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We generally support this permit program, aquatic herbicides are a necessary tool for the management of Aquatic Weed Growth and we require a system to utilize these tools where appropriate.

Lone Lake on Whidbey Island has been returned to a healthy state from being overgrown by the noxious weed Brazilian elodea. Without the use of Diquat the lake did not have a chance of being restored. The herbicide did not harm the fish. Property owners as well as fishermen and other recreational users are pleased with the outcome of the herbicide treatment.

Regards,  
Pat Clark, Property owner