

**From Harwich Town Hall Action**

**Conservation Administrator Amy Usowski** informed selectmen Monday night that an advisory has been issued on a closure for Hinckley's Pond. She said the pond is experiencing a bluegreen algae bloom. Usowski said the pond is not officially closed, but signs have been posted warning people about conditions there. Hinckley's Pond has a history of severe algae blooms caused by excessive phosphorus. The town has approved funding for an alum application that would bind the phosphorus and eliminate algae blooms and fish kills in the pond. The treatment is scheduled to take place in September.