Cottage Lake, WAP mitigation to Improve Water Quality

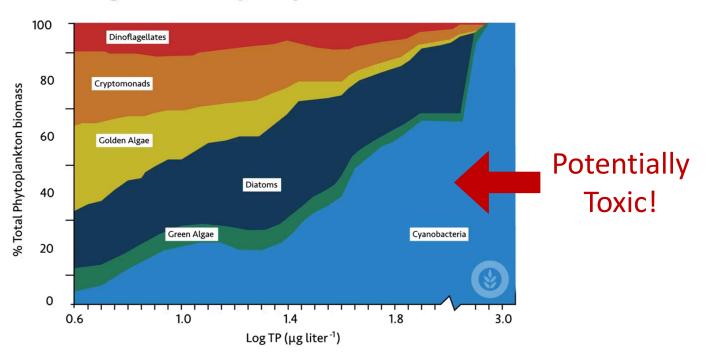
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Algae assemblages influenced by nutrients

Algae Presence by Phosphorus Concentration

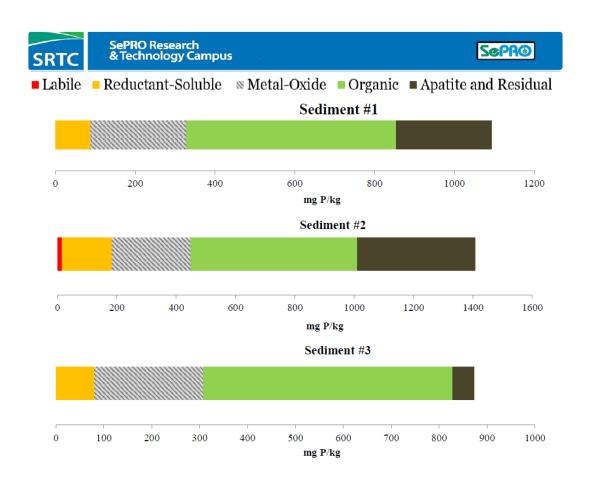


High TP = Low nitrogen to phosphorus ratios which support cyanobacteria growth

1 lb. of P can support 500 lbs. of algae!

