

Lake Committee Report. September 19, 2026

The fish habitat structures were installed in Walker Lake by Aqua Link on August 31, 2026. I am waiting to receive GPS locations of the structures from Aqua Link.

The e-coli bacteria testing at the 2 beaches has concluded for the summer season & results were all well below the limit.

Therefore, there were no further beach closings since the July 4 weekend.

The lake was treated for bladderwort & milfoil on July 27. A considerable reduction was noticed in the bladderwort population. This was quite an improvement from the previous treatment date. Bladderwort was still observed, however, and was treated accordingly to keep the population at a lower level. Variable leaf milfoil was observed at low density and frequency, mostly near the lake main inlet. A few scattered plants were found elsewhere, toward the outlet of the lake. All areas where the plant was found were treated in addition to areas that the plant has been observed in prior seasons. This will ensure that the plant will not seed through the remainder of the growing season. Some emergent, mostly terrestrial plants were also treated along the dam structure.

In order to continue to keep Walker Lake healthy, we remind all residents to keep pets off of the beaches and to have their septic systems pumped and inspected regularly.