

**SHERWOOD LAKE ASSOCIATION  
LAKE MAINTENANCE REPORT  
OCTOBER 2021**

We still have a few lots with hurricane debris that needs to be removed from the lake..

Fountain #3 has been replaced with a new fountain. All five of our fountains are working properly.

We worked with Weed Out for a few days starting on November 10<sup>th</sup>. Shawn was able to deepen the water levels in several of the most problematic fingers on the lake. The project went very well, and we experienced no ill side effects such as feared fish kills, etc. In an effort to maintain the results, we plan to treat these areas with natural chemicals to aid in the muck decomposition starting next year.

We encourage bulkhead replacement or repair if needed. A properly working structure not only adds value to your property, but it keeps your yard from eroding into the lake and makes it harder for the nutria to live there.

**Please inform your lawn crews that any trash blown into the storm drains goes directly into the lake with the first heavy rainfall!!**

**Be careful when applying lawn fertilizers, that they are not easily washed into the lake. City and University lakes are a prime example of algae bloom due to excessive fertilizer.**

*Please continue to clean up any trash that may be floating by your property.  
Thank You to our neighbors who lend a hand at keeping our lake looking beautiful!*

**GOALS FOR 2021**

1. Encourage Christmas decorations along the bulkheads and streets. Cazes
2. Reduce nuisance animal populations. (Ducks, beaver, and nutria). Hays & Cazes
3. Find a person to clean floating debris from the lake.
4. Continue efforts to encourage residents to repair and/or install bulkheads. Cazes, Edwards, Hayes
5. Continue contracting for lake cleaning. Cazes. On-going.

**Jim Cazes  
Lake Chairman**