Fairmont Chain of Lakes Water Quality Workshop

2026

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1:00pm-4:00pm

1:00-1:20pm
"Common Carp - Ecology and Management"
Przemek (pronounced "Shemick") Bajer, PhD
Carp Solutions LLC

1:20pm-1:40pm
"A Comprehensive Biological Approach to the Fairmont Chain of Lakes"
George Klug
Owner, Wilton Water Solutions
Verlyn Sneller
President of Terra Transitional Solutions

1:40pm-2:00pm
"Nanobubble Oxygenation and Internal Nutrient Loading in the Fairmont Chain of Lakes"
Jonathan Morales, Business Development Manager-Surface Water
Moleaer, Inc

2:00pm-2:20pm
"Easy Environmental Solutions, Inc. Cleans Lakes with Terreplenish and Easy NanoVoid Technologies"
Mark Gaalswyk, CEO
Easy Environmental Solutions

2:20pm-2:40pm
"How DNR Permits Aeration and Evaluates Emerging Aeration Technologies"
Denise Elston
Aeration Program Coordinator
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

2:40pm-3:00pm
“Mechanical Harvesting of Curly-Leaf Pondweed (Potamogeton crispus L.) and Implications for Water Quality”
Dr Ryan Wersal
Minnesota State University-Mankato

3:00pm-3:20pm
“Overview of MPCA projects for Fairmont Chain of Lakes”
Jeff Strom, Limnologist and TMDL Specialist
Ben Lundeen, Statewide Monitoring Coordinator
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

3:20pm-3:40pm
“Cyanotoxin and Cyanobacteria Monitoring in Fairmont’s Source Water and Finished Drinking Water”
Shelby Kassuelke
Hydrologist-Source Water Protection
Minnesota Department of Health