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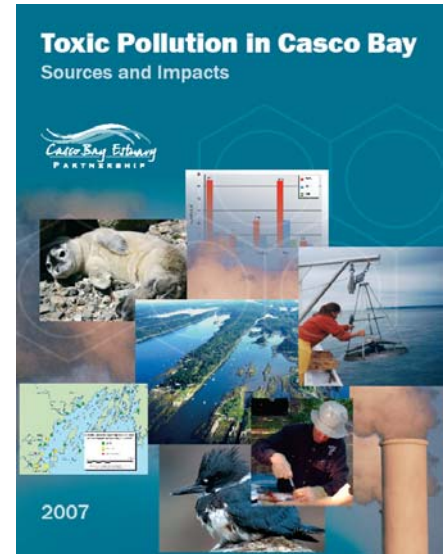
Toxic Pollution in Casco Bay

Wednesday, February 28, 2007

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Glickman Library Special Events Room (7th Floor)
University of Southern Maine - Portland Campus

This special seminar will provide an overview of findings in a new 88-page Casco Bay Estuary Partnership report summarizing the state of the knowledge on toxics in Casco Bay. Two guest speakers will discuss the impact of toxic chemicals on wildlife in the Casco Bay watershed and Gulf of Maine. Copies of the report will be available.



AGENDA

- 10:00 Welcome and Introductions
- 10:10 An Overview of *Toxic Pollution in Casco Bay* –
Karen Young, Director, Casco Bay Estuary Partnership
- 10:40 The Impacts of Mercury on Wildlife in and around Casco Bay –
Dr. David Evers, Director, Biodiversity Research Institute and
Adjunct Professor, University of Southern Maine
- 11:10 *Seals as Sentinels*: The Impact of Toxic Contaminants on Seals, as Top
Predators, in Casco Bay and the Gulf of Maine -
Dr. Susan Shaw, Director, Marine Environmental Research Institute
- 11:40 Closing Remarks

REGISTRATION

Please pre-register for this event. To register, please provide the following information to Deb Arbique at darbique@usm.maine.edu or 207-228-8593 or by completing this form and mailing it to: CBEP, USM Muskie School, P.O. Box 9300, Portland, ME 04104-9300.

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