## State Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Prevention Funds Potentially Reduced

- Currently State funds \$10 million to counties for AIS control
- State wanting to reduce by 50%, to \$5 million annually
- Wright County \$240,000 AIS budget in 2024
- No final budget decision yet
- Legislators adjourn May 19, 2025
- Budget needs to pass by June 30, 2025
- Devasting if AIS funding is reduced
- Thank you to those who wrote letters to legislators and governor