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# News Release

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## **BLUE-GREEN ALGAE ADVISORY LIFTED FOR LAKE LOWELL**

**Canyon County, Idaho**—The Health Advisory issued for Lake Lowell, dated July 29, 2016, regarding the presence of high concentrations of toxic-producing blue-green algae has been lifted by Southwest District Health and Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ).

DEQ officials have confirmed blue-green algae levels in the reservoir have returned to normal and toxin levels are below the safety threshold.

Lake Lowell is part of the Deer Flat National Wildlife Refuge which is managed by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Services.

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