

MACC ANNUAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCE

SCHEDULE—AT A GLANCE

March 2, 2019

Series A 9:45 AM - 11:00 AM	Series B 11:15 PM – 12:30: PM	Series C 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM	Series D 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
1. Protecting Resource Areas/Wildlife Habitat along Electric Transmission Rights-of-Way	9. Wetland Mitigation Success Report: Next Steps; Update of the BVW Delineation Manual	16. Invasive Freshwater Species in Massachusetts: Diversity, Prevention, and Regulations	24. Dam Removal and Sediment Management: New Statewide Guidance; Case Study
2. Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage: Regulatory Performance Standards	10. Nature-based Bioengineering for Coastal Stabilization: Recent Advances	17. A New Protocol for Assessing Tidal Stream Crossings	25. Incorporating Climate Change Resilience into Local Wetland Bylaws and Regulations
3. Reviewing Wetland Mitigation Plans	11. Solar SMART Incentive Program: An Overview	18. Resilient Land Use and Zoning Policies	26. Case Study in Resiliency and Remediating a Coastal Mess: Shafer Paper Site
4. Protecting Massachusetts Vernal Pools	12. Non-chemical Strategies for Managing Common Invasive Species: Whole Plant Removal	19. New Massachusetts State Hazard Mitigation and Climate Adaptation Plan	27. Invasive Management in Urban Areas: Watershed Association Perspective
5. Prioritizing land Conservation: Data Sources and Tools	13. Applying Land Use Futures Scenarios to Conservation Planning	20. Conserving Open Space with Chapter 61: Program Overview and Purpose	28. Climate Adaptation to Protect Species and Ecosystems
6A. Hands-on Plant ID: Common Woody Plants of Massachusetts Freshwater Wetlands (Double Session)	6B. Hands-on Plant ID: Common Woody Plants of Massachusetts Freshwater Wetlands (Double Session)	21. Bringing Wetland Science and Conservation to the Classroom: An Educational Collaboration	29. Compensatory Restoration of Wetlands and Streams: Natural Resources Damages
7. Green Infrastructure Goes Mainstream: Benefits and Applications	14. MS4 General Permit: Intersection with Wetlands Protection Act Jurisdiction and Requirements	22. New NPDES MS4 Permit: Maximizing Funding, Staff Capacity, Support for Municipal Stormwater Programs	30. Wildlife Habitat Assessments: How Commissions can Evaluate and Mitigate Potential Impacts to Wildlife
8. Climate Resilience and MVP: Planning, Funding, Implementation	15. Shared Use Trails Initiative: Planning, Design, Environmental Protection	23. Siting Solar Arrays: Questions and Answers	

FUNDAMENTALS FOR CONSERVATION COMMISSIONERS UNITS

9:45 AM - 12:15 PM	1:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Unit 201: Getting Home Before Midnight: How to Run an Effective Meeting	Unit 206: Stormwater Requirements for Wetlands Protection
Unit 205: Effective Erosion and Sediment Control	Unit 208: Wetland Buffer Zones: Considering the Science while Applying the Regulations

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