

River Ambassador's Report

SuAsCo Wild & Scenic

RSC Meeting

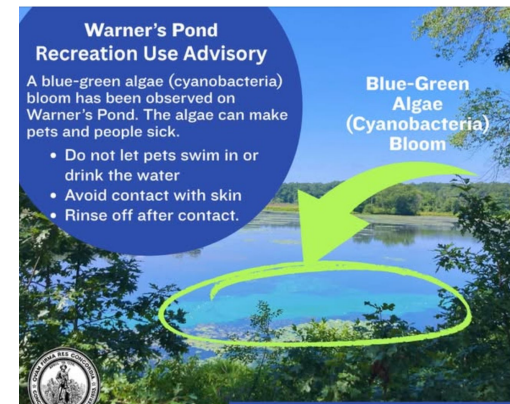
July 29, 2025

Warners Pond Update

Concord's Natural Resources Commission (July 16th Meeting) Agreed to One Year Monitoring (with option for additional years)

- **Preparation and implementation of an Adaptive Management Plan for Warner's Pond, with clear and specific goals, metrics, and performance targets**
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- **Convening of a multi-stakeholder Warner's Pond Management Committee, that among other duties as listed below, would develop the Adaptive Management Plan**

Cyanobacteria warning issued
uly 28th for the Pond



Tabling Events

Billerica Farmers Market - Marlies and Ellie 6/23

Wayland Farmers Market - 7/26



Future Events

- **Maynard - August 16 9 - 1**
- **Carlisle - ??? Saturdays 8 - 12**
- **Framingham - ??? \$20 Thursdays 3 - 7**
- **Bedford Day - 9/20 \$25**
- **Concord Ag Day - September 2, Submitted application**



Water Quality Monitoring

Water Quality Monitoring - July 13 Concord River

SITES (approximate street address for GPS)

1. **CND-110** Rt. 225 (274 Carlisle Rd., Bedford)
2. **CND-036** Bristol and Amherst (10 Amherst St. Billerica)
3. **RVM-005** River Meadow Br. (748 Gorham St., Lowell)
4. **CND-009** Rogers St. (33 Merrill St, Lowell)

