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/assistance from a MFS Forester.

Statewide Standards for Timber Harvesting in the Shoreland Area* Map

Forest Operation Notification & Shoreland Area* Map

Southwest Harbor

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Wetlands
- Non-forested Wetlands Greater Than 10 acres
- Emergent or Maine Wetland

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*See MFS Rule - Chapter 21 for additional information.

Habitat
- Essential Wildlife Habitat
- Forested Terms
- Barren Terms
- Piping (Ponds)

Drainage Points
- 500 Acre Drainage Point (blue circle, 500 ft buffer)
- 25 Square Mile Drainage Point (red circle, 250 ft buffer)

Buffers
- 250 Foot Buffer Zones - Great Ponds
- 250 Foot Buffer Zones - Non-forested Wetlands greater than 10 acres
- 75 Foot Buffer Zones - Tidal Waters
- 75 Foot Buffer Zones - Non-forested Wetlands greater than 10 acres
- 300 acres, ponds and Non-forested Wetlands greater than 10 acres
- 1000 acres, ponds and Non-forested Wetlands greater than 10 acres

Non-forested Wetlands Greater Than 10 acres

Tidal Waters

Non-forested Wetlands Greater Than 10 acres

Great Ponds

250 Foot Buffer Zones
- Great Ponds
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75 Foot Buffer Zones
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300 acres, ponds and Non-forested Wetlands greater than 10 acres

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Shoreline buffer lengths apply to 7500 ft FED streams & estuaries.