

Happy 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!



# **Citizen Lake Monitoring Network - History**

**1986 – 126 volunteers collecting secchi data on 113 Lakes**

**(8 of those were in the Rock River Basin)**

**1990 – expansion – 25 lakes for**

**Secchi, total phosphorus, chlorophyll, temperature  
and dissolved oxygen**

**1991 – 2005**

**Secchi, total phosphorus, chlorophyll, temperature,  
and dissolved oxygen with some regions having  
volunteers collect data on Aquatic Exotics**

**2006 - Statewide effort to monitor for Aquatic Invasives**

**2007 – Statewide effort to have Trainers teach Secchi and  
AIS monitoring**

# Citizen Lake Monitoring Network (continued)

2009 – Additional AIS added

2010- Ice off/Ice On

2013- Smaller Projects

-Pilot Lake level Monitoring

-Landset 8 “calibration”

Web QA/QC

2014- Expanded Lake Level Monitoring

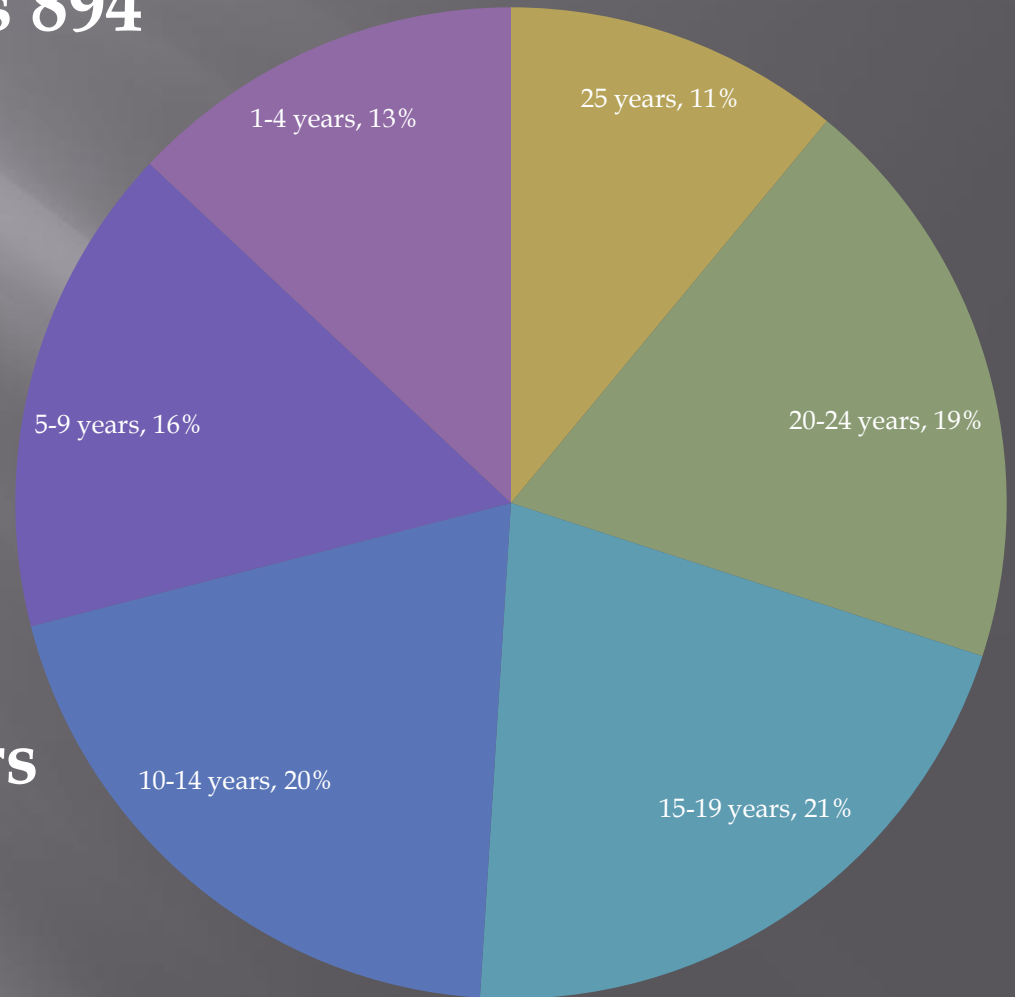
-Landset 8 “calibration” continued

-New AIS pilots: Asian Clam and Faucet Snails



# All about the numbers!!

- Water quality sites 894
- Volunteers 967
- Lakes 751
- Secchi readings  
all-time by volunteers  
152,868



# All about the numbers

- 4422 volunteers through the life of the program
- Typical budget per year 245K
- Based on \$12 /hour
- Secchi volunteers have saved the state  
\$1,585,272
- Chemistry volunteers  
\$312,816

# CLMN Volunteers 2015-2016

Kim	Alba
Ron	Anderson
Mary	Baas
James	Baumann
Richard	Bjodstrup
Virgina	Coburn
Patricia	Cicero
Lisa	Conely
Dorty and Bruce	Curtis
Linda	Daniels
Rebecca	Fox-Blair
Joe	Frigerio
Tom	Ganfield
Paul	Garrison
Karl	Glunz
David Sondra Olsen	Grande
Lisa	Griffin
Charlie	Handel
CJ and Phil Gredler	Hartmann
Richard	Herbst

Mark	Johnson
Jerry	Kabelowski
Craig	Kempel
Tom & Kathy Buss	Kielich
Keith	Kraft
Yvonne and Dennis	Lindl
Alan	Llanas
Joe and Rebecca	Mattano
Maroyln	Meyer
Steve	Oostdik
Jessica and Nate	Rice
Bob	Roell
Susan	Sanders
PJ	Schampers
Mike	Schick
Jim	Schnieder
Steve	Sheets
John	Sipos
Greg	Smith
Linda	Szramiak
Cherie	Witowski
Paul & Ben Curtis	Wojcik