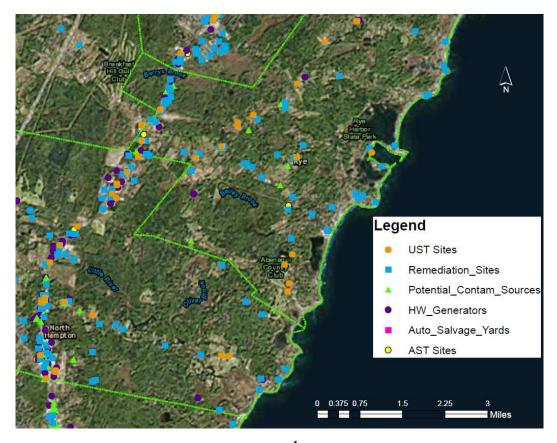
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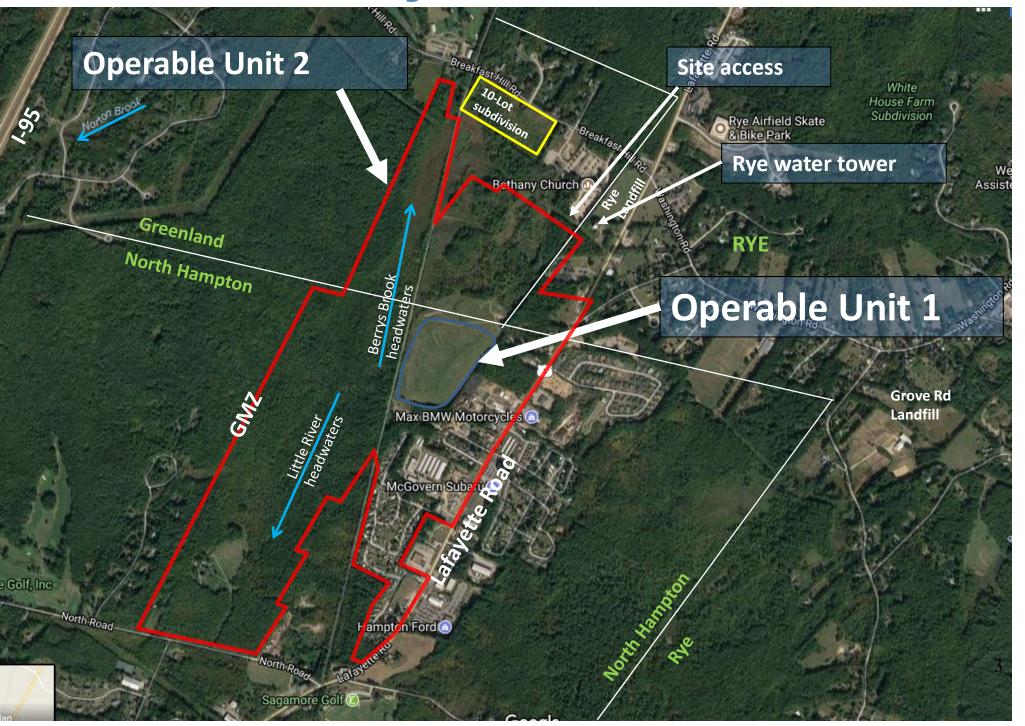


Presentation Outline

July 10, 2018

- Coakley background
- Introduction to PFAS
- EPA Health Advisory
- PFAS at Coakley
- Private well sampling for PFAS
- On-going and upcoming activities related to Coakley
- Surface water sampling
 - Berrys Brook
 - Little River
- Questions and discussion

