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### **Whitefish Lake Institute Finds New Headquarters in Downtown Whitefish**

WHITEFISH, MT, November 3, 2014 – The Whitefish Lake Institute today announced its move to downtown Whitefish. The new office is located at 550 E. 1<sup>st</sup> Street, #103 between Mi Casa and Runner Up Sports.

The Whitefish Lake Institute (WLI) enjoyed almost ten years at its original location on Denver Street just west of Wisconsin Avenue. The building was recently sold, leaving WLI needing to move its office. “Although we were sad to move, we are thrilled to have secured a location closer and more visible to the community we serve,” said founder and executive director Mike Koopal. “We appreciate how fairly we were treated as a nonprofit renter at that location for so many years.”

The new office houses the Executive Director, Science & Education Director, Environmental Scientist, Finance & Administrative Manager, and a small shared area. It also provides meeting space for the organization’s board of directors’ and committee meetings as well as meetings with partners and the public.

#### About Whitefish Lake Institute

Founded in 2005, the Whitefish Lake Institute is a 501 (3)(c) non-profit organization committed to science, education, and community stewardship to protect and improve Whitefish Lake and Whitefish area water resources today, while providing a collective vision for tomorrow.

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