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August 15 Issue: August 1-August 15

COASTAL NEWS CLIPS

Great Bay Clips

[Great Bay Nitrogen Non-Point Source Study Available for Public Comment](#); The public comment period for the report has been extended from 30 days to 90 days. **Comments will now be accepted until 4:00 pm on August 16, 2013**; N.H. Department of Environmental Services

Water and Stormwater Clips

[Shea-Porter to Tour Stormwater Projects in Rochester today](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 14

[Jady Hill neighborhood sewer work nears end](#), Seacoast Online, August 6

[Newmarket wins \\$12M federal help with wastewater](#), Seacoast Online, August 3

[Shea-Porter announces \\$10.3m loan, \\$1.9m grant for waste water facility](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 3

[Canine sleuth sniffing for clues at beach](#), Seacoast Online, August 2

[Dogs who really know their business: Trained to find human waste in waterways](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 2

[Newmarket treatment plant project to receive grants](#), Seacoast Online, August 2

[Phillips Exeter Academy well access discussions continue](#), Seacoast Online, August 2

[Visit from the EPA High-level official checks out UNH Stormwater Center](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 2

[Conservationists ask EPA to better regulate storm water runoff](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 1

Beach and Ocean Clips

[Grant will fund beach, shellfish pollution study](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 12

[NH becomes home port of newest NOAA mapping vessel](#), Associated Press, Westport News August 10

[Current Listing of Beach Advisories](#), NHDES Beach Inspection Program

Coastal Hazards and Climate Change Clips

[Climate change expert coming to Portsmouth](#), Seacoast Online, August 15

[Seacoast leaders urge action on climate change](#), Seacoast Online, August 14

[Hampton, Seabrook face extreme property loss as sea level rises](#), Seacoast Online, August 11

[Predicting an Era of Destruction](#), Seacoast Online, August 4

Restoration Clips

[Exeter seeks public feedback on Great Dam](#), Seacoast Online, August 13

[Deadline nears for comments on dam report](#), Seacoast Online, August 9

[Researchers seek non-native species that threaten NH's coast](#), press release, Seacoast Online, August 2

[Habitat restoration: progress being made through cooperative efforts](#), Gulf of Maine Times, July 31

Fish Clips

[Public Hearing September 3 on Groundfish Rules, New Hampshire](#)

[Fish and Game Press Release](#), August 12

[Disease could hit lobster population](#), Associated Press, Seacoast Online, August 12

Energy Clips

[NRC closes action list for N-plant's concrete problem](#), Newburyport Daily News, August 13

Education Clips

[Children Learn To Be Good Stewards Of The Great Bay](#), NHPR, August 3

Volunteer Clips

[Become a Cooperative Extension Natural Resources Steward](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 4

[Coastal Research Volunteers Opportunities](#), NH SeaGrant and UNH Cooperative Extension

[Volunteer Opportunities for the Blue Ocean Discovery Center at Hampton Beach, N.H.](#) volunteers needed to help staff educators answer questions, teach the public about marine life, and assist with children's activities.

Public Access Clips

[Baxter Lake Boat Ramp in Rochester to be closed for repairs beginning August 19, 2013](#), New Hampshire Fish and Game Press Release

[Discovery center offers unique experience](#), Seacoast Online, August 9

[Discover the Great Bay National Wildlife Refuge](#), Seacoast Online, opinion, August 6

[Conor Makem: Blue Job Mtn.: Go for the blueberries, stay for the view](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, August 4

[Active Outdoors: Sunset paddle on Great Bay](#), Concord Monitor, August 3

Business Clips

[Fare, service, sustainability win award for UNH Dairy Bar](#), Foster's Daily Democrat, July 29

[Students and restaurants choose to turn food waste into compost](#),
Seacoast Online, July 22

Other Clips

[UNH ranked in top 20 'cool schools' for sustainability](#), Union Leader,
August 15

[Judge approves DES deal for Toyota of Portsmouth development](#),
Seacoast Online, August 15

[Rye home demolition case reaches N.H. Supreme Court](#), Seacoast
Online, August 7

[Durham asks state to help save pool: Hopes to get New Hampshire
Division of Historical Resources in its corner](#), Foster's Daily Democrat,
August 6

[UNH student recycling program expands](#), Seacoast Online, August 5

GRANT AND REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS ANNOUNCEMENTS

[Climate Network Coordination and Preparing Canadian Climate
Website Content, for Integrated Planning and Decision-making](#) –
Request for Qualifications, Gulf of Maine Council on the Marine Environment,
submittal deadline August 16

PUBLIC COMMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Comment](#); The public comment period for the report has been extended from
30 days to 90 days. Comments will now be accepted until 4:00 pm on August
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[Help NHDES to Target Water Quality Restoration and Protection
Activities](#); The NHDES Watershed Assistance Section is currently updating
New Hampshire's Nonpoint Source Management Plan that identifies priority
watersheds to target water quality restoration and protection activities. DES
has completed this prioritization and would like input.

NEW PUBLICATIONS AND RESOURCES

[Draft Great Bay Nitrogen Non-Point Source Study, Section V – Model Results for Subwatersheds and Municipalities in the Piscataqua Region, Appendices](#); publication, N.H. Department of Environmental Services

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 28, 5:30-7:30pm; [Contemporary Coastal Issues Speaking Series](#), UNH Research Scientist and Associate Director of the NH Water Resources Research Center Michelle Daley. Join her to learn about how diffuse sources of nitrogen pollution travel from our communities to the Great Bay.

September 21, 10am-2pm (hours may vary by site); [New Hampshire Coastal Cleanup Day](#); Volunteers are needed to help pick up trash on approximately 30 sites along our coast and Great Bay!

[More Volunteer Beach Cleanups](#); Various times and locations; Blue Ocean Society for Marine Conservation

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