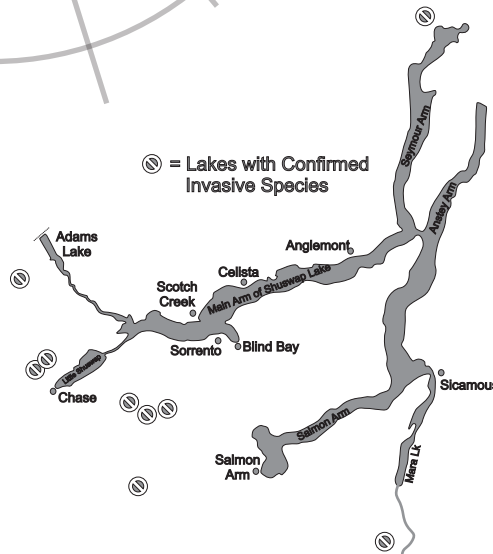


STOP

THE SPREAD OF AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES

10 lakes in the Shuswap area are confirmed to have been affected by Aquatic Invasive Species



Aquatic Invasive Species are animals that are introduced in lakes or streams where they are not normally found. They often **KILL** or **DESTROY** local fish stocks by eating them, their eggs or their food sources. They can also destroy entire ecosystems. The impact of Aquatic Invasive Species are far reaching, often going beyond the local area, to impact economies, cultures or other parts of the regional **ENVIRONMENT**. Help in the **FIGHT** to stop the spread by recording where and when you catch an invasive species, or by reporting any suspicious activities such as emptying aquariums, or transporting live fish, to the Provincial RAPP line: 1-877-952-7277.

Fish in this area that are ***Invasive Species*** include:

- Large and Small mouth Bass
- Pumpkinseed
- Yellow Perch
- Walleye
- Carp



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