

# Cove River

Field Sites: locations, descriptions, activities/protocols, procedures, timeline, rotation.







#### GLOBE Data Entry Site Names (for 21st Annual Meeting activities):

Cove River | GLOBE Data Entry Site Definitions | Login to use these for Site Data Entry

Cove River Atmosphere 01-on marsh top @ WQ 07

Latitude 41.259705, Longitude -72.961811, Elevation 2m

Cove River Atmos 02 - on trail amidst invasive knotweed

Latitude 41.261279, Longitude -72.961854, Elevation 3.5m

**Cove River Salt Marsh WQ 07** 

Latitude 41.259494, Longitude -72.961477, Elevation 2m

Cove River Fresh/Salt confluence WQ 04

Latitude 41.259469, Longitude -72.962172, Elevation 2.5m

**Cove River Forest 01** 

Latitude 41.260096, Longitude -72.962114, Elevation 4m

**Cove River Forest 02** 

Latitude 41.260662, Longitude -72.961883, Elevation 4m

Cove River Soil Core - Pixel Center: SCS-01

Latitude 41.2601, Longitude -72.96214, Elevation 4m

**Cove River Soils 02** 

Latitude 41.260677, Longitude -72.962134, Elevation 4m



## Cove River | Atmosphere 1

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

**Descriptions: Atmosphere Sites** 

Site is along the Trail at the location of the Invasive Asian Knotweed. The Site is protected from wind, and view of horizon in incomplete.

Activities/Protocols: Atmosphere

Clouds App, Charts, Kestrel/WeatherFlow; temp, humidity, winds, barometric pressure, dew point.

**Procedures:** Use GLOBE Observer Clouds App and Data Entry App, Charts, etc. Cloud Cover, Cloud Types, Contrails, Weather meters for temp, humidity, pressure, dew point, winds.

Timeline: 10:00am to 10:30am - may not take full 30 minutes.

**Rotation:** Atmosphere Team 1 will rotates to participate in Soil Protocols 1.





## Cove River | Atmosphere 2

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

Descriptions: Atmosphere Sites

Site is down near Hydrology Site for the Salt Marsh. Observations are made out on the Marsh top.

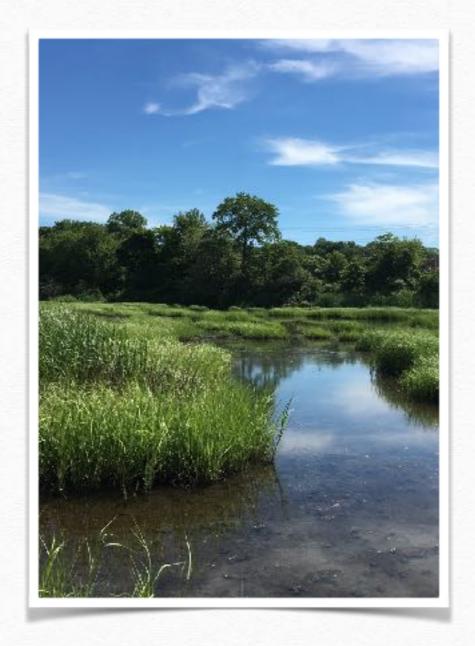
Activities/Protocols: Atmosphere

Clouds App, Charts, Kestrel/WeatherFlow; temp, humidity, winds, barometric pressure, dew point.

**Procedures:** Use GLOBE Observer Clouds App and Data Entry App, Charts, etc. Cloud Cover, Cloud Types, Contrails, Weather meters for temp, humidity, pressure, dew point, winds.

Timeline: 10:00am to 10:30am - may not take full 30 minutes.

**Rotation:** Atmosphere Team 2 will rotate to participate in Soil Protocols 2.





# Cove River | Hydrosphere 01

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

**Descriptions:** Hydrosphere Site - Salt Marsh
At the South end of the property on the east edge of the forest at the margin of the salt marsh.

