

2025 Watershed Managers Roundtable Agenda

November 14, 2025

Deering Building, 90 Blossom Lane, Augusta

8:30 – 9:00 Networking and Breakfast Snacks

9:00 – 9:20 Welcome and Introductions

9:20 – 9:55 Relocating a Shoreline Road to Protect Adams Pond

Rebecca Jacobs, Boothbay Region Water District

9:55– 10:30 Instream Restoration Projects - Case Studies in Goodall Brook and Bear Brook

Melissa Brandt, York County SWCD; Adam Bliss, City of Saco; John Field, Field Geology Services

10:30 -10:45 BREAK

10:45-11:20 Assessing the Water Quality Risks in the Shoreland Zone in Brunswick

Dan Devereux, Town of Brunswick

11:20- 12:00 Engagement at the Town and Community Level

Lessons Learned in Community Engagement: From Watershed Management to River Restoration

Bina Skordas, FB Environmental

Town-Wide Watershed Planning in Gray

Heather Hunt, Cumberland County SWCD

12:00-12:15 BREAK & Lunch Set-up

12:15 – 1:15 Potluck Lunch

1:15 – 2:15 Full Group Open Roundtable - A Sharing of Minds

Come prepared to share information about projects, events, publications, and initiatives.

2:15 – 2:30 BREAK

2:30 – 3:30 Lightning Talks

MDEP Permitting: Updates on Things you Didn't Want to Know

John Maleri, Maine DEP

If You Build Them, They Will Come: Inspiring Stewardship with Buffer Bundles at China Lake

Abby Quinn, Ecological Instincts

Turning Culverts into Engineered Bridges in Western Maine

Colin Holme, Lakes Environmental Assoc.

Innovative BMP for Road Right-of-Ways

Kate McDonald, GZA

Byte-Sized Wisdom- AI in Watershed Management

Jen Jespersen, Ecological Instincts

3:30 Final Remarks