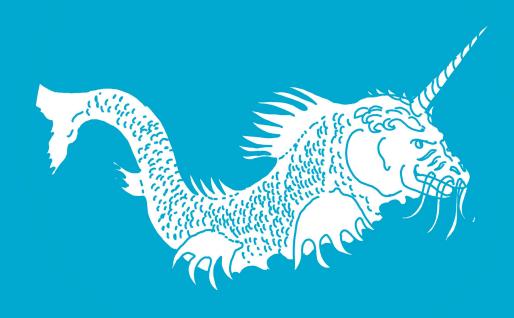
Waterfront Planning Camp Guide

Summer 2019





Waterfront Planning Camp

Welcome Campers!

This is your official guide to Waterfront Planning Camp where you will learn about the different activities that you can do throughout the day. You will be able to learn more about the Comprehensive Waterfront Plan and different ways to give us input.

Visit our four thematic stations -described in the following pages- to learn more about different waterfront issues. **Don't forget to collect your waterfront badges at each station!**

Come back here to leave your mark, and earn your sea monster badge!

Join **Works on Water** and help us create a 520 chain sculpture where participants can add their dreams and hopes for NYC's 520 miles of waterfront. Reflect on your Waterfront Camp day and help us memorialize this day on video!

Join us for some H2o Bingo, hosted by artist **Hsini Des**.

Get your favorite waterbody painted on your body by artist **Bob Baine!**

Living and Playing at the Waterfront



Adapting our Waterfront



NYC has continued to transform its waterfront into a dynamic place to live, work, and play. While public parks enhance quality of life and offer a variety of recreational opportunities, development along the waterfront provides public open space as well as jobs, housing, and services.

Several hundred years ago, NYC's waterfront looked drastically different than it does today, and we can be sure that the waterfront will continue to change with new human uses and ecological shifts.

Join **NYC Parks** and learn about the various entities that manage parks and public space along the waterfront. With images from different sites, Parks will highlight different types of access and built-waterfront features.

Visit the **Waterfront Alliance** and create your own vision for a waterfront site!

Make your own Go Bag with **NYCEM** or help them fill out some HESCO barriers while learning about the City's Interim Flood Protection Measures.

Visit **NHS Brooklyn** to learn more about FloodHelpNY- a website that shows how FEMA's map change will affect your location and what to do to adapt to the changes. They will be able register those who qualify for the free Home Resiliency Program. And for kids – check out how to use the website for science reports - become the climate scientist for your class!

Working at the Waterfront



Restoring and Recreation in the Water



NYC's working waterfront and waterways connect our region to the domestic and international supply chain. The supply chain is made up of the goods, energy, and building materials that keep our city thriving!

The City has invested over \$12 billion to improve our wastewater treatment and sewer infrastructure over the past 10 years, and the harbor is now the cleanest it has been in over 100 years.

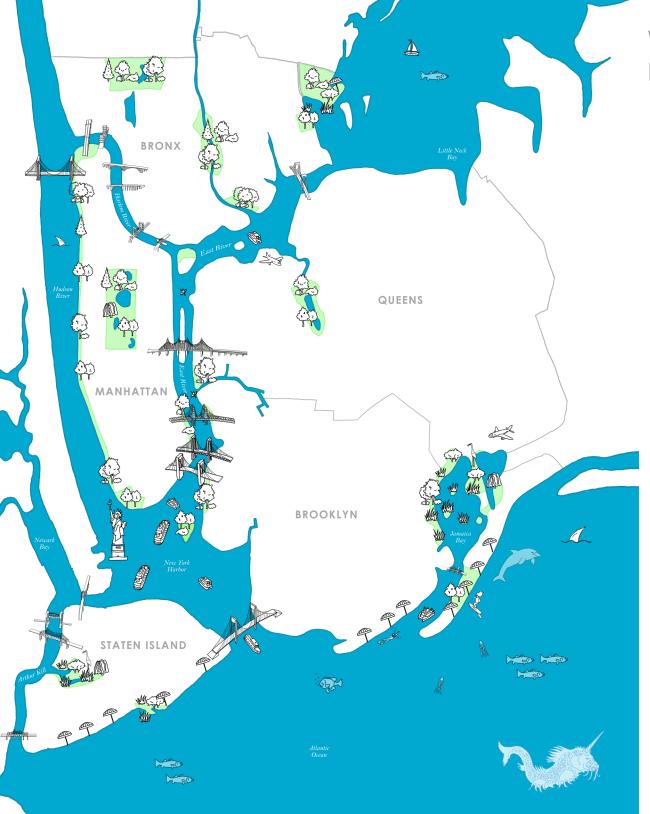
Where do our goods come from? Visit **NYCEDC** to learn more about NYC's maritime history and try to get some goods from a Port to your home or nearest grocery store! Get some Ferry Coloring books and squishy ferries to go!

Come to the **Billion Oyster Project** table for a knot tying workshop and competition along with some species identification of critters pulled out of our Harbor here on Governors Island!

Join **NYC DEP** educators and marine scientists to explore how DEP samples and monitors water quality around New York Harbor. Make buttons with fun and important water stewardship messages to take home.

The **New York Aquarium** will discuss the importance of restoring and protecting our waterways for migratory species including sharks and whales and share how you can assist us in protecting their home!

Visit the **Natural Areas Conservancy** and sign the Declaration of Rights to NYC Nature! Choose which nature goals targets are most important to you and help us think how we can achieve them.



What does your ideal waterfront look like?

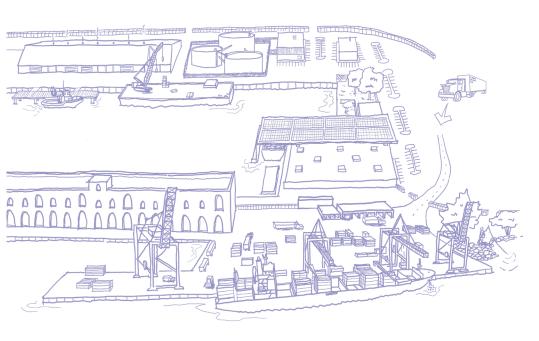
What was the most interesting thing you learned today?

If you had to prioritize 3 things for NYC's waterfront- what would they be?

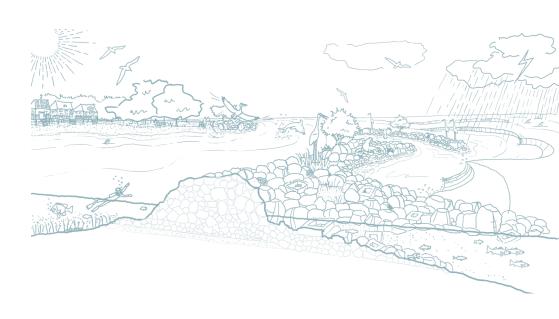
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What are your hopes and dreams for public spaces on NYC's Waterfront?



Have you ever wondered where goods come from, or how they move through New York?



What does an adapted waterfront look like to you in 10 years? 50 years?



How does the health of NYC's waterways and waterfront affect you and your community?



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