

General Permit 2015-002**One-way Authorization to Transport Aquatic Plants and Prohibited
Invasive Species from Riparian Property to a Disposal Location**
(Minnesota Statutes 84D.05 Subd. 1(5) and 84D.11 Subd. 2d)

Eligible Permittees: Shoreland owners and/or their designee(s) transporting aquatic plants or prohibited invasive species for non-commercial purposes. Individuals or businesses who provide such services for hire or as a benefit of membership in an organization may be required to have a lake service provider permit: www.dnr.state.mn.us/lsp/index.html.

Scope: This general permit authorizes shoreland owners or their designee to transport:

- (1) aquatic plants;
- (2) prohibited invasive species; and/or
- (3) aquatic plants with attached prohibited invasive species from riparian property to a disposal location. This general permit is valid only for one-way transport on one day.

Conditions: The shoreland owner or his/her designee must take the following measures to prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species during transport and disposal activities covered under this permit:

- remove excess water from the aquatic plants and attached material prior to transporting;
- secure the aquatic plants and other material in a covered trailer, closed container or use another method that ensures that plants will not fall out during transport;
- lawfully dispose of all the plants and attached material at least 300 feet from shoreland areas, ditches or seasonally flooded lands; and
- thoroughly clean all aquatic plants and prohibited invasive species from the hauling equipment (e.g., trailer, pickup truck, tarp) before leaving the disposal site.

Instructions: The shoreland owner must complete and sign this permit. The shoreland owner, or his/her designee (e.g., a waste hauler or lawn service contractor), must carry the completed and signed form while transporting aquatic plants or prohibited invasive species to a disposal location. If applicable, the designee must also sign below.

Name of Shoreland Property Owner: _____

Name of Designee (if applicable): _____

Transportation date: _____

Departure address: _____

Disposal address: _____

I have read and agree to follow the above permit conditions.

Signature of the Shoreland Property Owner

Date

Signature of the Shoreland Property Owner's Designee (if applicab

Date