



## **FOX WATERWAY AGENCY**

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### **Press Release**

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#### **Lake County Health Department Blue Green Algae- Lake Catherine**

The Lake County Health Department (LCHD) has found high levels of microcystin (378 when the recommended threshold is 8) a toxin found in Blue Green Algae. This sample is currently localized to Lake Catherine, Antioch, Illinois, but can spread to other areas depending on wind direction and water currents. The LCHD has advised, "when in doubt, stay out." The LCHD will be monitoring the situation and will advise the public of any new updates.

For further information please review the attachments here or contact the Lake County Health Department at 847-377-8020.