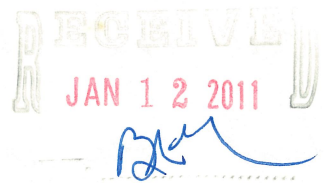


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Please reconsider any actions to raise water levels in lake Michigan. We have lived in our home (built in 1918) since 1969. During this time we lost an entire front dune. Along with that there was a patio and a small boat house. Altho we looked into sea walls, they were too expensive for us. The only option seemed to be to sell. Of course, the property value had gone way down. We were within 30 yards of the water. Now we are probably 100 yards from the water and a small pore dune has formed. For the moment we are protected by ice. The area from St Joseph Mi to Michigan City IN is the area that I know. Erosion during high water has taken houses and beaches. Our 2010 level is only slightly below average during the last 100 years. I admit that