Activities/Protocols: Hydrosphere
Water temperature, Dissolved Oxygen, pH,
Conductivity, Salinity, Transparency.

#### Procedures: Hydrosphere

- 1. Power Up LabQuest and insert Temp/DO/pH Probes
- 2. Cast bucket ~3-5m from shore, draw in and set on ground.
- 3. Immediately insert Temp, DO, pH Probes
- 4. Wait 3 minutes and if readings are stable, record readings; if not, swirl probes and wait another minute record readings.
- 5. Remove Probes and insert either Conductivity or Salinity.
- 6. Wait 3 minutes and record readings, swirl and wait if readings not stable; record readings | If readings are still drifting, make note "drifting".

Timeline: 10:00am to 11:00am & 11:00am to 12:00noon

Rotation: Hydrosphere 01 Team will rotate to

Hydrosphere 02 @ 11:00am





# Cove River | Hydrosphere 02

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

**Descriptions:** Hydrosphere Site - Fresh/Salt Confluence
At the confluence of the fresh water and salt marsh at the south end of the property.

Activities/Protocols: Hydrosphere
Water temperature, Dissolved Oxygen, pH,
Conductivity, Salinity, Transparency.

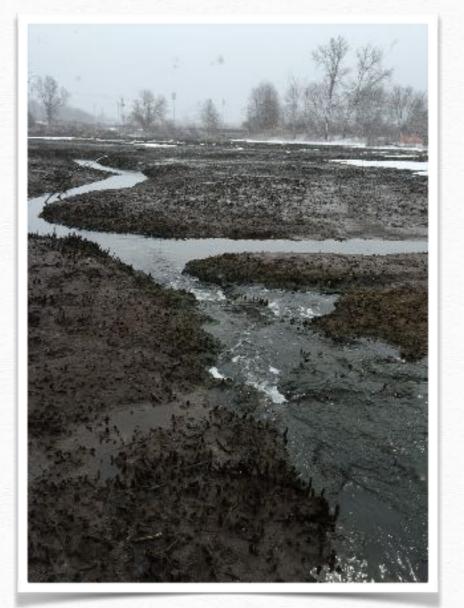
#### Procedures: Hydrosphere

- 1. Power Up LabQuest and insert Temp/DO/pH Probes
- 2. Cast bucket ~3-5m from shore, draw in and set on ground.
- 3. Immediately insert Temp, DO, pH Probes
- 4. Wait 3 minutes and if readings are stable, record readings; if not, swirl probes and wait another minute record readings.
- 5. Remove Probes and insert either Conductivity or Salinity.
- 6. Wait 3 minutes and record readings, swirl and wait if readings not stable; record readings | If readings are still drifting, make note "drifting".

Timeline: 10:00am to 11:00am & 11:00am to 12:00noon

Rotation: Hydrosphere 02 Team will rotate to

Hydrosphere 01 @ 11:00am





# SCove River | Hydrosphere

## Vernier LabQuest Base Unit & Probes:

#### LabQuest Base Unit:

This is a small Digital computer with ports for inserting a variety of probes.

#### LabQuest Main Screen

LabQuest immediately recognizes each Probe and should instantly show current readings.

#### Procedures: Hydrosphere

- 1. Power Up LabQuest and insert Temp/DO/pH Probes
- 2. Cast bucket ~3-5m from shore, draw in and set on ground.
- 3. Immediately insert Temp, DO, pH Probes
- 4. Wait 3 minutes and if readings are stable, record readings; if not, swirl probes and wait another minute record readings.
- 5. Remove Probes and insert either Conductivity or Salinity.
- 6. Wait 3 minutes and record readings, swirl and wait if readings not stable; record readings | If readings are still drifting, make note "drifting".

**Trouble Shooting:** If the screen looks other than shown at right, press the "Home" button to return to current Probe Readings.







