Statewide Standards for Timber Harvesting in the Shoreland Area* Map

This map is ADVISORY, for planning purposes only. Actual ground conditions and water body locations determine where and how MFS timber harvesting rules apply. Contact the MFS for additional information. See MFS Rule - Chapter 21 for additional information.

Drainage Points

1. 60 Acre Drainage Point (10 acre buffer)
2. 120 Acre Drainage Point (30 acre buffer)
3. 1200 Acre Drainage Point (120 acre buffer)
4. 6 Square Mile Drainage Point (250 acre buffer)
5. 40 Square Mile Drainage Point (1000 acre buffer)
6. 160 Square Mile Drainage Point (4000 acre buffer)

Buffers

1. 25 Foot Buffer - Stream
2. 75 Foot Buffer - Stream
3. 300 Foot Buffer - Stream
4. 1200 Foot Buffer - Stream

Habitat

1. Essential Wildlife Habitat (Endangered, Rare, Threatened, Sensitive, and Other)
2. Non-forested Wetlands Greater Than 10 acres
3. Non-forested Wetlands (Lacustrine, Palustrine)
4. Tidal Waters (Least Tern, Roseate Tern, Piping Plover)
5. Coastal Wetlands
6. Rivers below the 25 square mile drainage point

Forest Operation Notification & Shoreland Area* Map

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Non-forested Wetlands Greater Than 10 acres
Endangered or Rare Wildlife
Non-forested Wetlands
LWCP - Unorganized or Disorganized Town
Outside Maine

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