



HPWA by the Numbers 2017

143,424

River Herring counted entering the ACEC from the Cape Cod Canal to spawn in Great and Little Herring Ponds in April-May (official MA DMF number from electronic counter)

4

Size of Otter "romp" recorded on infrared critter cam at the north end of Little Herring Pond

8

HPWA standing committees always welcoming volunteers to help with monitoring, education, and protecting the watershed

50

Screech Owl nest boxes built at HPWA Feb 11, 2017 workshop

HPWA eNewsletters distributed each quarter in 2017:

265

2,400

HPWA 22-page Stewardship Guides distributed since 2013

\$10,000

Generous end-of-2017 donation received from an appreciative GHP summer resident

551

People reached by Facebook post showing HPWA officers conveying \$5,000 check to Selectman Betty Cavacco - for Hedges Pond Park Assembly Hall renovation

\$15 - HPWA single member annual dues

17,000

Joint printing run (with NSRWA & M-LHFC) of HPWA mighty River Herring superhero comics

43.6

Acres protected as David E. Alper Nature Preserve

1600

Round number of Plymouth and Bourne households (and septic systems) within the state-designated Herring River Watershed Area of Critical Environmental Concern

30

Species labeled along the family-friendly 1/3-mile QR-coded Pine Barrens Plant ID Trail in David E. Alper Nature Preserve

\$235,000

Eagle Hill Drive grant-funded Runoff Remediation



"Likes" for HPWA Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/HerringPondWatershedAssociation/>

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HPWA Sustaining (\$100+) and Contributing (\$55+) members ~ Thank You!