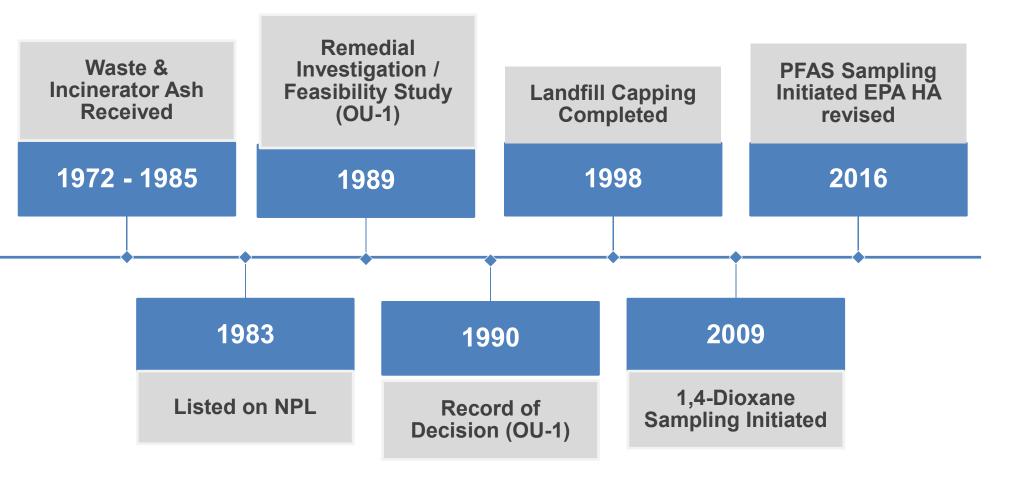
Coakley Landfill Area





Background 1972 to 2016







PFAS Summary

- A large family of synthetic organic compounds that contain multiple Fluorine (F) atoms.
- The 2 most studied PFAS are
 - Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA)
 - Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS)
- PFAS family = thousands of diverse compounds
- Manufactured and used since the late 1940s
- Used for decades to make products that resist heat, oils, grease, stains and water



The Expansive Use of PFAS

Commercial Products	Industrial Uses
Cookware (Teflon®, Nonstick)	Photo Imaging
Fast Food Containers	Metal Plating
Candy Wrappers	Semiconductor Coatings
Microwave Popcorn Bags	Aviation Hydraulic Fluids
Personal Care Products (Shampoo, Dental	Medical Devices
Floss)	Firefighting Aqueous Film-Forming Foam
Cosmetics (Nail Polish, Eye Makeup)	Insect Baits
Paints and Varnishes	Printer and Copy Machine Parts
Stain Resistant Carpet	Chemically Driven Oil Production
Stain Resistant Chemicals (Scotchgard®)	Textiles, Upholstery, Apparel and Carpets
Water Resistant Apparel (Gore-Tex®)	Paper and Packaging
Cleaning Products	Rubber and Plastics
Electronics	Pesticides
Ski Wax	
Soil amendments	
Pesticides	
Potting soils	

PFOA and PFOS

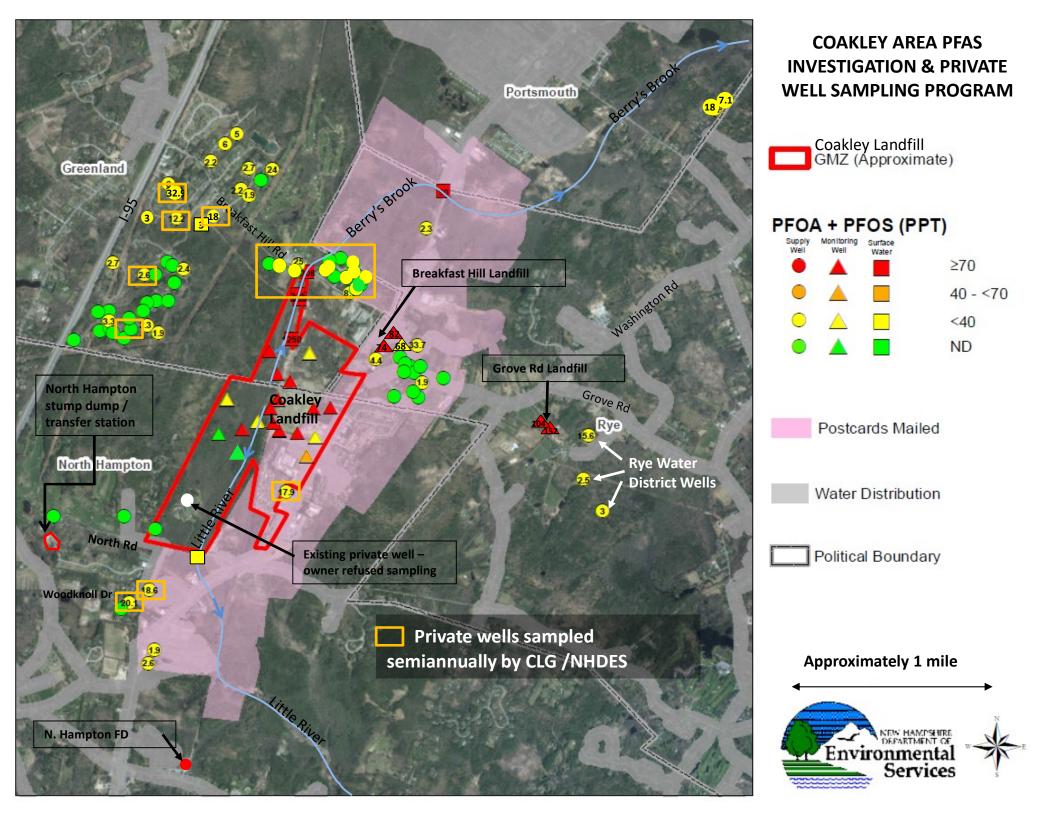
 Perflourooctanoic acid (PFOA or C8) primarily used as a surfactant in PFAS production and Teflon coatings

