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Dear BLA Member:

The very heart of the Belgrade Lakes Association is you, our member. Without you, this organization would not exist. Without you the work we do to protect and improve our lakes would not get done.

Thanks to your membership and support we do have a very active Association. Thanks to your membership and support your lake Association is very hard at work protecting and improving Great Pond and Long Pond, just as it has for the last 106 years.

In 2013, the Belgrade Lakes Association continued to provide leadership and funding to battle the invasive milfoil on Great Pond and prevent it from spreading into Long Pond. Your association also continued to monitor the water quality on our lakes, as it has for the last 40+ years, and helped fund the Courtesy Boat Inspectors, the Conservation Corps, the LakeSmart program and some of the excellent lectures and education programs that were presented at the Maine Lakes Resource Center last year.

Your Association also published three high-quality newsletters in 2013 and presented updates on STOP MILFOIL and other lake initiatives to over 300 members and guests at two member receptions and our annual meeting.

I hope that you feel that we have earned your continued support and that you will renew your membership for 2014. Because without you and other members like you, the Association and the work it does will quickly come to an end.

Thank you very much for being such a key part of the Belgrade Lakes Association. I'll look forward to seeing you at our Association events this coming season. If in the meantime you have ideas on how we can better serve our members and accomplish our mission of protecting and improving our lakes, please do not hesitate to contact me.

To renew your Belgrade Lakes Association Membership online:
<http://belgradelakesassociation.org/GetInvolved/DonateOnline.aspx>

With great appreciation,

Gail

Gail Rizzo, President

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