

# SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

## Sunday, September 9

12:00 PM - 7:00 PM	<b>Conference Registration Desk Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
12:00 PM - 6:00 PM	<b>Sponsor &amp; Exhibitor Booth Set-up</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	<b>Welcome Reception with Sponsors &amp; Exhibitors</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
Evening	<b>Dinner on Own</b>	

## Monday, September 10

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	<b>Breakfast Buffet</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	<b>Conference Registration Desk Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	<b>Exhibit Area Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks Patricia Leavenworth, MassDOT Highway Division, Tom French, Division of Fisheries and Wildlife, Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program and Ronald Amidon, Commissioner. Massachusetts Department of Fish and Game</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM	<b>Concurrent Sessions:</b>	<i>See pages 10-11 for details</i>
	• <b>Partnering for Resilient Infrastructure and Ecosystems in Massachusetts Panel</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Research Track</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementation Track</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Policy Track</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM	<b>Awards Luncheon &amp; Keynote Speaker Tom Wessels, Antioch University New England</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>

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1:30 PM - 3:00 PM	<b>Concurrent Sessions:</b>	<i>See pages 10-11 for details</i>
	• <b>The Pollinator Plight: Case Studies in Roadside Vegetation Management for Pollinator Conservation Panel</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Research Track</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementation Track</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Policy Track</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	<b>☕ Coffee Break with Sponsors &amp; Exhibitors</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM	<b>Concurrent Sessions:</b>	<i>See pages 12-13 for details</i>
	• <b>Integrating Stream Habitat, Fish Passage, and Floor Vulnerability Data to Prioritize Culvert Replacements for Restoration and Mitigation in New Hampshire Panel</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Research Track</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementation Track</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Policy Track</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
5:30 PM - 5:45 PM	<b>Board Buses for Conference Dinner</b>	<i>Flint Lab Circle</i>
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	<b>Cocktail Reception &amp; Apple Picking at Quonquont Farm</b>	<i>Offsite</i>
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	<b>Conference Dinner at Quonquont Farm</b>	<i>Offsite</i>
8:00 PM - 8:45 PM	<b>Buses Return to UMass Hotel</b>	

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:** *Tom Wessels, Ecologist & Professor, Antioch University New England*

Tom Wessels is a terrestrial ecologist and professor emeritus at Antioch University New England where he founded the master's degree program in Conservation Biology. With interests in forest, desert, arctic, and alpine ecosystems, plus geomorphology, evolutionary ecology, complex systems science, and the interface of landscape and culture, Tom considers himself a generalist. He has conducted workshops on ecology and sustainability throughout the country for over three decades. He is the author of numerous books with his latest being *Granite, Fire, and Fog: The Natural and Cultural History of Acadia*.



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## Tuesday, September 11

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	<b>Breakfast Buffet</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
7:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Conference Registration Desk Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
7:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Exhibit Area Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM	<b>Concurrent Sessions:</b>	<i>See pages 14-15 for details</i>
	• <b>Analyzing the Hydraulic Capacity and Flood Resiliency of Culverts Across the Northeast Panel</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Research Track</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementation Track</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Policy Track</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
8:00 AM - 9:30 AM	<b>Poster Set-up</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	<b>Poster and Pastry Social</b> ( <i>See details page 17</i> )	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Concurrent Sessions:</b>	<i>See pages 14-15 for details</i>
	• <b>Bats, Birds, and Fish. Oh My! Endangered Species Act and Migratory Bird Treaty Act Updates and Ongoing</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Research Track</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementation Track</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Policy Track</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
12:00 PM - 12:30 PM	<b>Field Trip Preview</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
12:30 PM	<b>Grab &amp; Go Lunch</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
12:30 PM	<b>Board Buses for Field Trip</b>	<i>Flint Lab Circle</i>
12:45 PM - 5:00 PM	<b>Field Trip</b> ( <i>See details page 8</i> )	<i>Offsite</i>
Evening	<b>Dinner on Own</b>	

## Wednesday, September 12

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	<b>Breakfast Buffet</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
7:00 AM - 10:30 AM	<b>Exhibit Area &amp; Posters Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>

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7:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Conference Registration Desk Open</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	<b>Lightning Talks &amp; Workshops:</b>	<i>See pages 16-17 for details</i>
	• <b>Lightning Talks</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Where the River Meets the Road: MassDOT Training Program for Using Fluvial Geomorphology to Enhance Infrastructure Resiliency Workshop</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementing Ecological Connectivity from Labrador to Connecticut: A Workshop with the New England Governors and Eastern Canadian Premiers Working Group on Ecological Connectivity</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Keep it Together: Using the Nature's Network Conservation Design to Support a Resilient Landscape Workshop</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	<b>☕ Coffee Break with Sponsors, Exhibitors &amp; Posters</b>	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Floor Concourse</i>
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>Lightning Talks &amp; Workshops:</b>	<i>See pages 16-17 for details</i>
	• <b>Lightning Talks</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
	• <b>Where the River Meets the Road: MassDOT Training Program for Using Fluvial Geomorphology to Enhance Infrastructure Resiliency Workshop (continued)</b>	<i>Room 162-75</i>
	• <b>Implementing Ecological Connectivity from Labrador to Connecticut: A Workshop with the New England Governors and Eastern Canadian Premiers Working Group on Ecological Connectivity (continued)</b>	<i>Room 163C</i>
	• <b>Keep it Together: Using the Nature's Network Conservation Design to Support a Resilient Landscape Workshop (continued)</b>	<i>Room 165-69</i>
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	<b>Closing General Session &amp; Working Lunch</b>	<i>Campus Center Auditorium</i>
1:00 PM	<b>Adjourn</b>	