

Owasco Lake Watershed Inspection Program Work Plan, 2009
February, 2009 Activities

Investigations

Program	February's Progress	2009 Overall Progress
<i>Agriculture</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Town of Locke farmers with animals in the stream 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 - Livestock with stream access investigation
<i>Commercial</i>		
<i>Miscellaneous</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 - investigation at commercial property
<i>Oil Spills</i>		
<i>Residential</i>		

Agriculture – increase cooperation with the watershed agricultural community through programs and technical assistance

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<i>Priority Farm List</i>		
<i>Secondary Fuel Containment</i>		
<i>Agricultural Advisory Committee</i>		
<i>AEM</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sent postcards and will be completing Tiers I and IIs for farms within the watershed 	

Community Outreach – increase public knowledge, understanding, and respect for Owasco Lake and its watershed

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<i>Community Events</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 youth presentation
<i>Publications</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Eco-Talk Article
<i>Increasing Program Awareness</i>		

Stormwater – reduces the effects of stormwater and sedimentation to Owasco Lake through implementation of erosion and sediment control methods

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<i>Residential Erosion Control</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participation in Stormwater Ad-Hoc Committee
<i>Stormwater Permitted Sites</i>		

Miscellaneous

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<i>Giant Hogweed</i>		

- Sent “The Beauty and the Beast: The Tale of Two Lakes” to elected officials within the Cayuga County towns of the watershed and the Village of Moravia
- Completed Emerson Park Goose Management report
- Working on list of rental properties around lake
- Working through backlog of files from Seasonal Watershed Inspectors

Upcoming Events

- Meeting with Laura Coburn to start working on other sign designs (3/3)
- AEM Committee Meeting (3/5)
- Water Quality Symposium (3/9 – 3/13)
- Career Day Presentation at Auburn High School (3/31)