

**URI WATERSHED WATCH 2025 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
<b>April 30 - May 2</b>	24 Edgecomb St. Mystic	<b>Equipment pickup: Please schedule time with Jack</b>
May 7	6:11 am high tide, sunrise 5:35 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
<b>May 21</b>	<b>X – plus water collection</b> 4:26 am high tide, sunrise 5:21 am	<b>1st Monthly Collection:</b> Brown glass, bacteria & pH bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
June 4	4:39 am high tide, sunrise 5:13 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
<b>June 18</b>	<b>X – plus water collection</b> 9:39 am low tide, sunrise 5:12 am	<b>2nd Monthly Collection:</b> Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
July 2	9:32 am low tide, sunrise 5:17 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
<b>July 16</b>	<b>X – plus water collection</b> 8:18 am low tide, sunrise 5:27 am	<b>3rd Monthly Collection:</b> Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
July 30	8:02 am high tide, sunrise 5:40 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
<b>August 13</b>	<b>X – plus water collection</b> 6:58 am low tide, sunrise 5:54 am	<b>4th Monthly Collection:</b> Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
August 27	6:37 am low tide, sunrise 6:08 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
<b>September 10</b>	<b>X – plus water collection</b> 5:39 low am, sunrise 6:22 am	<b>5th Monthly Collection:</b> Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site
September 24	5:22 am low tide, sunrise 6:36 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
October 8	4:24 am low tide, sunrise 6:51 am	Temperature, DO, chl-a filters into freezer, turbidity and salinity bottles into fridge
<b>October 22</b>	<b>X – plus water collection</b> <i>Return all monitoring equip.</i> 4:11 am low tide, sunrise 7:06 am	<b>6th Monthly Collection:</b> Brown glass, bacteria bottles, frozen chl-a filters, turbidity bottles, salinity bottles, postcards to collection site <b>End of Monitoring</b>