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In the first place, let us for a change hold to our treaties with Native peoples. Let us recognize, honor and protect the cultural and religious significance of wild rice to those people. Let us not further diminish and pollute the waters in which it grows. In the second place, as a resident of Minnesota I do not consent to drastic increases in "allowable" pollution levels in any of the waters in my state! This resource sustains us all, and we should be working to undo the harm we have already done, rather than justifying further harm for the sake of corporate profits.