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DCR Tolland Complex Resource Management Plans Public Meeting

Wednesday, September 30th @ 6pm – 7:30pm
Register for the meeting via the [Zoom Registration Link](#).

The Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) is holding an informational meeting and public listening session on the preparation of Resource Management Plans (RMPs) for the following seven properties in its Tolland Complex: Becket State Forest, C. M. Gardner State Park, Chester-Blandford State Forest, Granville State Forest, Huntington State Forest, Otis State Forest, and Tolland State Forest. The purpose of the meeting is to inform the public about the RMP planning process and to take comments about the parks. This is the first of two public meetings to be held concerning Tolland Complex RMPs. The second public meeting will be scheduled when the Draft RMPs are available for public review and comment.

The public will be invited to provide comments during the meeting, after the presentation, by unmuting their microphones, or via the chat functionality that will be available through the virtual participation platform. After the meeting, the presentation will be available for viewing on DCR's [Past events for DCR Public Meetings Information](#) web page. DCR encourages the public to share additional feedback, with a deadline for receipt of written comments by DCR of October 30th, 2026. Comments may be submitted via the [DCR public comment portal](#). Please note that the content of comments you submit to DCR, along with your name, town, and zip code, may be posted on DCR's website. Additional contact information required when commenting, notably email address, will only be used for outreach on future updates on the subject project or property.

If you have agency-related questions or concerns or would like to be added to an email list to receive DCR general or project-specific announcements, please email Mass.Parks@mass.gov or call 617-626-4973.

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