



Clear Choices Checklist

By taking these voluntary actions, you can protect the health of your lake and have your property LakeWise certified.



Lawn and yard

- Avoid fertilizer. If you do fertilize, apply phosphorus-free products.
By initialing, I agree to perform this practice. _____
- Attend a FREE natural lawn care workshop. *Date attended:* _____
- Scoop pet waste, bag it and place it in the trash.
By initialing, I agree to perform this practice. _____
- Divert roof and driveway runoff into stable, vegetated areas.
No downspouts or drains directly into lake, stream or ditch.
- Cover bare soil areas with mulch or plants.
- Fix eroding areas in yard, driveway and parking areas.

Septic system *Type:* _____ *Required Inspection Frequency*:* _____

- Have an up-to-date inspection by licensed provider as determined by your system type.*
Documentation showing date of inspection/pumping is required. Date inspected: _____
- Have future inspections at the frequency required for your system type.*
By initialing, I agree to perform this practice. _____
- Complete a FREE septic system care workshop. *Certificate of Completion Date:* _____

**Find the required inspection frequency for your system type in the Snohomish Health Department's [Monitoring and Maintenance Frequency](#) publication.*

Healthy Shore Checklist

Shoreline properties can also obtain a healthy shore certification.

- Maintain existing non-lawn shoreline vegetation.
By initialing, I agree to perform this practice. _____
- Re-establish shoreline vegetation by replacing some lawn with other plants such as shrubs, perennials and trees.



Congratulations! The following property has met the Snohomish County LakeWise certification requirements:

Property Address

Lakewise Reviewer's Signature

Date

Property Owner's Name