## Cove River | Biometry 01

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

Descriptions: Biometry "Pixel" 1

30m x 30m Forest Canopy site; MUC 0231; Closed Canopy Deciduous/cold deciduous hardwood forest; temperate submontane. Located just south of the cluster of downed trees.

Activities/Protocols: Canopy Cover & ground Cover Follow Protocol guidelines, Use compass and 5m Tapes to set up 30m x 30m site; establish diagonals along which canopy and ground cover observations will be made using Densiometers. Use Clinometers to measure/calculate the height of the dominant/co-dominant trees, use Tree ID guides to identify species.

#### **Equipment:**

50m tapes, compass, flags, densiometers, clinometers, tree guides.

**Timeline:** 10:00am to 12:00noon

Rotation: Biometry Team will stay on site.



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## Cove River | Biometry 02

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

Descriptions: Biometry "Pixel" 2

30m x 30m Forest Canopy site; MUC 0231; Closed Canopy Deciduous/cold deciduous hardwood forest; temperate submontane. Located just north of the cluster of downed trees.

Activities/Protocols: Canopy Cover & ground Cover Follow Protocol guidelines, Use compass and 5m Tapes to set up 30m x 30m site; establish diagonals along which canopy and ground cover observations will be made using Densiometers. Use Clinometers to measure/calculate the height of the dominant/co-dominant trees, use Tree ID guides to identify species.

### **Equipment:**

50m tapes, compass, flags, densiometers, clinometers, tree guides.

**Timeline:** 10:00am to 12:00noon

Rotation: Biometry Team will stay on site.





# Cove River | Soil 01

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

**Descriptions: Soil Site 01** 

Located at the center of Biometry "pixel" 1 in the closed canopy forest.

Activities/Protocols/Equipment: Soil

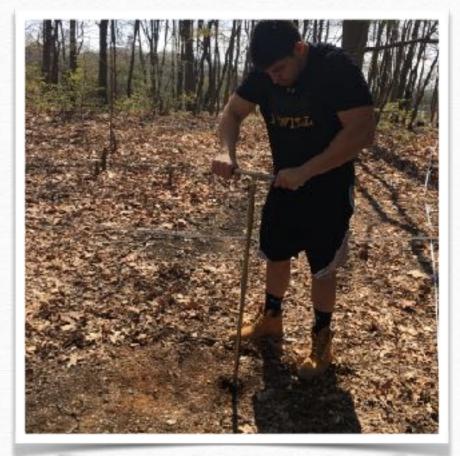
Soil Characterization sheets, Auger, Meter sticks, Soil Color Guide, Soil Texture Guide, Soil Tins, 50m Tape Measures.

#### **Procedures:**

Auger Soil Core. Follow Soil Characterization and Protocol Guidelines.

Timeline: 10:30am to noon

**Rotation:** Soil Team will stay on site, but will start with in Atmosphere Protocol Team 1 @ 10:00am.





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# Cove River | Soil 02

Location: 285 Platt Ave, West Haven, CT 06516

Descriptions: Soil Site 02

Located at the center of Biometry "pixel" 2 in the closed canopy forest.

Activities/Protocols/Equipment: Soil

Soil Characterization sheets, Auger, Meter sticks, Soil Color Guide, Soil Texture Guide, Soil Tins, 50m Tape Measures.

#### **Procedures:**

Auger Soil Core. Follow Soil Characterization and Protocol Guidelines.

Timeline: 10:30am to noon

**Rotation:** Soil Team will stay on site, but will start with in Atmosphere Protocol Team 2 @ 10:00am.





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#### Field Activities | Protocols, Equipment, Timeline and Rotation

*Atmosphere:* ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), Cloud Charts (5), Kestrel/WeatherFLow (1), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{ }$ ).

