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NH LAKES Offer New Lake-Friendly Living Webinar Series

Whether you live along the water, or far from it, this series is for you!

Concord, N.H., May 18, 2020 – NH LAKES is pleased to announce a new program—the LakeSmart Lake-Friendly Living webinar series. Whether you live along a lake or far from the nearest waterbody, if you maintain a household, yard, gravel road or driveway, or septic system, this webinar opportunity is for you! Join experts who are looking forward to sharing their time and tips with you on how to live in a lake-friendly way—all to help keep New Hampshire's 1,000 lakes clean and healthy.

This weekly, four-part series starts on Thursday, May 21, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with "Lake-Friendly Living: Are YOU LakeSmart?!" Attend this session and find out how the NH LAKES LakeSmart Program can help you live in a lake-friendly way, and how you can help encourage lake-friendly living as the norm in your community! Presented by NH LAKES—Andrea LaMoreaux, Vice President of Programs & Operations, and Krystal Costa Balanoff, Conservation Program Coordinator.

On Thursday, May 28, at 7:00 p.m., if you maintain a yard, tune in to the "Lake-Friendly Landscaping: How to Get the Landscape You'll Love & Protect Our Lakes" session. You'll hear from the experts from Belknap Landscape who have worked with property owners across the Lake Region to achieve beautiful properties while protecting the health of our lakes. Presented by Belknap Landscape—Hayden McLaughlin (Owner), Mark Smith (Project Department Head), and, Jeff Sirles (Brand Coordinator). Belknap Landscape is a full-service landscape company that has been serving the lakes region for over 30 years.

On Thursday, June 4, at 7:00 p.m., if your home is served by a septic system, don't miss the session "Lake-Friendly Living with Septic Systems." Russ Lanoie, a long-time wastewater management professional, about how these systems work, will explain and the dos and don'ts of lake-friendly living with septic systems.

And, on Thursday, June 11, at 7:00 p.m., if you maintain a gravel road or driveway, bure sure to tune in to the "Lake-Friendly Living with Gravel Roads & Driveways" session also presented by Russ Lanoie. Recognized as one of the most foremost authorities on camp road maintenance, Russ will discuss the do's and don'ts of lake-friendly living with unpaved roads and driveways. Russ has published an owner's manual for those who live and travel on dirt and gravel roads.

All these webinars are FREE, but pre-registration is required, and space is limited. Visit nhlakes.org/lake-friendly-living-webinar-series to learn more and sign up!

Established in 1992, the mission of NH LAKES, a statewide, member supported nonprofit organization, is to ensure that New Hampshire's 1,000 lakes are clean and healthy, now and in the future. To achieve its mission, NH LAKES works with partners, promotes clean water policies and responsible use, and inspires the public to care for our lakes. For more information, visit nhlakes.org, email info@nhlakes.org, or call 603.226.0299

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