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## “Lakescaping for Wildlife and Water Quality

*Lakescaping for Wildlife and Water Quality* is a new book by Carol Henderson, Carolyn Dindorf, and landscape ecologist Fred Rozumaiski, that explains how to proceed with the simple idea of “lakescaping” your lakeshore property. The book includes chapters about lake ecosystems, designing your lakeshore landscape and selecting plants, site preparation and general tips on stewardship of the land and water. The book has a midwestern slant including information on Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Michigan plants, nurseries and shoreline regulations. However, the overall content applies to any lakeshore property. Just be sure to use plants native to New York State.

Did you know?

Emergent vegetation reduces shoreline erosion caused by wind and boat traffic.

Natural vegetation is a filter strip that helps prevent lawn fertilizer and pesticide runoff from reaching the lake.

Buffer zones reduce the size of lawn and maintenance time.

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