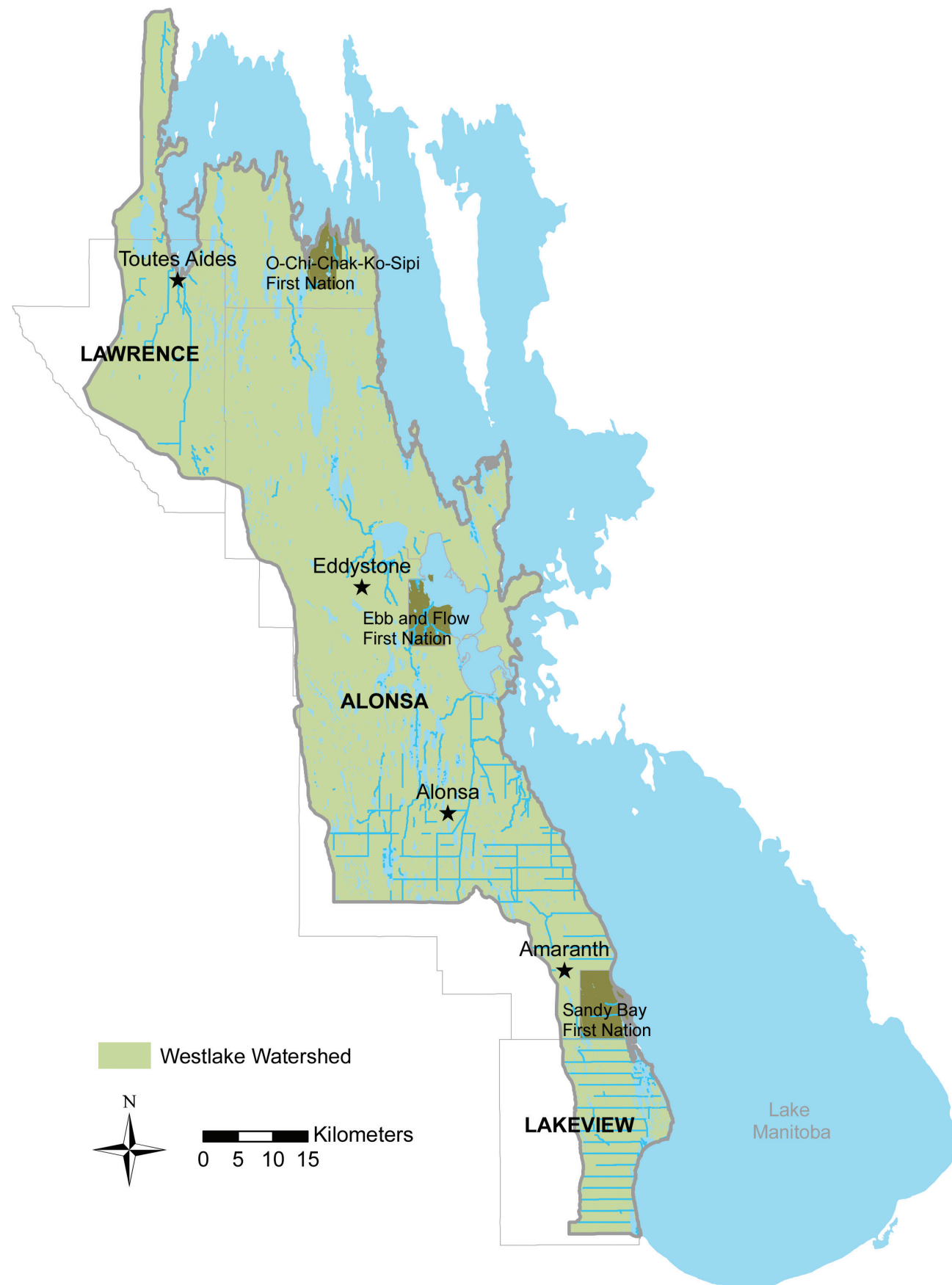


West Lake Watershed Please circle your area of residence



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**The Westlake
Integrated Watershed
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Dear Watershed Residents,

The Alonsa Conservation District is developing an Integrated Watershed Management Plan for the Westlake Watershed. We are requesting your attendance and participation at one of the four upcoming public consultation meetings.

The plan will set goals, priorities, and actions for the Alonsa Conservation District, residents, producers, stakeholders, and all levels of government to address land and water related issues in your watershed.

If you are unable to attend, please consider submitting the enclosed questionnaire.

We look forward to working with you on the development on this watershed management plan.

Sincerely,
Fred Taylor
Chairman, Westlake IWMP

What are the goals of the plan?

- Identify priority land and water issues in the Westlake Watershed
- Develop projects and policies to address priority issues
- Strengthen partnerships for cooperative land and water programming in the Westlake Watershed

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For additional information, contact:

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1-888-698-7811

We Need Your Input!

This information will be used by the Project Management Team to develop an integrated watershed management plan for the Westlake Watershed. Please circle your area of residence (map on reverse) and rank the following land and water issues by order of importance. Then identify one or two logical and attainable solutions to address these issues.

1 = top priority; 9 = lowest priority

Land & Water Issues

Drinking Water Quality Priority (1-9) _____ **Natural Areas (forests, wetlands, etc)** Priority _____
Solution(s) _____

Surface Water Quality (Lakes and Creeks) Priority _____ **Wildlife** Priority _____
Solution(s) _____

Surface Water Quantity (flooding, drought) Priority _____ **Other** Priority _____
Solution(s) _____

Fisheries Priority _____ **What is your interest(s) in the watershed? Please check all boxes that apply.**
Solution(s) _____

- Producer
- Landowner
- Cottager/Recreational
- Permanent Resident
- Other (please describe)

Please return this questionnaire:

Soil Salinity/Loss/Erosion Priority _____
Solution(s) _____

In Person
To the Alonsa Conservation District office or your rural municipality office.

Development Impacts Priority _____
Solution(s) _____

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