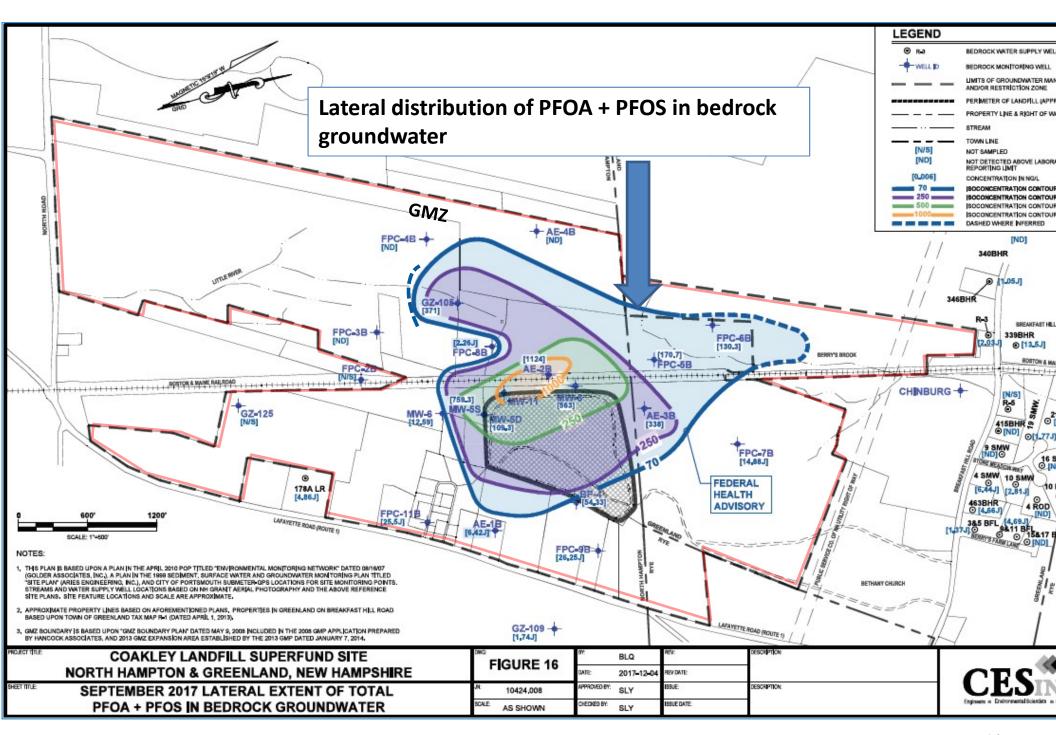
 Perfluorooctane sulfonate (PFOS) has variety of uses including surface treatments, paper coatings, firefighting foam

