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City of Whitefish
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AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES DECONTAMINATION STATION IMPROVEMENTS

In 2019, the City of Whitefish dedicated space for the preventative decontamination station at the Whitefish City Beach Overflow Parking Lot. In 2020, Whitefish Lake Institute was awarded a grant from the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation for infrastructure improvements at the parking lot. Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks then donated a mobile building to house the decontamination unit and associated equipment. Infrastructure improvements include a valley gutter, French drain, concrete pad for the decontamination unit, foundation for the building, paint striping and landscaping.

The City is excited to have the decontamination station closer to City Beach to better serve the public. The Parks and Recreation and Public Works staff who helped coordinate

construction for this project during a challenging summer would like to thank all of the partners who supported this project, including Whitefish Lake Institute, DNRC, MT Fish, Wildlife and Parks, Flathead Conservation District, and the Montana Invasive Species Council.

