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Dear Little Swan Lake Watershed Landowners,

Little Swan Lake Siltation Committee approached the Warren County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) and the local Natural Resource Conservation Service with their concerns of sedimentation coming into the lake, they are aware that cost share programs have assisted many local landowners with the installation of conservation practices in the watershed. Little Swan Lake has received a cost estimate to dredge the lake but before that money is spent NRCS and the SWCD are providing them assistance to identify any interest from the residents of Little Swan Lake and the landowners to further improve the area surrounding Little Swan Lake.

NRCS, Warren County SWCD, and Little Swan Lake Siltation Committee is inviting you to a meeting in which we will do a process called the “nominal group process”. During this process each person will be able to voice concerns they have with the lake and the surrounding watershed, we will write the concerns on a flip chart and at the end of the meeting we will have you identify your top 3 concerns. The meeting is for the residents and the landowners of the watershed.

We will have two meetings for you choose from, **November 9th and November 30th at 6pm at the Little Swan Lake Clubhouse**, please consider attending one of the nights.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask. You may call me at 309-734-9308 extension 113. We hope to see you on one of the nights!

Sincerely,

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