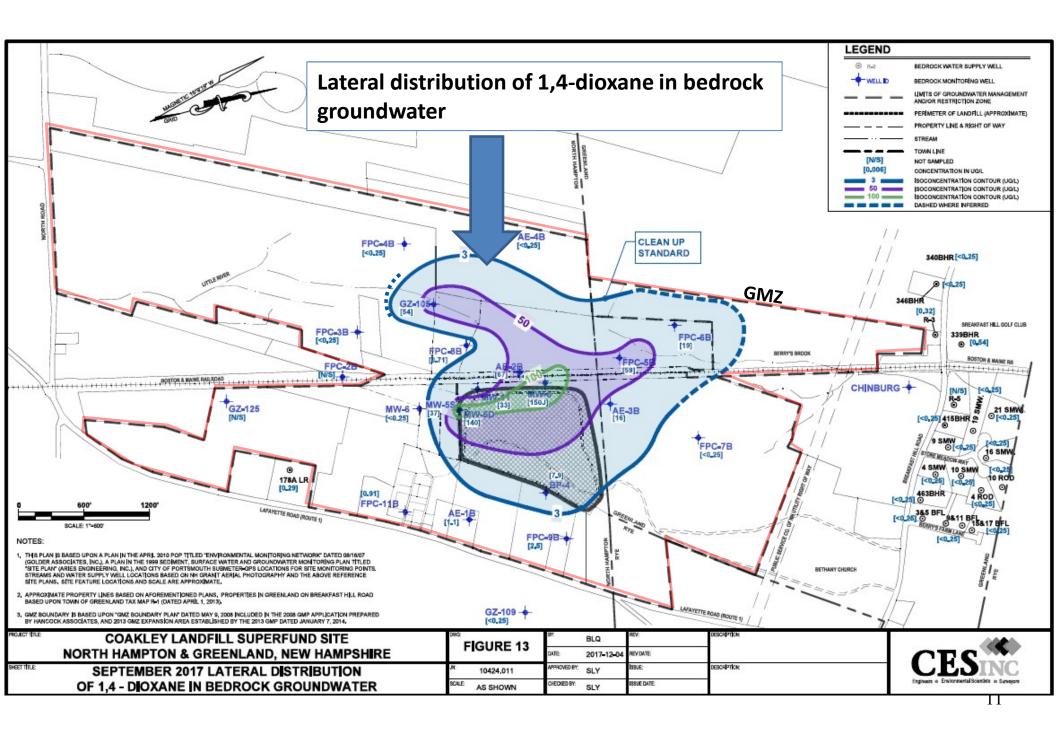


USEPA Health Advisory (HA)

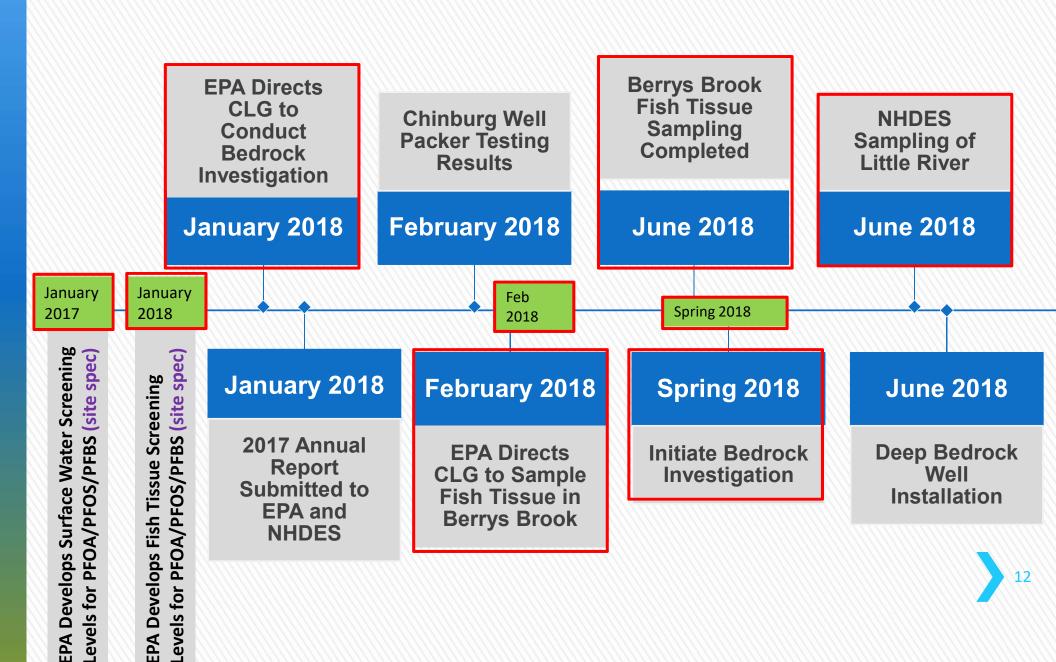
- HAs established for PFOA and PFOS = 70 ppt in *drinking water* (DES adopted as AGQS 2016)
- HAs provide information on contaminants that can cause human health effects and are known or anticipated to occur in drinking water.
- EPA's HA for PFOA and PFOS offers a margin of protection throughout a person's life from adverse health effects resulting from exposure to PFOA and PFOS in drinking water.







