

Wetlands: Values, Threats, and Protection

Hudsonia and the Hudson River Estuary Program
are pleased to offer a new **webinar series** on Wetland conservation.



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In three 1.5-hour sessions we will discuss the **ecological and water resource values** of wetlands; **threats** to wetlands; **how to identify** unmapped wetlands on site plans and other maps using online tools and in the field; the status of state and federal **regulatory programs** for wetlands; and how to extend **local protections** to these important resources.

The program is especially designed for municipal officials, including members of **planning boards** and **conservation advisory councils**, and for members of **watershed groups, land trust staff**, and others who are regularly engaged in municipal or other large-scale planning, land use policy-making, reviewing land development proposals, advising landowners, or making land management or regulatory decisions.

Monday – Wednesday, 21–23 September 2020
3:00pm – 4:30pm each day

The event is free-of-charge but registration is required.

Contact Lea Stickle at lstickle@bard.edu or at 845-758-7053 by 14 September.

Or, you may apply via SurveyMonkey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CWZKFPQ>.

Space is limited, so early registration is recommended.

Municipal training certificates will be available.

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