

Recovering From Oak Loss: Scituate Field Tour

SATURDAY, MAY 11

9:00 AM

Providence Water is hosting a woods walk on Saturday morning, May 11, 2019, starting at 9 am, on its watershed property off Tunk Hill Road (RI Route 12) in Scituate, RI.

The walk location is along Field Hill Road, a gated entrance that is located about 1/2 mile west of Old Plainfield Pike, at Pole #108. Signs will be posted.

The tour is co-sponsored by RIFCO for its annual Spring Program, the No. RI Conservation District, and the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service as a follow-up to the March 16th Oak Mortality: The Future of RI

Woodlands program. Foresters from RIFCO and Providence Water will be leading walks through high-mortality oak stands, some of which have seen recent salvage harvesting, while others have not, to view the understory conditions and how stand replacement will develop over time. Conservation District and NRCS Representatives will be on hand to discuss federal funding and management opportunities for private woodland owners.

This tour is free, but please RSVP by visiting nricd.org or calling 401-934-0840. Tours are held rain or shine, and may involve walking off-trail on uneven terrain.

USDA NRCS is an equal opportunity employer, provider, and lender. If any reasonable accommodation is needed to ensure equal participation, please contact NRCS (401) 828-1300 at least two (2) business days prior to the meeting.

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