## URI WATERSHED WATCH 2024 WATER QUALITY MONITORING SCHEDULE CUSH WEDNESDAY SITES including Stonington Harbor, Sandy Point, Oxecosset Brook, and Wequetequock Cove

**All monitoring and water sample collections will take place between 6 and 8:00 am.** Please contact Jack Leary (860) 319-7568 Co-Chair Monitoring for questions or concerns. Please contact Elizabeth Herron, URI Watershed Watch, (401) 874-4552 for sampling and testing methods questions or concerns.

Also see the URIWW website http://web.uri.edu/watershedwatch/

Sampling Dates	Biweekly monitoring: Collect and/or run samples in "WORK HORSE" BOTTLES for temp., salinity, chl-a, DO and turbidity	WATER COLLECTION DATES: Fill sample bottles & bring with frozen chl-a filters to the collection site for analysis of pH, nutrients, bacteria, salinity, and turbidity
May 4 - 7	24 Edgecomb St. Mystic	Equipment pickup: Please schedule time with Jack
May 8	9:18 am high tide, sunrise 5:33 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
May 22	X – plus water collection 8:22 am high tide, sunrise 5:20 am	1st Monthly Collection: Brown glass, bacteria & pH bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
June 5	8:10 am high tide, sunrise 5:13 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
June 19	X – plus water collection 7:05 am high tide, sunrise 5:12 am	2nd Monthly Collection: Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
July 3	7:00 am high tide, sunrise 5:17 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
July 17	X – plus water collection 5:27 am high tide, sunrise 5:28 am	3rd Monthly Collection: Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
July 31	5:42 am high tide, sunrise 5:40 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
August 14	<b>X</b> – <b>plus water collection</b> 9:55 am low tide, sunrise 5:55 am	4th Monthly Collection: Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
August 28	10:26 am low tide, sunrise 6:09 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
September 11	<b>X – plus water collection</b> 8:04 low am, sunrise 6:23 am	5th Monthly Collection: Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
September 25	8:39 am low tide, sunrise 6:37 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
October 9	6:40 am low tide, sunrise 6:52 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
October 23	X – plus water collection Return all monitoring equip. 7:05 am low tide, sunrise 7:07 am	6th Monthly Collection: Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site  End of Monitoring