

# What are the New Permitting Waivers?

## Chemical Control

- o Artificial, synthetically lined waterbodies less than .5 acres in size with no discharge on private property.
- o Cut stump chemical applications to woody vegetation.
- o Hand wicking of invasive emergent vegetation
- o Chemical control of emergent vegetation during frozen winter conditions.

## Mechanical, Manual, Physical Control

- o Manual removal or mechanical control on woody vegetation below the ordinary high-water mark on Lake Superior and Michigan
- o Mechanical control and manual removal on woody vegetation above the ordinary high-water mark on non-riparian wetlands.
- o Burning of emergent vegetation
- o Mechanical and manual control on a wetland entirely on private property.
- o Contracted hand pulling of invasive aquatic plants.

## All Control Types

- o Control of emergent vegetation on and around the perimeter of storm water management structures.

**All existing NR 107 and NR 109 waivers are included in the program changes.**

These waivers will not be in effect until repealed and revised NR 107 is law. Once repealed and revised NR 107 is law, you must carefully read the waivers to ensure before conducting any control. When in doubt, check in with your county's APM Coordinator.

