



Green Shores for Homes™

Credit List

SHORELINE PROCESSES

6 credits

- 1.1 No use of Shore Protection Structures
- 1.2 Increase Setback and Avoid Impact
- 1.3 Reduce or Remove Bulkhead
- 1.4 Remove groins or similar structures
- 1.5 Construct Soft Shore Protection
- 1.6 Move buildings to use Managed Retreat

SHORELINE HABITAT

6 credits

- 2.1 Maintain or replant riparian vegetation
- 2.2 Preserve Trees and Snags
- 2.3 Remove, reduce and manage invasive species
- 2.4 Retain Woody Material
- 2.5 Remove or reduce Overwater Structures
- 2.6 Minimize Access Design to avoid impacts

WATER QUALITY

6 credits

- 3.1 Minimize site disturbance during construction
- 3.2 Reduce and treat runoff
- 3.3 Avoid use of toxic chemicals, use Environmentally Friendly Building Products
- 3.4 Remove and dispose of creosote material
- 3.5 Avoid use of herbicides, pesticides and fertilizer
- 3.6 Ensure properly functioning on-site sewage

SHORE STEWARDSHIP CREDITS

4 credits

- 4.1 Collaborate with neighbouring waterfront property owners on shoreline structures or enhancement measures
- 4.2 Provide public information and education opportunities
- 4.3 Establish conservation easement
- 4.4 Participate in Shoreline Stewardship program