

TO: Hamburg Township Board of Trustees

FROM: Pat Hohl

DATE: August 31, 2022

AGENDA ITEM TOPIC: Discussion of Weed Harvester

Number of Supporting Documents: **0**

Requested Action

I request that the Board of Trustees discuss weed harvesting on the Huron River

Background

Earlier this year the board discussed the acquisition of a weed harvester by the Livingston County Drain Commission.

After that discussion the following has happened:

- PLM, the weed harvester used by Hamburg Township for the past 10 years has purchased a third harvester
- The Hamburg Aquatic Weed SAD has been established and the SAD Manager hired by the township is recommending the Board contract with PLM for the mechanical weed harvesting associated with the SAD
- The Drain Commission has limited use for a weed harvester outside of Hamburg Township
- PLM will be more inclined to accommodate our scheduling needs for aquatic weed harvesting on the river as they will presumably be providing harvesting services on the lakes in the township's SAD