



Protecting Your Shoreline: A Workshop for Inland Lakefront Property Owners

Clare County	Thursday, April 28, 2016
Isabella County	Tuesday, May 3, 2016
Wexford County	Thursday, May 12, 2016

4:30 PM – 9:00 PM

Natural shorelines provide multiple benefits to our inland lakes. Natural shoreline landscaping and bioengineered erosion control techniques can restore those benefits by reducing runoff, deterring geese, stabilizing soils and improving fish and wildlife habitat while maintaining aesthetically pleasing access to your lake. Already have rock or sea wall? Learn how to enhance those structures for the benefit of your lake.

Workshop topics include:

- Healthy lake ecosystems
- Designing natural landscapes on lake shorelines
- Problems with high impact landscape methods
- Use of native plants in shoreline landscapes
- Common inland lake Invasive species
- State of Michigan rules and regulations

*Workshop hosted by Michigan State University Extension
in cooperation with the Michigan Natural Shoreline Partnership*

Early Bird Registration by April 14, 2016: \$50.00/person and \$25/second household member

Regular Registration after that date: \$60/person and \$25/second household member

Registration includes light refreshments, handouts, and the Natural Shoreline Landscapes on Inland Lakes Guidebook

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED at: <http://events.anr.msu.edu/inlandlakepo16/>

(Call 989-539-7805 if you are unable to register online)

For more information about MSU Extension, visit: <http://msue.anr.msu.edu/>.

For more information on the Michigan Natural Shoreline Partnership, please visit the website at www.mishorelinepartnership.org

Learn the benefits of natural shoreline landscaping and erosion control for your lake and property.



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Registration cost:

\$50/person on or before April 14, 2016

\$60/person after April 15, 2016

\$25/second member of household (who will share materials)

Registration deadline is April 28, 2016. After this date, please call (989) 539-7805 to see if space is still available.

A \$25/person cancellation fee will be assessed for those requesting a refund less than two weeks prior to the date of the workshop. No refunds will be issued after the registration deadline unless the workshop is cancelled due to low enrollment. Substitutions are welcome!

This workshop will NOT cancel due to inclement weather unless the facility closes. In that event, refunds will be 90% of registration fee.

Workshop Locations:

Clare County – April 28th

City of Harrison, Council Room
229 E Beech St, Harrison, MI 48625

Isabella County – May 3rd

Weidman Community Center
5918 W Bridge St, Weidman, MI 48893

Wexford County – May 12th

Carl T. Johnson Hunting & Fishing Center
Mitchell State Park, 6087 E M-115, Cadillac, MI 49601

Questions?

Contact Marybeth Denton, Consumer Horticulture Program Coordinator

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4:30pm – 5:00pm	Registration
5:00pm – 9:00pm	Workshop

Accommodations Available

Accommodations for persons with disabilities or dietary restrictions may be requested by calling 989/539-7805 two weeks prior to the date of the workshop. Requests received after this date will be fulfilled when possible.

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