Aquatic Plant Management for Wildlife

An aquatic plant management for wildlife guide with steps for keeping a healthy mix of pond and lake plants that supports fish, birds, and insects.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Identify plants in the water
2. Note nuisance or invasive plants
3. Set habitat goals
4. Keep native plants in balance
5. Limit nutrient runoff
6. Choose control methods with advice
7. Follow herbicide labels and rules
8. Treat in small sections
9. Record plant changes

YOUR NOTES

TIP Check state rules and product labels before treating any aquatic plant so records stay accurate.