



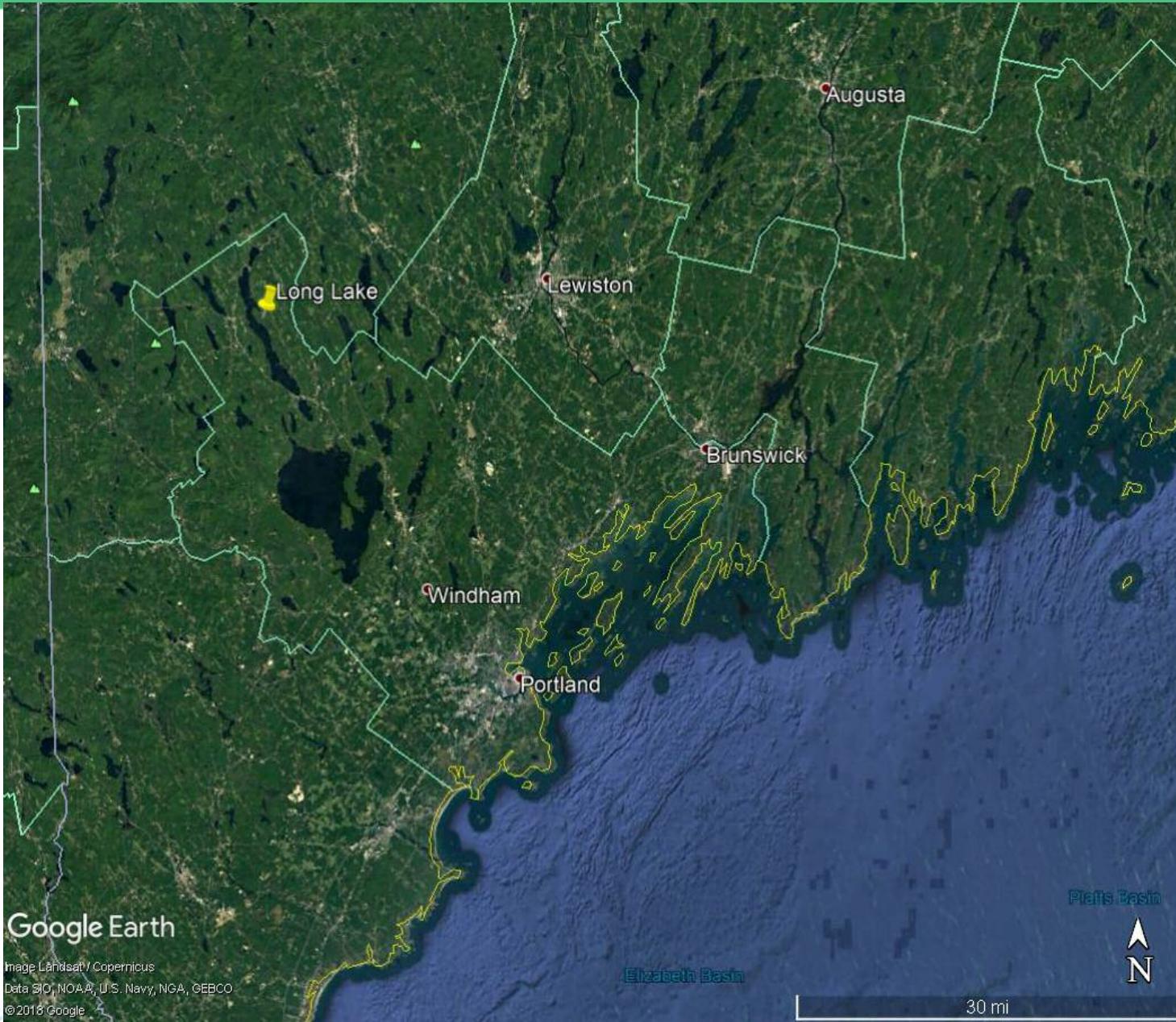
# Variable-Leaved Water-Milfoil (*Myriophyllum heterophyllum*)