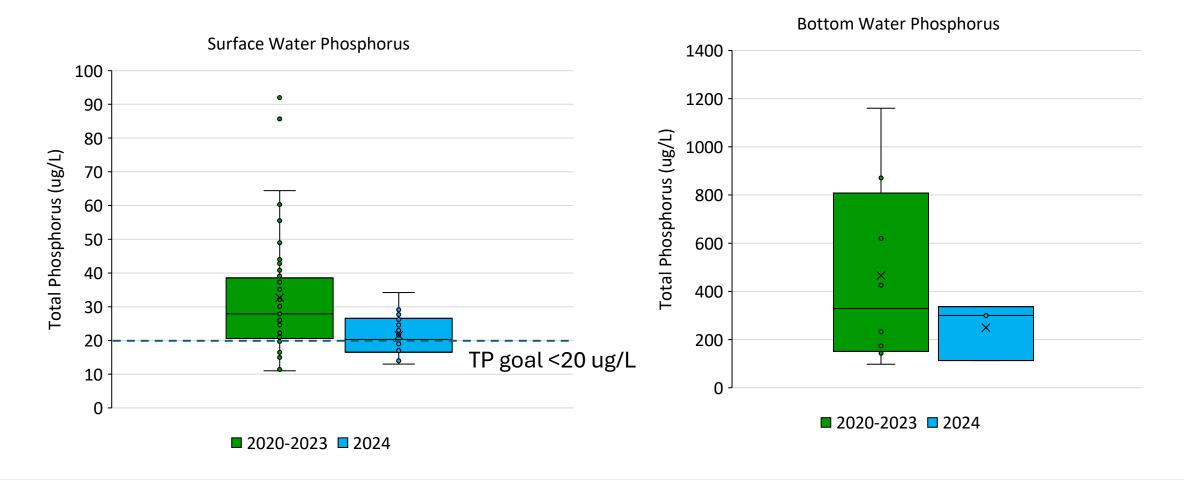


Cottage Lake Assessment - P



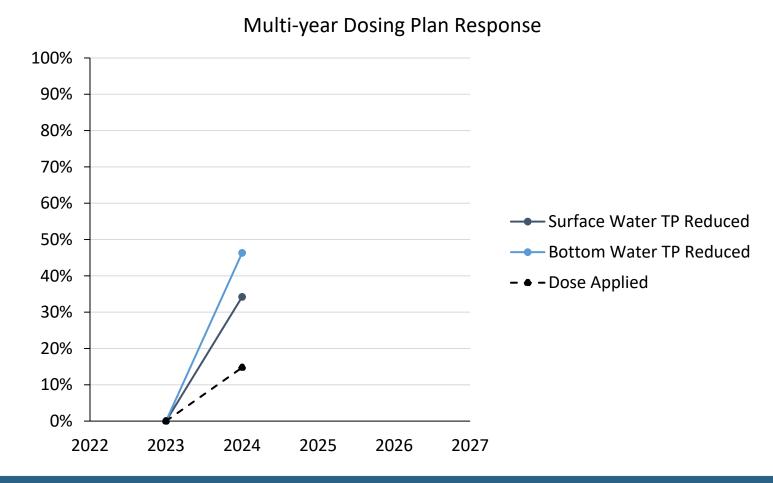
- Average 34% P is Mobile, 10 cm depth, 8% solids
- Average 28.8 lbs. Mobile P/acre
- 75ug/L TP at time of sampling = 200 lbs. P
- 1900 lbs. Mobile Sediment P estimate whole lake (66 acres) to mitigate

EutroSORB G Dosing in 2024 reduced Surface Water TP ~34% and Bottom Water TP ~50%





EutroSORB G Dosing in 2024 only 15% of total dose needed. Additional dosing is needed to meet water quality goals. (See Long Lake)





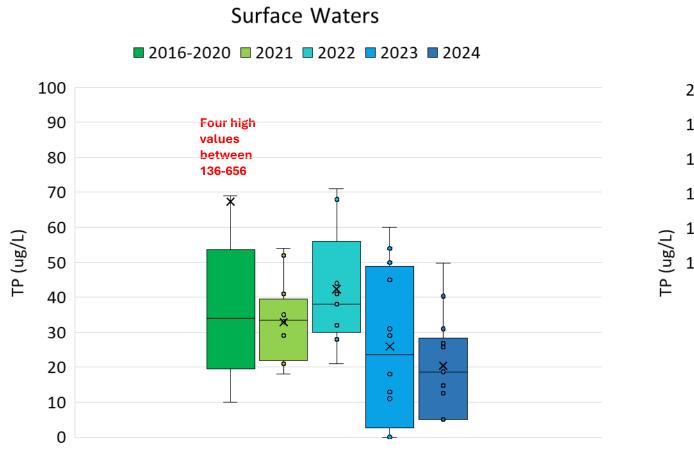
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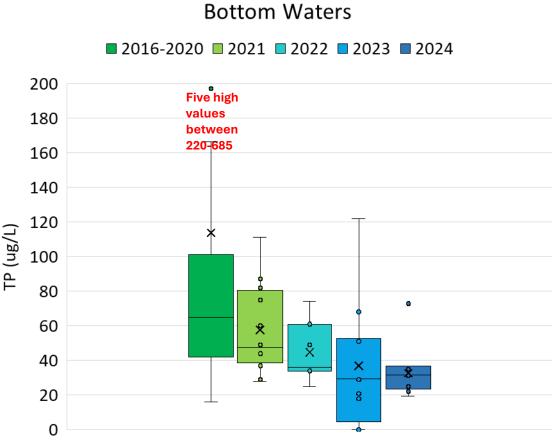
- 330-acre lake, 2 basins
- 8,726 lbs. Mobile Sediment P to mitigate
- Internal P loading primary issue, external loading
- Annual treatment budget



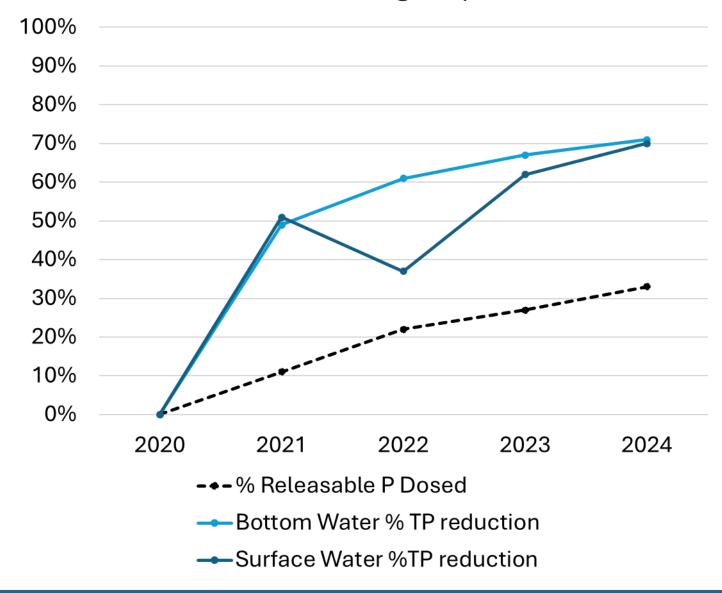


Long Lake water quality steadily improved with partial P mitigation dosing. 2024 had great water quality, no HAB advisory.





Multi-Year Dosing Response







Before: August 2020 HAB bloom



After: August 2024

