



MASSACHUSETTS WILDLIFE
CLIMATE ACTION TOOL

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Designed to Inform and Inspire Local Action as the Climate Changes

The climate is changing rapidly in Massachusetts, but the Massachusetts Climate Action Tool highlights actions we can take now to increase the ability of fish and wildlife, natural resources, and human communities to adapt to these changes.

The Tool makes the best available science accessible to local decision-makers, conservation practitioners, large landowners, and community leaders who want to take action to protect the Commonwealth's natural resources and help them adapt to a changing climate.



With the Massachusetts Wildlife Climate Action Tool, users can explore:

- ▶ information on climate change impacts, including over 30 climate variables
- ▶ vulnerabilities of various fish and wildlife and their habitats
- ▶ information about non-climate stressors such as development and loss of landscape connectivity
- ▶ on-the-ground adaptation strategies and actions to help maintain healthy, resilient natural communities in the face of climate change, including forestry practices, land protection, and restoring landscape connectivity.



The Tool provides local information specific to Massachusetts that organizations or communities can integrate into comprehensive climate adaptation plans or ongoing projects. The Tool has been developed as a dynamic platform that will continue to evolve as information becomes available and new partners come to the table. We welcome your feedback and participation.



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