

Appendix B-5: Boating Facility Priorities of Coastal Communities

In 1989, the Department of Economic and Community Development, in conjunction with other agencies involved in Maine's Coastal Program, contracted with Sasaki Associates, Inc. for a "Planning Study Of Maine Coastal Ports and Harbors". Project staff contacted officials in every coastal community and asked about local priorities for construction of piers, docks, wharves, public access facilities, and other marine-related facilities. The purpose was to identify local needs so that projects complementing state objectives could be factored into state capital investment programs.

The Department of Economic and Community Development recently updated the study to find out if priorities have changed or projects have already been built. Among the list of potential acquisition or development projects remaining in the inventory after this update are the following public recreational boating access projects that complement state objectives. Please note that some priority projects were omitted from this list because they are already on the Department of Conservation's list of priority projects.

<u>County</u>	<u>Community</u>	<u>Location, If Known</u>
Lincoln	Bristol	Pemaquid River
Hancock	Blue Hill	
Hancock	Brooksville	Smith Harbor
Hancock	Franklin	
Hancock	Hancock	Hancock Point
Hancock	Orland	
Hancock	Winter Harbor	
Waldo	Stockton Springs	
Washington	Dennysville	
Washington	Eastport	
Washington	Whiting	Whiting River
York	Kennebunk	Doane's Wharf
York	York	Harris Island (Strawberry Island)