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A common area amenities of SPIC is Agate Lake.

SPIC contracts with a third party company to treat the lake consistent with state standards. As you may be aware, an event occurred at Agate Lake where algae and a number of fish were killed. SPIC took immediate action by contacting Department of Fish and Wildlife, Department of Ecology, and Whatcom County Department of Health.

Water quality samples were taken and sent out to a toxicology lab for analysis. The test results are back and we learned that copper sulphate was in the lake.

SPIC does not treat with copper sulphate. The lake is a common area of SPIC and managed by a water quality company. Please do not treat the lake on your own. SPIC has contacted the Whatcom County Sheriff's office. At this point, no further action will be taken and the lake is safe.

If a situation like this occurs again, SPIC will be pursuing all legal recourse available to it.

Sincerely,

Alicia Beck, Communications Officer  
Sandy Point Board of Directors