

BAD MEDICINE LAKE WATER QUALITY RESEARCH PROJECT FINANCIAL SUPPORT PLEDGE

The Bad Medicine Lake Area Foundation (BMLAF) and the Bad Medicine Lake Area Association are working together on a lake water quality research project to help protect the pristine character and water quality of Bad Medicine Lake. See Steve Lindow's article for details of the project.

The BMLAF as a Component Fund of West Central Initiative (WCI), is acting as the fiscal agent for the project. The contracts with Bemidji State University and invoices associated with the project are approved by the BMLAF board. The BMLAF agreement with WCI requires that funds be available before annual contracts are approved.

Funds are available to pay for this first years work, but not for 2018 and 2019. Funds need to be available by April of each year before the contract with BSU can be approved. For this reason the pledge form has been revised to request pledge payments in 2017 for 2018 and 2018 for 2019 contracts. Please submit your pledge payments to WCI when you receive pledge payment notices.

This is a project your lake association decided would be beneficial to all property owners. If all property owners contribute, each would need to contribute \$700. The requested donation is \$1000 aiming for 70-75% participation. All contributions are tax deductible.

If you have not donated to past projects, this is an opportunity to contribute to Bad Medicine Lake water quality and property values which benefits everyone.

RESEARCH PROJECT PLEDGE CARD



My total commitment is:

\$3,000 \$2,000 \$1,000

Other _____

I would like to make a one-time payment for the following year:

2017 2018

I would like to spread my payments out over the following years:

2017 _____ 2018 _____

- I would prefer my gift to be anonymous
 I may be listed as a donor

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please mail pledge card to:

West Central Initiative
PO Box 318

Fergus Falls, MN 56538-0318
218-739-2239 or 800-735-2239