

It's definitely quite labor intensive for a few reasons. Like I mentioned to you, fitting one inside the extra fabric of the next one is pretty tough (one action photo for you).



Pounding in the wooden stakes is not the easiest job either. As you can see, we have a hard sand substrate that resists the stakes after about 6" deep. The design specs calls for them, but you may want to consider cables and duck-bills. Not sure how tight you can do that though without harming the integrity of the curlex. May be worth a try on a



smaller site. Also, getting holes punched through the curlex to install livestakes isn't easy. We obtained a 6 foot length of rebar that we grinded to a point to hammer through with a post pounder. Then the livestakes slipped in pretty easy.



We installed a total of 376 feet along the two tips of the island. The Legend Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District helped immensely to complete this project as they paid half the cost and supplied the boats and most personnel. We completed the install in about 10 hours with 7 people. There was a little time spent on land as well getting all the supplies loaded and live stakes gathered (I cut them myself from some wet ditches).