Recent, Ongoing and Upcoming Activities



Deep Bedrock Investigation



❖ Objective is to determine extent of contaminant migration in bedrock and associated risk of exposure

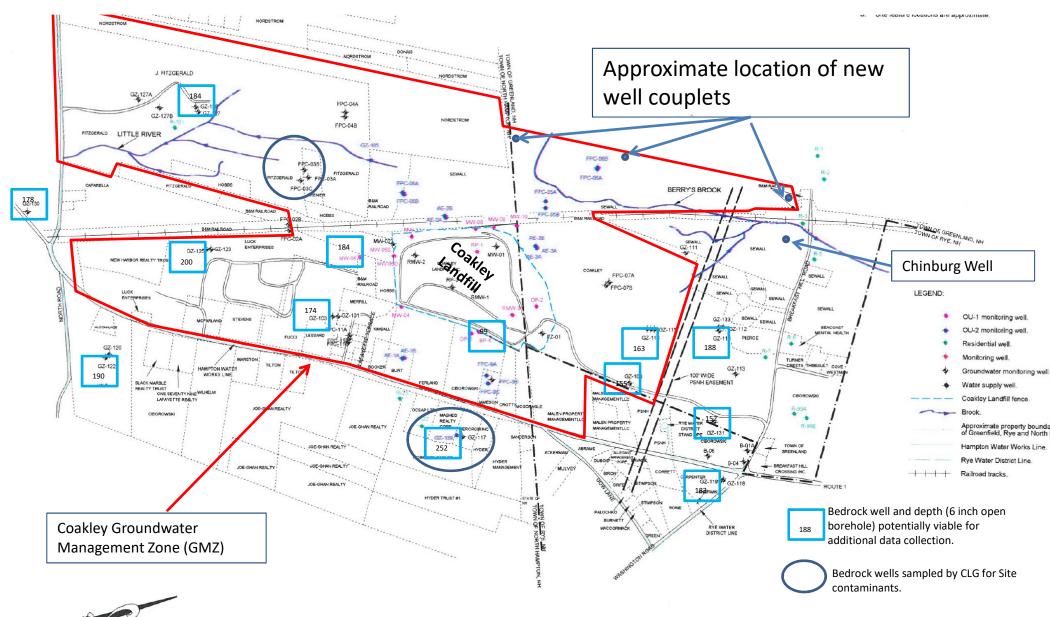
Investigation will include:

- ➤ Geophysical surveying of existing bedrock boreholes and surface features
- Discrete sampling of groundwater in bedrock
- Installation of new bedrock wells
 - Geophysics
 - Sampling
- ➤ Update bedrock mapping and determine extent of contaminant migration
- Pump test
- > Iterative process



