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From: Christopher Legard and Andy Todd, Lake Ontario Committee (LOC)

To: Mike Connerton and Erin Brown, co-charis of the Lake Ontario Technical Committee

(LOTC)

Subject: Research priorities for Lake Trout restoration in Lake Ontario

Mike and Erin,

The LOC is pleased to receive the updated Lake Trout research priorities from the LOTC. We would like to acknowledge and thank the LOTC for all work that went into developing this document. Please extend our thanks to all the members of the LOTC Lake Trout Working Group.

This review of the impediments to Lake Trout restoration and identification of priority research areas will serve to guide the Lake Ontario science program, influeence the broader research community, and will be instrumental in achieving our goals for Lake Trout restoration in Lake Ontario.

We plan to to post the research priorities on the GLFC Lake Ontario Committee web page so they will be publicly available for researchers to reference when developing new projects. We look forward to working with LOTC to support a research program that will address the new priorities.

