

COASTAL COMMUNITY GRANTS: Coastal habitat restoration

City of South Portland Trout Brook Culvert Improvements



Source: Trout Brook Fish Barriers Map (Source: Casco Bay Watershed Fish Barriers Priorities Atlas, February 2012)

PARTNERS

Casco Bay Estuary Partnership, US Fish & Wildlife Service, South Portland Land Trust, Town of Cape Elizabeth, Maine Department of Environmental Protection

PROJECT DESCRIPTION (Anticipated completion December 2018)

The Trout Brook Culvert Improvements Project builds upon the City of South Portland's considerable efforts over the past several years to restore the water quality and aquatic habitat oft he brook. One of the key recommendations from the 2012 Trout Brook Watershed Management Plan is to enhance stream connectivity by improving or restoring fish passage at several culverts.

Grant funding for this project will assist the City in completing a Hydrologic & Hydraulic (H&H) study for the brook and allow for strategic culvert improvements with the assurance that no unintended consequences will occur as a result (i.e., flooding or stream channel impacts).

For more information

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