COAKLEY PHASE I

DEEP BEDROCK EXPLORATION PLAN

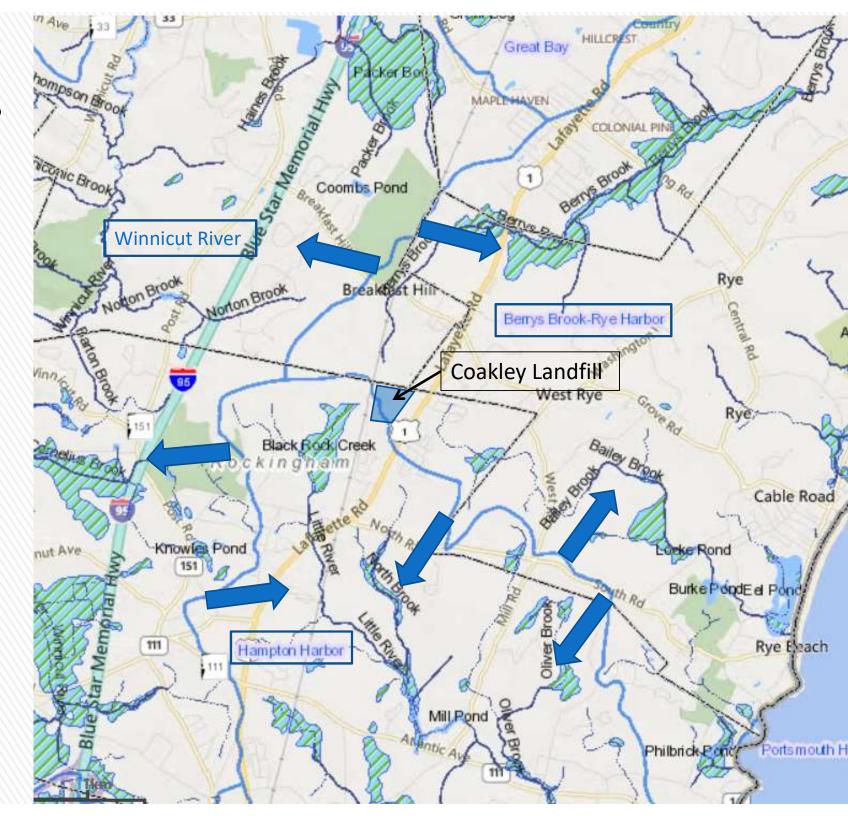




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Watershed Boundaries

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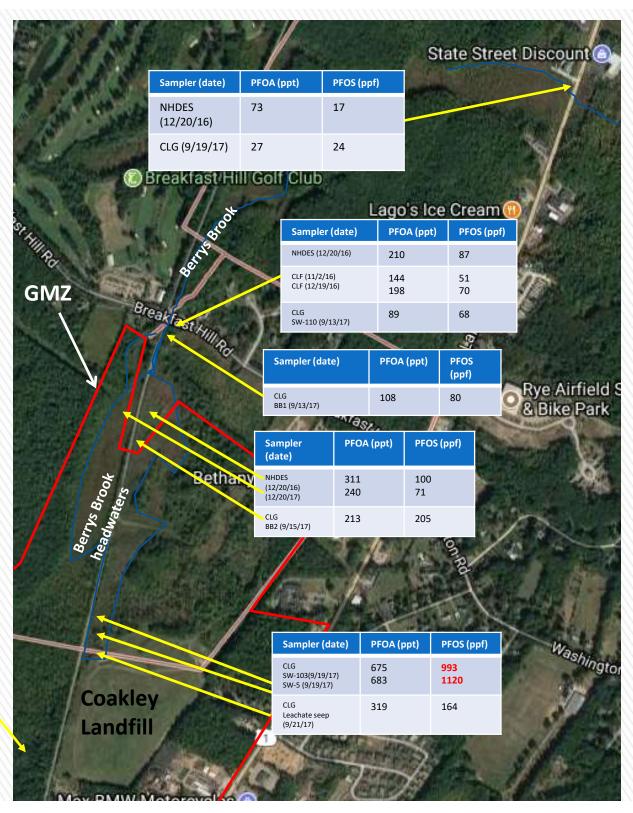


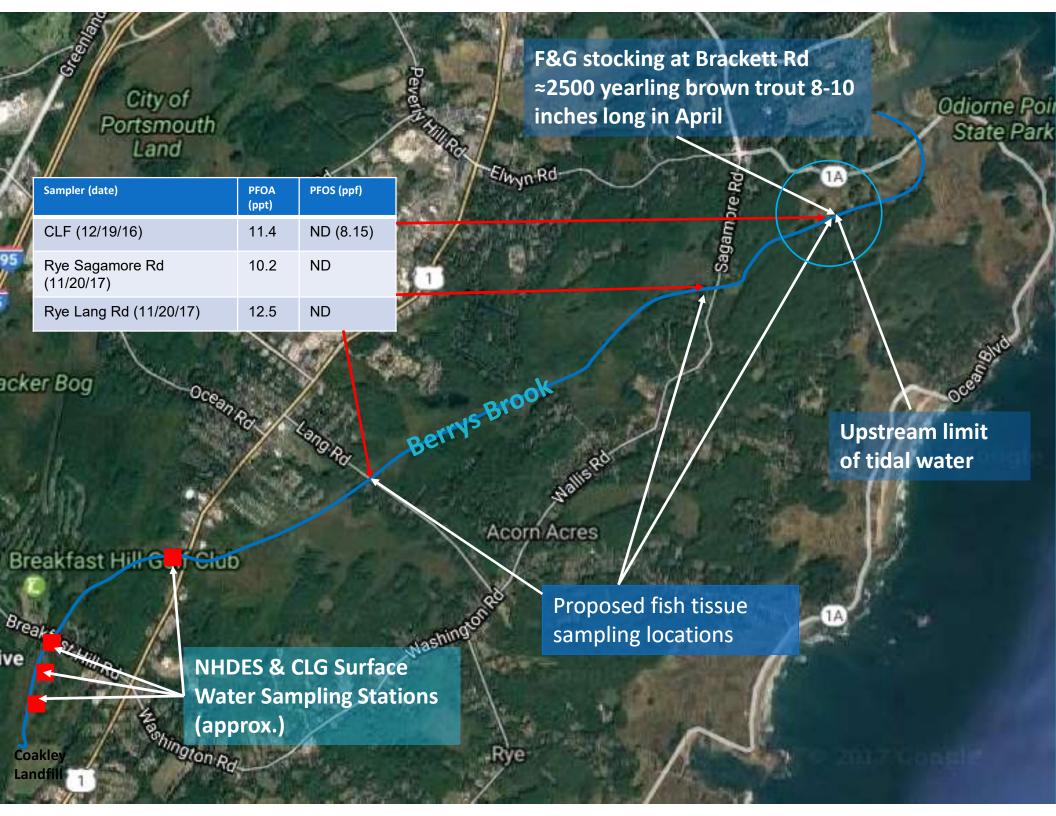
Berrys Brook Surface Water Sampling Results for PFOA & PFOS

