

# 2021 CLIMATE SUMMIT

*Staying the Course, Moving Ahead:  
Progress Towards a More Resilient Coastal Watershed*



## AGENDA

DAY 1 – WEDNESDAY, MAY 26	
<b>1:00pm</b>	<b>Day 1 Welcome from CAW Co-Chair</b> <i>Sherry Godlewski, NH Department of Environmental Services</i>
<b>1:15pm</b>	<b>2019-2020 NH Coastal Flood Risk Summary</b> <i>Nathalie DiGeronimo, NHDES Coastal Program</i>
<b>1:35pm</b>	<b>Keynote Address</b> <i>A.R. Siders, Assistant Professor, University of Delaware</i>
<b>2:20pm</b>	<b>Seacoast Transportation Corridor Vulnerability Assessment</b> <i>Julie LaBranche, Rockingham Planning Commission</i>
<b>2:35pm</b>	BREAK
<b>2:45pm</b>	<b>Hampton Flood Mitigation Study</b> <i>Jennifer Hale, Town of Hampton</i>
<b>3:00pm</b>	<b>Climate Resilience in the Prescott Park Master Plan</b> <i>Cheri Ruane, Weston &amp; Sampson</i>
<b>3:15pm</b>	<b>Forward-Looking Floodplain Mapping in Lee, NH</b> <i>Kyle Pimental, Strafford Regional Planning Commission</i>
<b>3:30pm</b>	<b>Lessons Learned from Community-Based Programs</b> <i>Alyson Eberhardt, NH Sea Grant and UNH Extension</i>
<b>3:45pm</b>	<b>Day 1 Wrap Up and Closing Remarks</b> <i>Kirsten Howard, NHDES Coastal Program</i>
<b>4:00pm</b>	ADJOURN

DAY 2 – THURSDAY, MAY 27	
<b>9:00am</b>	<b>Day 2 Welcome from CAW Co-Chair</b> <i>Abigail Lyon, Piscataqua Region Estuaries Partnership</i>
<b>9:15am</b>	<b>Climate Champion Award Presentation</b> <i>Nathalie DiGeronimo, NHDES Coastal Program</i>
<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Portsmouth Extended Flood Hazard Area</b> <i>Peter Britz, City of Portsmouth</i>
<b>9:45am</b>	<b>Rye Climate Adaptation and Resilience Standards</b> <i>Kim Reed, Town of Rye</i>
<b>10:00am</b>	<b>Sawyer Mill Dam Removal from a Flood Perspective</b> <i>Kevin Lucey, NHDES Coastal Program</i>
<b>10:15am</b>	BREAK
<b>10:25am</b>	<b>Virtual Field Trip to Wagon Hill Farm</b> <i>Tom Ballestero and David Burdick, University of New Hampshire</i>
<b>10:45am</b>	<b>Comprehensive Plan for Resilient Salt Marsh</b> <i>Cory Riley, Great Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve</i>
<b>11:00am</b>	<b>Drought Status and Outlook for Coastal NH</b> <i>Tom O'Donovan, NH Department of Environmental Services</i>
<b>11:15am</b>	<b>Snow Cover, Vernal Windows, and Winter Whiplash</b> <i>Elizabeth Burakowski, University of New Hampshire</i>
<b>11:30am</b>	<b>Design Snow Water Equivalent and Snowmelt</b> <i>Jennifer Jacobs, University of New Hampshire</i>
<b>11:45am</b>	<b>Day 2 Wrap Up and Closing Remarks</b> <i>Cory Riley, Great Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve</i>
<b>12:00pm</b>	ADJOURN