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I am certain that you are and have been aware of the dangers to the environment of imidacloprid! To even consider using this horribly toxic chemical in Willapa Bay and Grays Bay is unthinkable. The species you want to control are native species that -- whether you choose to recognize it or not -- play an important role in the ecology of the region. The poison you use in the water will be taken up by every organism, plant and animal, whether it kills it or not. That means that anything from those bays that is eaten by people will also be adding to the burden of toxins that human consumers are already subject to.

This insanity with the reckless dependence on toxins, at any cost to people or the environment, has to stop!!! As the expression goes: THE BUCK (must) STOP HERE (with you),