September 2017 results Locations approximate

Site-Specific SW Screening Levels	PFOA (ppt)	PFOS (ppf)
45 days/year (child)	2,030	2,030
120 days/year (child)	760	760

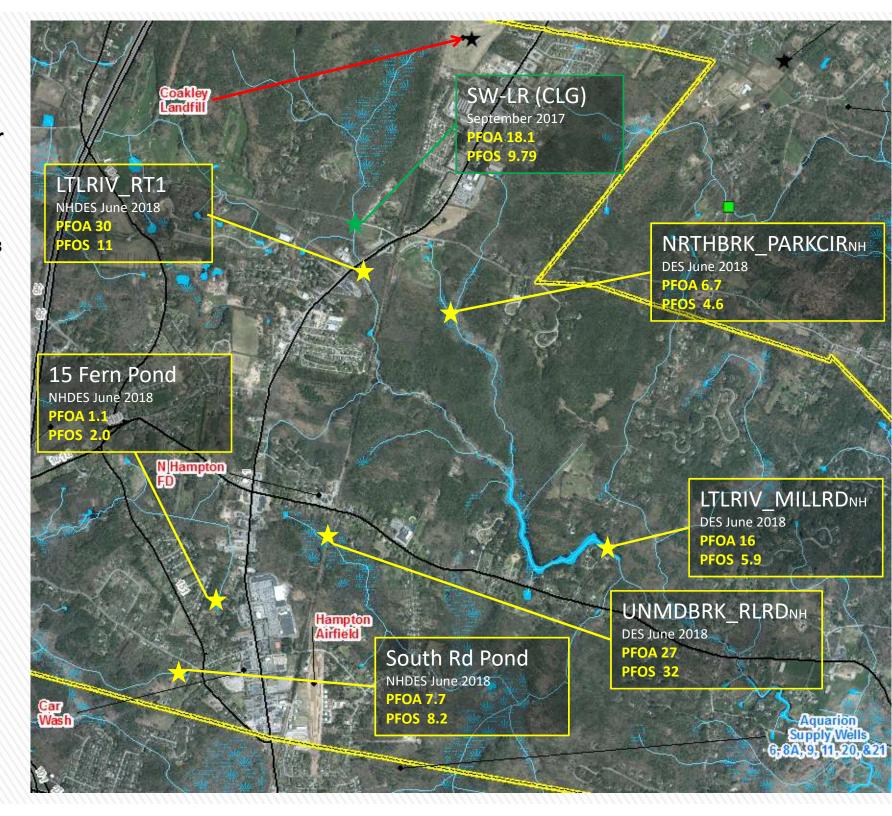
Sampler (date)	PFOA (ppt)	PFOS (ppf)
CLG SW-4 (9/17/17)	145	42





North Hampton Surface Water PFOA/PFOS Summary

Updated July 2, 2018



Overview of SLs for Recreational Ingestion of Surface Water, Sediment & Fish Tissue

Risk-Based Screening Levels						
	Surface Water (ng/L)		Sediment (mg/kg)		Fish (mg/kg)	
Assumptions	120 day/yr	45 day/yr	120 day/yr	45 day/yr	6 grams/day	
PFOS/PFOA	760	2,030	0.369	0.98	0.00521	
PFBS	760,000	2,030,000	369	983	5.21	
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