You are Invited! Water, Weather, Climate and Community Workshop 10:

Navigating Wetlands and Shoreland Permitting in Tidal New Hampshire

(a follow up workshop to the 2014 Shoreline Management Conference)

June 23, 2015; 5:00-7:30 p.m. Hugh Gregg Coastal Conservation Center at the Great Bay Discovery Center 89 Depot Road, Greenland, N.H. Directions: <u>http://www.greatbay.org/visit/index.htm</u>

The workshop is FREE, but space is limited. A light dinner will be provided. <u>Click here to register.</u> Please register by 8:00 a.m. on 6/22. Contact Steve Miller (steve.miller@wildlife.nh.gov) with any questions.

This workshop is a follow up to the NH Shoreline Management Conference held in December 2014. It is intended to help participants understand the wetland and shoreland permitting process in NH. Join us for a conversation with the NH Department of Environmental Services Wetlands Bureau staff about how the permitting process works, the difference between wetlands and shoreland permits, and how these permits relate to the spectrum of shoreline management approaches.

Who Should Attend?

This workshop is designed for individuals and organizations that are interested and/or involved in wetland and shoreland permitting in NH including **property owners**, **engineers**, **environmental consultants**, and **municipal board** and **commission members**. Community organizations, residents, and members of the NH Coastal Risks and Hazards Commission are also welcome.

What to Expect

- Learn about how the wetlands and shoreland permitting processes work and how they are designed to protect water quality, fish and wildlife habitat, and other valuable NH natural resources.
- Discuss these permits with staff from NH Department of Environmental Services Wetlands Bureau.



Draft Agenda

- 5:00 Dinner and Networking
- 5:30 Introduction & Welcome
- 5:40 Overview of Wetlands Permits
- 6:20 Overview of Shoreland Permits
- 7:00 Guided Discussion
- 7:30 Adjourn

This shoreline management workshop is coordinated by the N.H. Coastal Adaptation Workgroup which convened in 2010 to help New Hampshire's coastal watershed communities learn about and utilize existing resources and locate additional assistance to better prepare for climate effects in order to protect their social, economic, human and environmental health.

