

SAVE OUR LAKES ORGANIZATION, INC.
P. O. BOX 185
KEYSTONE HEIGHTS, FL 32656



LAKE GENEVA RESTORATION PROJECT GET UNDERWAY!

NOTICE TO LAKE GENEVA LANDOWNERS

Lake Geneva Property Owners,

We have great news! We expect to see Clay County Surveyors out on the Geneva lakebed this week (May 12-16) to begin marking trees ahead of restoration work. Clay County is on track to award a restoration contract for the clearing of trees and vegetative debris by the end of June. This would allow for a contractor to begin the restoration work in early July.

You should expect to see the two Clay County surveyors operating on the lakebed in an off-road utility vehicle and marking trees with paint that will degrade over time (non-permanent survey paint). The trees that are marked will NOT be cut down by the selected contractor. They represent an elevation just above 102.9 feet in elevation, or upland of the restoration area. Everything lakeward of the marked trees will be removed by the contractors unless they are identified as a wetland species that will survive the coming inundation. It will likely take a few weeks for the surveyors to complete their work.

Please help us get the word out about this operation by mentioning this to any of your neighbors you see. We want the county surveyors to be able to do their job unimpeded and we do not want any property owners to be surprised by their work.

Thank you for working with us. We are extremely excited that we have been able to maintain momentum on this restoration. It has only been possible due to the efforts of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP), Saint Johns River Water Management District (SJRWMD), Clay County, City of Keystone Heights, and SOLO, but most importantly, your support and encouragement!