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The Shoreland Protection Act (Chapter 49A of Title 10 §1441 *et seq.*) establishes a new state regulation for guiding shoreland development. The intent of the Act is to prevent degradation of water quality in lakes, preserve habitat and natural stability of shorelines, and maintain the economic benefits of lakes and their shorelands by defining standards for the creation of impervious surface and cleared area in shorelands.

Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting 2015 Information Sessions

May 29-30 — New England Chapter of the North American Lake Management Society

Location: Main Street Landing, Burlington, VT

Time: All Day

June 4 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: Boulder Beach State Park, Groton, VT

Time: 3:30-5:00 P.M.

June 16 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: Lake Morey Resort, Fairlee, VT

Time: 6:15-7:15 P.M.

June 30 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: Concord Town Hall, Concord, VT

Time: 6:15-7:15 P.M.

July 7 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: Maidstone State Park, Maidstone, VT

Time: 3:30-5:00 P.M.

July 23 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: Charleston Town Hall, Charleston, VT

Time: 6:15-7:15 P.M.

July 28 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: Brighton State Park, Island Pond, VT

Time: 3:30-5:00 P.M.

July 29 — Lake Encroachment & Shoreland Permitting Information Session

Location: NorthWoods Stewardship Center, East Charleston, VT

Time: 6:15-7:15 P.M.

August 14 — Memphremagog Watershed Association Watershed Workshop

Location: East Side Restaurant, Newport, VT

Time: All Day