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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Justin Atlas  
**CC:**  
**FROM:** Laura DeGaetano  
**DATE:** March 30, 2023  
**RE:** SEQR Classification  
**SUBJECT:** Lawson Lake Algaecide Treatment

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The Department of Recreation has proposed a project to contract with a certified applicator to treat 25 acres of Lawson Lake with an algaecide. The treatment is proposed to address harmful algal blooms and improve conditions in the lake for contact recreation.

As described above, this project has been determined to be a Type 1 action under 6NYCRR Part 617.4(b)(10). Accordingly, the County must take steps to seek and establish lead agency status, coordinate a review with involved agencies, prepare a determination of significance and comply with all necessary notifications consistent with review as a Type 1 action.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to call me at your convenience.