Bacteria/Chlorophyll Monitoring- Upper Sudbury - July 14

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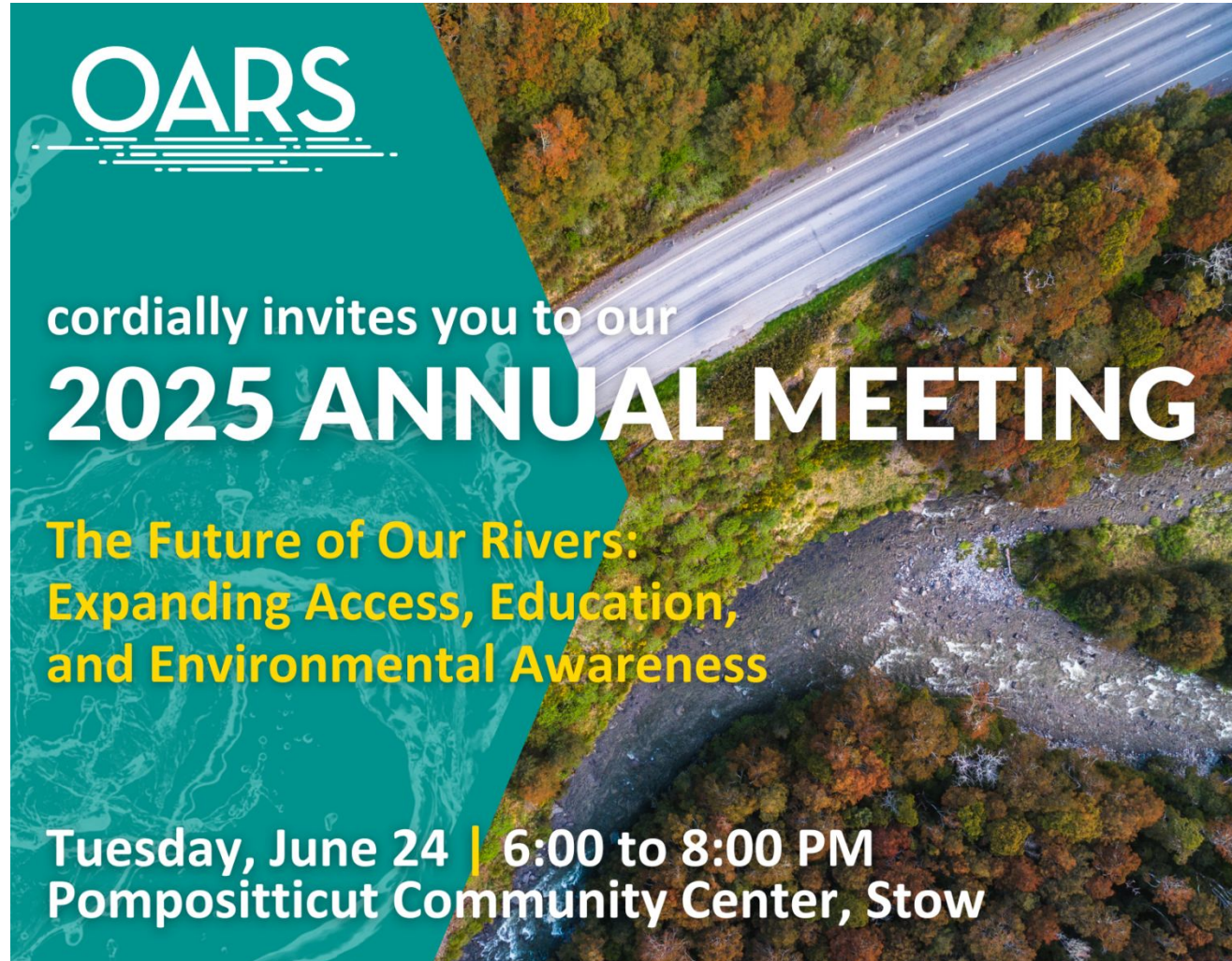
1. **SUD-236** Rt. 135 (60 Chestnut St, Ashland)
2. **SUD-177** Kellog St (5 Kellog St, Framingham)
3. **SUD-144** Danforth Ct (3 Sudbury Landing, Framingham)
4. **ABT-033** Assabet, Rt. 62 (1149 Main St, Concord)

Summer Solstice at Old Manse

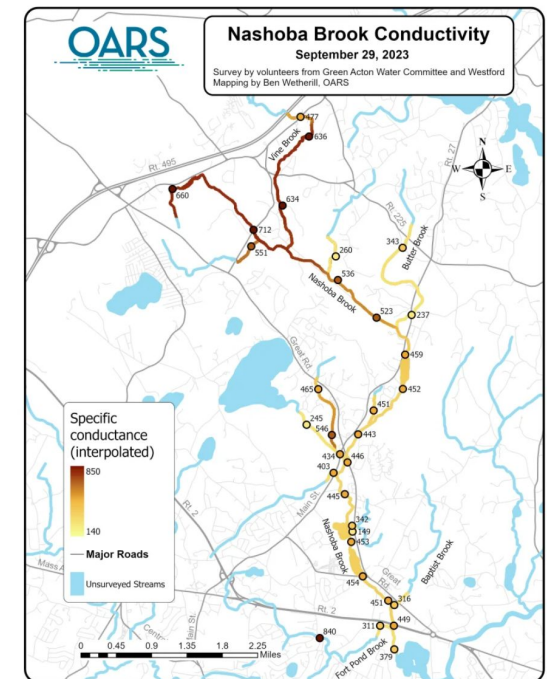
Co-sponsored with Art for All and Musketaquid - June 21, 2025



OARS Annual Meeting - June 24, Stow



Kim Kastens, Acton
Salt in the Nashoba
Brook Watershed



Meeting with new EPA Regional Administrator organized by MA Rivers Alliance June 26, 2025

Mark Sanborn

Priorities - Top Down

Smaller EPA

Streamlined Permitting

Centralized government

Fossil fuel expansion

Automotive industry support



Water Chestnut Removal

Concord River in Carlisle by Jonathan DeKock, July 19th
Sponsored by Carlisle Conservation Foundation and OARS



