





8th Annual Rhode Island

#### **Land & Water Conservation Summit**

....Working together to protect our communities

Saturday, March 26, 2011 7:45 am – 4:30 pm URI Memorial Union, Kingston Campus

This day-long conference provides Watershed Council, Land Trust, and Conservation Commission board members, staff, volunteers, Municipal Commission members and others interested in land and watershed conservation with the information, skills and connections you need to be effective.

Choose from over 25 Workshops offered during the Summit

Network with RI Conservation Leaders ♦ Visit Exhibits ♦ Learn how to be more successful

### **Program**

7:45 - 8:30	Registration & Continental Breakfast		
8:30 – 9:30	Welcome - Emcee: Peter August, URI Natural Resource Science Dept. Keynote - Steve Sloan - Boston Director - Trustees of Reservations Connecting People to Place and Your Conservation Mission		
9:30 – 10:20 9:30 – 9:50	Business Meetings - Networking - Visit Exhibits  Business Meetings: - RI Land Trust Council  - RI Association of Conservation Commissions		
10:20 - 11:30 11:30 - 11:45 11:45 - 12:55	Session I <b>Workshops</b> — Your choice from 9 offered  Break Session II <b>Workshops</b> — Your choice from 9 offered		
12:55 – 2:30	Lunch, Legislative Briefing & Awards - Senator Sosnowski – Chair, Environment & Agriculture Committee - Representative Handy – Chair, Environment & Natural Resources Committee - Peter Merritt Award & Blueways Stewardship Award		
2:45 - 4:00	Session III Workshops – Your choice from 9 offered		

**Registration: Early Registration Ends March 4** 

**\$40** before March 4 \$55 after March 4 includes Lunch

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# Workshops at a Glance

	<b>Session 1</b> 10:20 – 11:30 am	<b>Session 2</b> 11:45 am – 12:55 pm	<b>Session 3</b> 2:45 – 4:00 pm
Α	Restoring Urban/Suburban Watersheds Using a New Approach to TMDLs	Working with Communities to Tackle Stormwater	Dams in an Era of Climate Change
В	Appraisals for Land Conservation	Conservation Easement Basics	Partnerships in Protecting Farmland
С	How are We Doing with Cesspool Phase Out?	Who Owns Our Water?	Summer is Coming: How are our Beaches doing?
D	Preserving Historic & Conservation Values in Developed Landscapes	Managing Hunting on Protected Properties	Stewarding Our Protected Lands: New Tools to Meet New Challenges
Ε	Drawing out the Art in Earth/Creative Partnerships between Artists & Environmentalists	Working with Communities to Redesign Streets so They Make Sense!	Fish are Living in Our Rivers & Bay: Are They Safe to Eat?
F	Forest Stewardship on Protected Lands	Managing Habitats for Wildlife: Case Studies & Curiosities	Wind Power & Land Conservation
G	Affordable Housing & the Environment	Public Access to Waterways	Facilitating Collaboration among Conservation Commissions
Н	<b>Art of the Schmooze</b> (Fundraising Workshop - part 1)	<b>Grassroots Fundraising</b> (Fundraising Workshop - part 2)	Establishing a Bequest Society
I	What Makes a Great Board Meeting?	Zero-based Budgeting: Aligning Finance & Mission	GIS – Introducing the Community Resource Inventory

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## **Registration Form Rhode Island Land & Water Conservation Summit**

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URI Memorial Union, Kingston Location: Registration Cost (includes lunch and breaks):

Early Registration before March 4: \$40 After March 4: \$55

Name	Telephone Number	_				
Affiliation						
Land Trust Watershed Co	ouncil Conservation Commission	_ (check all that apply)				
I am a: Board Member/Trustee	; Volunteer; Staff; Othe	er				
Address	Email	Please PRINT CLEARLY				
(Note: we need email addresses if possible so that we can send you a parking pass for the University.)						
City	StateZip					
Can we include your name and conta	act information in the list of Summit attendees?	Yes;No				
	Water Partnership mailing list? Yes; Yes; OT sell or otherwise share our mailing or email list.	No				
<del>-</del>	r first choice workshop for each session: n I Session 2 Session 3					
(This will help us know how many p	people will attend each session and schedule rooms	s.)				
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Please subm	it your registration before March 4 if pos	ssible.				
Please submit A Senara	te registration for each person attend	ding the Summit				

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