.noaa.gov/what-is-harmful-algal-bloom>