\*Protocol Field Guide, Protocol Instructions, Data Sheets

*Hydrosphere 1:* ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), Buckets (1), Vernier LabQuest (1), Probe/Temp (1), Probe/DO (1), Probe/pH (1), Probe/Conductivity (1), Salinity (1), Transparency Tube (1), Squirt Bottle (1), Towel (1), Calibration Thermometer (1), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{ }$ ).

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*Hydrosphere 2:* ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), Buckets (1), Vernier LabQuest (1), Probe/Temp (1), Probe/DO (1), Probe/pH (1), Probe/Conductivity (1), Salinity (1), Squirt Bottle (1), Towel (1), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{ }$ ).

\*Protocol Field Guide, Protocol Instructions, Data Sheets

**Biosphere 1:** ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), 50m Tapes (6), Compass (1), MUC Guides (4), Tree ID (3), Clinometers (15), Sunto Clinometer (1), Densiometers (15), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{\ }$ ).

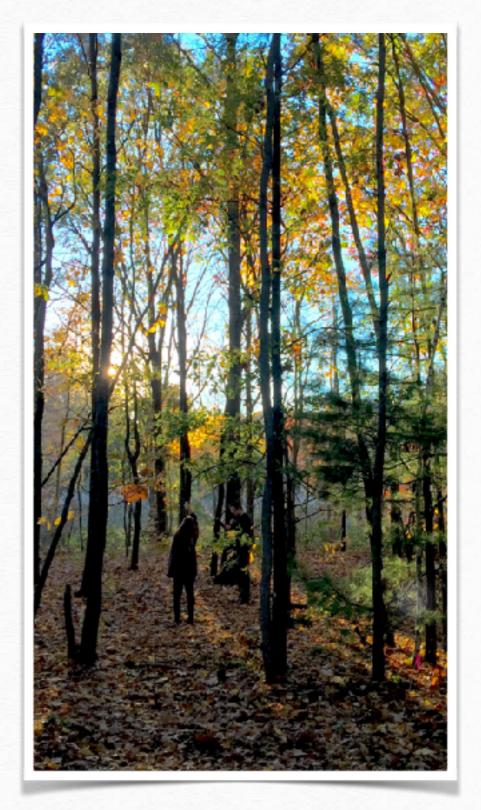
\*Protocol Field Guide, Protocol Instructions, Data Sheets

**Biosphere 2:** ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), 50m Tapes (6), Compass (1), MUC Guides (4), Tree ID (3), Clinometers (15), Densiometers (15), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{ }$ ). \*Protocol Field Guide, Protocol Instructions, Data Sheets

**Soil 1:** ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), Auger (1), Trowel (1), Meter Stick (1), Color Guide (2), Spoon (1), Soil Thermometer (2), Soil IR Gun (1), Squirt Bottles (1), Paper Plates & Napkins (plenty), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{\ }$ ). \*Protocol Field Guide, Protocol Instructions, Data Sheets

**Soil 2**: ClipBoards/Pencils (1ea.), Auger (1), Trowel (1), Meter Stick (1), Color Guide (2), Spoon (1), Soil Thermometer (2), Soil IR Gun (1), Squirt Bottles (1), Paper Plates & Napkins (plenty), GLOBE Observer and Data Entry Apps ( $\sqrt{\ }$ ).

\*Protocol Field Guide, Protocol Instructions, Data Sheets





## Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas

# Cove River | @ Entrance





## Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas

# Cove River | @ Entrance - stream





# Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas Cove River | @ Invasive Knotweed



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## Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas

# Cove River | @ Biometry "pixel" 1



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## Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas

# Cove River | @ Biometry "pixel" 2



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# Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas Cove River | @ Hydro Site Fresh Marsh



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### Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas

## Cove River | @ Hydro Site Fresh/Salt Marsh confluence



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# Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas Cove River | @ Hydro Site Salt Marsh



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# Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas Cove River | @ µUAS Launch Site





## Cove River Theta S 360° Panoramas

# Cove River | @ Fox Den



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