

August 21, 2007

Dear Dr. Madsen,

On behalf of the state of Idaho, please accept my sincere thanks for assisting with the Idaho Eurasian Watermilfoil Eradication Program.

The aim of Idaho's program is to support on-the-ground eradication and control projects through a statewide approach. Your surveys are providing vital information to my staff related to this program.

I also wanted to thank you personally for continuing to assist my staff in developing sound management techniques. Your experiences from other areas of the country have been invaluable to them.

Thank you for dedicating so much of your personal time and staff resources to this important project.

As Always - Idaho, "Esto Perpetua"

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C.L. "Butch" Otter Governor of Idaho