

Additional Resources

Unit 3: Lakes and Their Shorelines

Lecture References

- [Michigan Natural Shoreline Partnership \(MNSP\)](#)
- [Guidebook for Property Owners: Natural Shoreline Landscapes on Michigan's Inland Lakes](#)
- [EPA's Water Sense for Conserving Water](#)

Shoreline Habitat, Restoration, and Invasive Species

Websites

- Michigan Natural Shoreline Partnership
 - [Michigan Certified Natural Shoreline Professionals List](#)
 - [Native Plant List](#)
- [Michigan Shoreland Stewards Program](#)
 - [Video Series](#)
- Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources [Safeguarding Our Shores Program](#)
- Wisconsin Healthy Lakes and Rivers Program [Best Practices](#)
- Minnesota Department of Natural Resources [Restore Your Shore Program](#)
- MiCorps Cooperative Lakes Monitoring Program [Score the Shore](#)
- Washtenaw County [Rain Garden Program](#)
- [MSU Native Plants & Ecosystem Services](#)
- [Midwest Glacial Lakes Partnership](#)

Factsheets, Pamphlets, and Videos

- Michigan State University Extension [Smart Gardening for Shorelands tip sheets](#)
- Michigan Glacial Lakes Partnership [Shoreline Living](#)
- Michigan Department of Natural Resources [The Water's Edge](#)
- Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy
 - [Natural Shorelines for Inland Lakes](#)
 - [Landscaping for Water Quality Garden Designs for Homeowners](#)
- [Impervious Surfaces: How they Impact Fish, Wildlife and Waterfront Property Values](#)
- Michigan Natural Features Inventory
 - [Field Identification Guide to Invasive Plants in Michigan's Natural Communities](#)
 - [Field Guide to Invasive Plants in Michigan's Aquatic and Wetland Habitats for Michigan](#)

Lawn Care, Stormwater Management, and Septic Systems

Websites

- University of Minnesota [Sustainable Urban Landscape Information Series](#)
- Michigan State University Extension [Home Soil Test](#)
- Michigan State University [Turfgrass](#)
- Michigan State University Extension [Septic Education Program](#)
- Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy [Onsite Wastewater Program](#)
- [EPA Septic Smart](#)
- Michigan State University Extension [Gardening in Michigan](#)

Factsheets, Pamphlets, and Videos

- Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development [Be Phosphorous Smart](#)
- Michigan State University Extension
 - [Managing Your Septic System](#)
- United States Environmental Protection Agency [How Your Septic System Can Impact Nearby Water Sources](#)
- Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council
 - [Septic Question](#)
- Waterfront Wisdom: [Healthy Habits for Clean Water](#)
- Onewater: [Keep it fresh. Keep it flowing.](#)

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