## Rapid Response Long Lake, Maine

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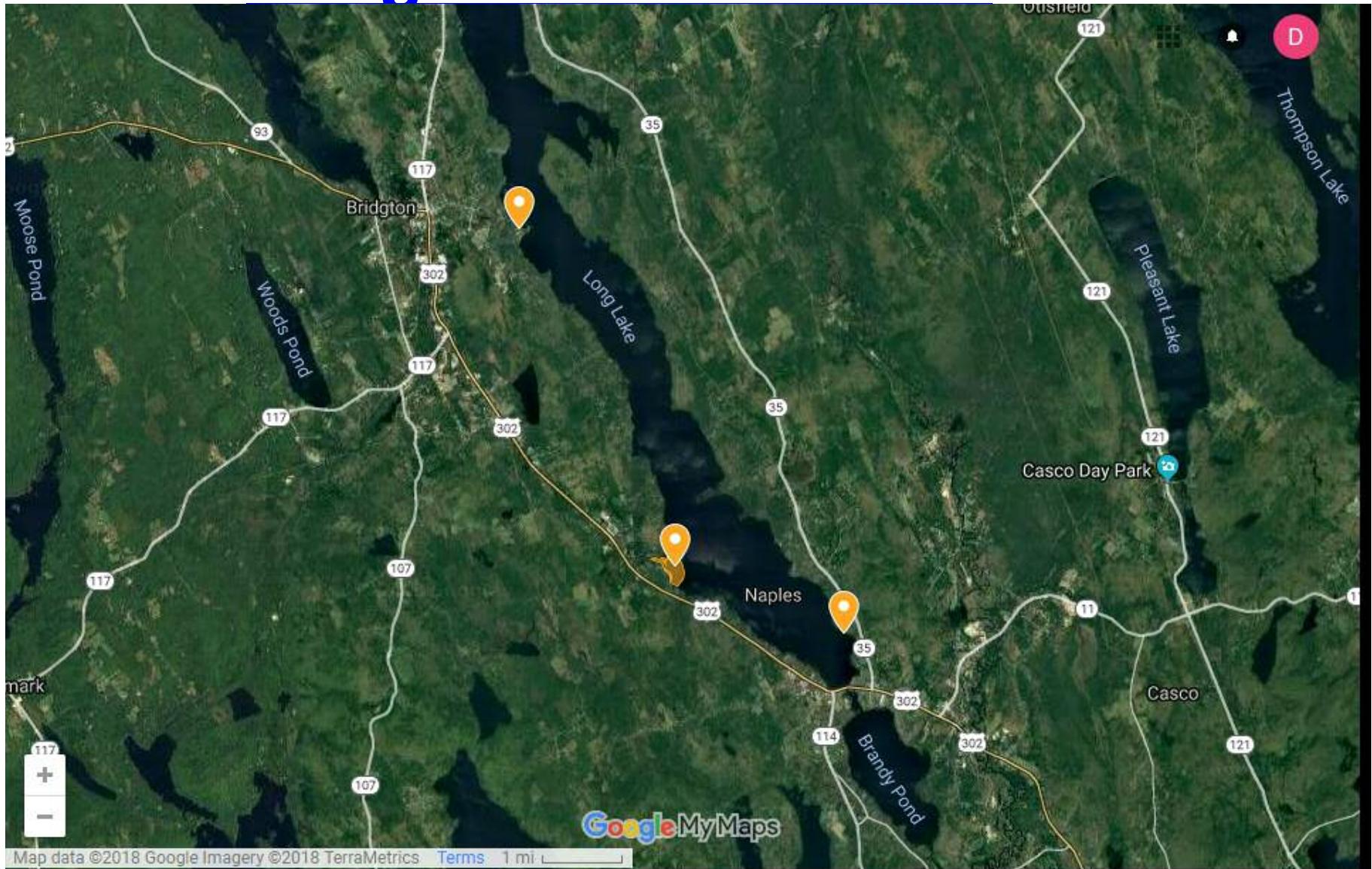
# Discovery August 2017



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# 2018 Methods

## DASH

### (Diver Assisted Suction Harvesting)



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# Benthic Barriers.



