

## Truro Comprehensive Wastewater Management Plan Board of Health Meeting, July 18 2023

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#### **Truro Comprehensive Wastewater Management Plan**

- Wastewater and
  Nitrogen Management
  Planning Project
  focusing on Truro's
  three coastal estuaries
  - Provincetown Harbor (shared with Provincetown)
  - Pamet River
  - Wellfleet Harbor (shared with Wellfleet Harbor)



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Cape Cod Commission's Strategic Information

WatershedMVP application and the Cape Cod

You can select a watershed from the list below, or

Saved Scenarios

Commission and its SIO, please contact us.

Office (SIO). To learn more about the

click on the map to get started.

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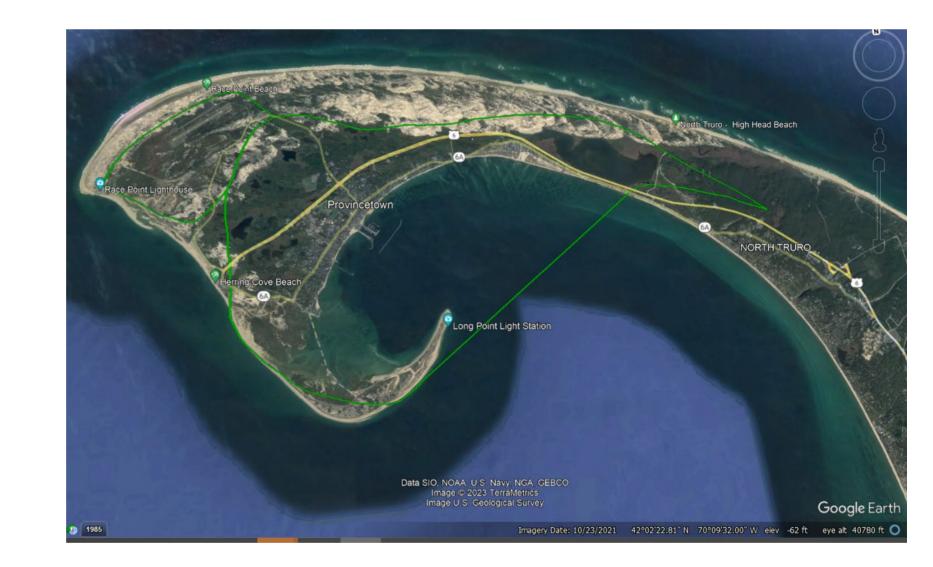
Get Started

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Dashboard

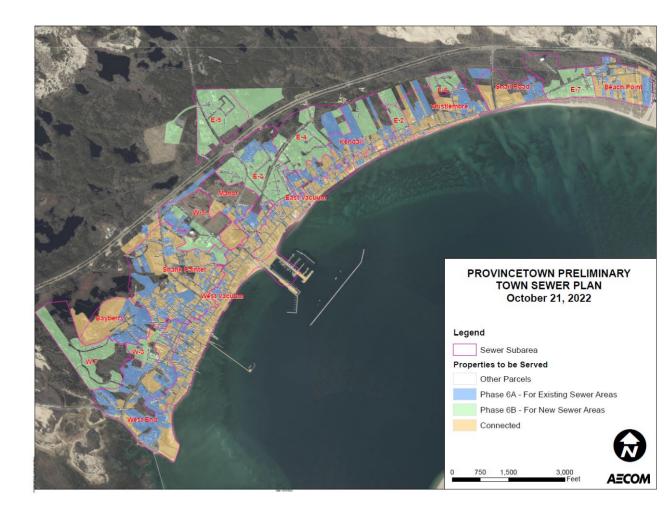
#### **Provincetown Harbor**

- Cape Cod Commission Watershed Report estimates:
  - 93% of watershed in Provincetown
  - 7% in Truro
- Beach Point
  - High density neighborhood
  - Cesspools



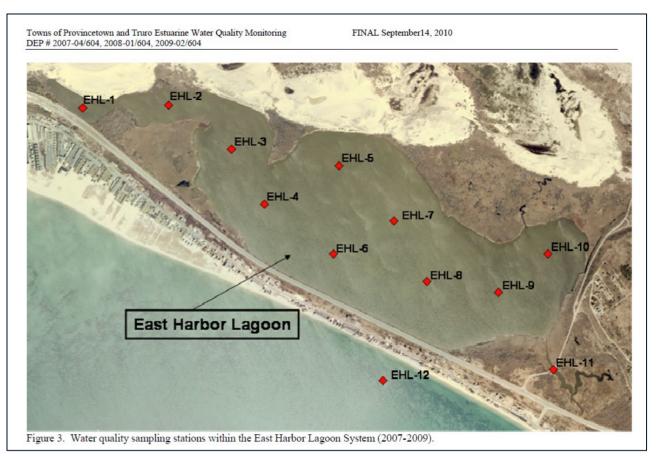
### **Coordination with Provincetown Planning**

- Provincetown sewer expansion planned in two phases:
  - Phase 6A
    - Existing sewer areas
    - Tentative construction through 2026 (contingent on USDA funding schedule)
  - Phase 6B
    - New extensions
    - Tentative construction schedule 2026 2030 (contingent on USDA funding schedule)
    - Provincetown planning currently includes 150,000 gpd Title 5 flow allowance for Beach Point connection



#### **Beach Point**

- Study Area is 147 to 706 Shore Drive
  - Portion of Study Area in Provincetown Harbor watershed and East Harbor Lagoon embayment system
  - Portion of Study Area in Zone II
  - 2010 SMAST water quality monitoring report funded by 604(b) grant
    - Indicated that East Harbor Lagoon is tidally restricted with fair to poor water quality at all monitoring stations
    - Concluded that management of nutrient loads in East Harbor Lagoon would likely have significant positive effect on the habitat quality
- Sewering this area anticipated to remove
  1,300 kg / year of nitrogen along Study Area



#### **Next Steps – For Discussion**

- Initiate flow allocation request through letter to Provincetown Town Manager