

**Old Tjikko LLC
42 Labyrinth Lane
Sunfish Lake, Minnesota 55077**

June 28, 2025

Forester's Report 6 30 2025

Hornbeam Lake, Sunfish Lake and Horseshoe lakes were not flowing out of their outlets on June 30.

No burning permits were issued in June.

Water samples from all three City lakes were delivered to the Met Council for analysis.

A graduate researcher from the U of M contacted me about doing a buckthorn control experiment in Harmon Park. After meeting the researcher and discussing it with the Mayor we gave the go ahead and the project will begin in early July and may continue for as long as two years. We do after all have plenty of buckthorn to share. Please do not disturb markers, tags, or flags in the test area in the south half of Harmon Park.

Mowed amur maple, honeysuckle, and buckthorn undergrowth around and under the large north meadow trees in Musser Park. The stumps will be treated later this summer to prevent regrowth.

Even with our stormy weather, we have not had any significant tree damage to our City trees recently.

Please continue to use my **jim_nayes@mac.com** email address.

Jim Nayes
City Forester