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# Long Lake Rapid Response Expenses

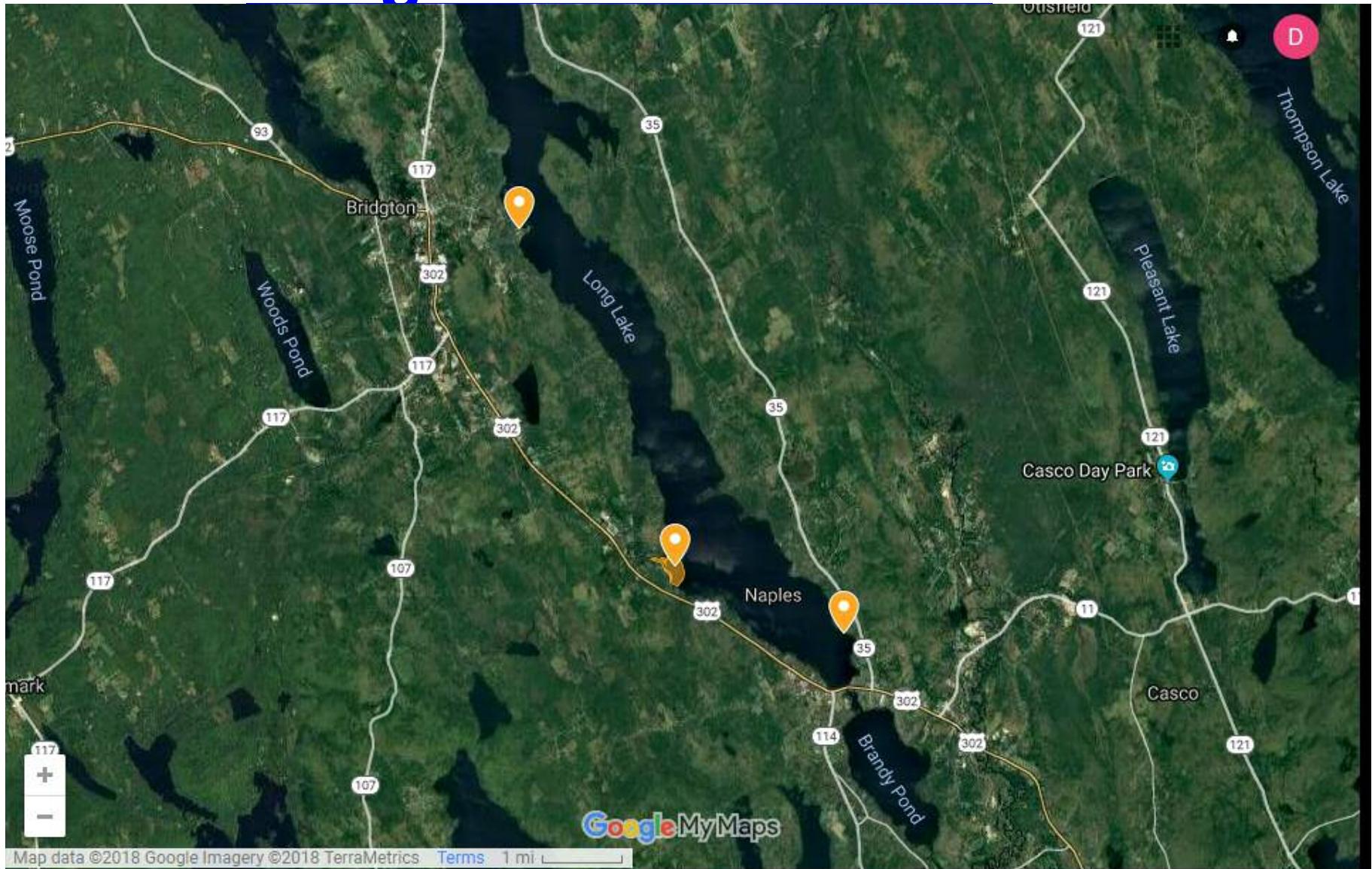
Divers	\$14,453.98
Project Coordinator (120 hours @ \$30/hr)	\$3,600.00
Fuel	\$292.48
Mileage	\$148.95
Equipment	\$1096.14
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$19,591.55</b>



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# Four Seasons Marina



Before



After



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