



WARNING

On July 31, 2026, portions of Sokokis Lake (aka Holland Pond) will be treated with herbicide to control the growth of brittle naiad (*Najas minor*), an invasive aquatic plant

Herbicides Applied: dipotassium salt of endothall and diquat dibromide
Trade name: Aquastrike

Certified Applicator: SOLitude Lake Management®
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The following water use restrictions on the Aquastrike label apply to the treatment area (see <http://www.cdms.net/ldat/ldBRQ006.pdf> for label):

- Do not drink lake water for 3 days after treatment
- Do not allow livestock to consume lake water for 1 day after treatment
- Do not irrigate turf and landscape ornamentals for 3 days after treatment
- Do not irrigate food crops for 5 days after treatment

There is no label restriction on recreational uses, including swimming, but Maine DEP advises against swimming and boating in the treatment areas on July 31, 2026 as an added safety precaution.

A map showing areas to be treated will be posted online at this website <https://www.maine.gov/dep/water/invasives/>.

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Sokokis Lake, Limerick, Maine

2025 AquaStrike Treatment Area