JOIN US FOR OUR
WATER CHESTNUT PULL

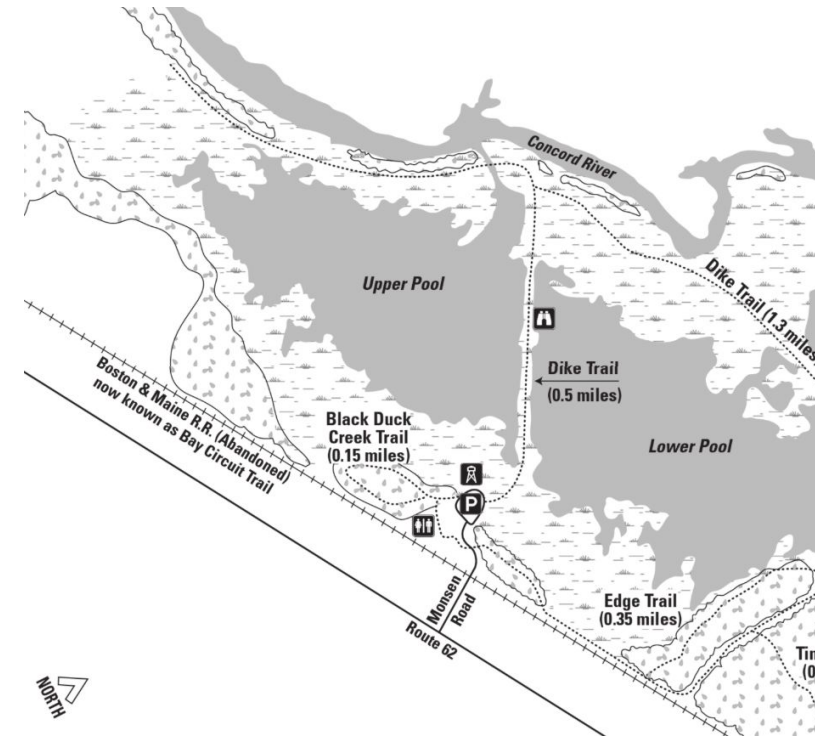
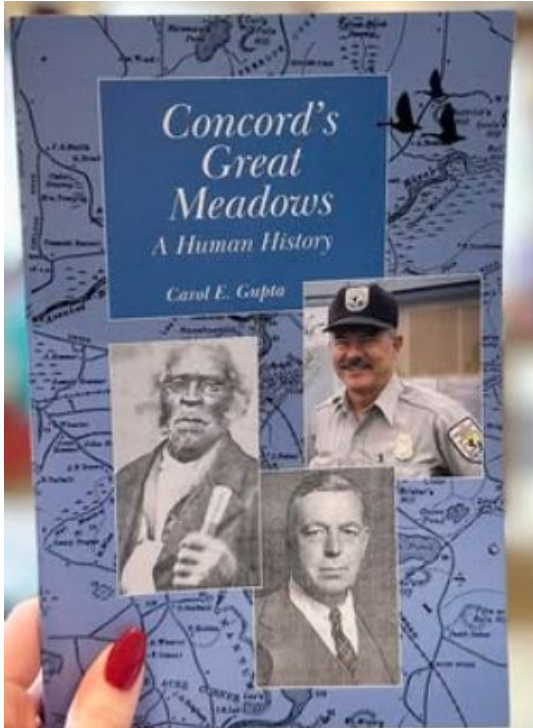
Mark Your Calendars  Saturday, July 19th | 9:00-12:00 PM
Bedford Boat Ramp, 285-305 Carlisle Rd, Bedford

Water chestnut is a fast-growing, aquatic invasive species that can quickly overtake water bodies. Your help is crucial in removing these

Sat, Jul 19
Concord River Water Chestnut Pull
Boat Ramp, Bedford, MA, 01730
Shared to Massachusetts Kayak/Canoe community

☆ Interested

Presentation to Fowler (West Concord Library) Afoot Concord's Great Meadows July 23, 2025



Aquatic Invasive Species Identification

July 29th, Hopkinton



Tom Flannery and Toni Stewart, DCR

River Status

Low Water

Assabet too low to paddle

Emergent delta at confluence



Future Events

Dragonfly Mercury Project - July 31

Framingham, Hudson and North Bridge

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Sherman's Bridge Renovation by Town of Sudbury

Asphalt deck

Schedule unknown