Long Pond, Plymouth

General Information

Long Pond is a 227 acre great pond with an average depth of 45 feet and a maximum depth of 111 feet, one of the deepest natural ponds in the state. It is fed by groundwater and an inlet from Little Long Pond, and eventually drains via groundwater and reportedly a pipe into Halfway Pond. The ponds 3.3 miles of shoreline are heavily developed with year round homes and summer camps and substrates are generally sand and rubble. Water color is clear and transparency is excellent at 18 feet. The pond is stratified during the summer months and contains a large volume of cold well-oxygenated water.

Recreational Access

The MA Division of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) manages a concrete boat ramp and associated parking area with space for 29 trailers located off Clark Rd (70°36'32.9"W 41°51'56.6"N). A 50 horsepower limit on outboard motors is enforced by the Town of Plymouth. Please contact DCR for additional information and/or restrictions pertaining to public access of Long Pond.

Fish Populations

The following fish species were found during MassWildlife surveys: Smallmouth Bass, White Perch, Pumpkinseed, Bluegill, Banded Killifish, Brown Bullhead, Largemouth Bass, Yellow Perch, White Sucker and American eel.

Fishing

Long Pond is stocked in the spring and fall with Rainbow Trout, Brook Trout Brown Trout, and (when available) Tiger Trout. Trout fishing is good in the spring and fall with holdover trout taken during the summer, it produces large trout (especially browns) on a regular basis, and there is a potential for trophies (browns to 14 pounds have been taken here). Trolling generally produces most of the large holdover trout, although shore fishermen regularly take their share as wading fishermen will find plenty of areas to fish. Summer trout water is located at 30 to 60 feet. Don't overlook the smallmouth bass. Long Pond has produced Brook Trout, Rainbow Trout, Tiger Trout, Brown Bullhead, Chain Pickerel, Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass, Yellow Perch, and Sunfish that meet minimum sizes for recognition by the Freshwater Sportfishing Awards Program.

Useful Links:

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Freshwater Fishing

Trout Stocking Information

Freshwater Sportfishing Awards Program

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Your local MassWildlife office:
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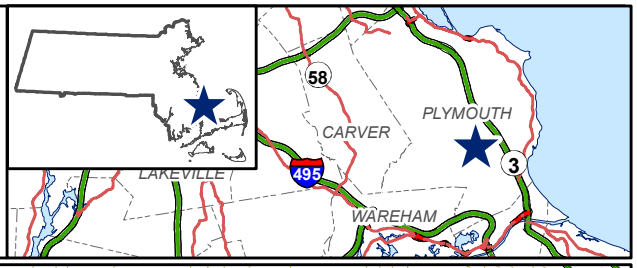
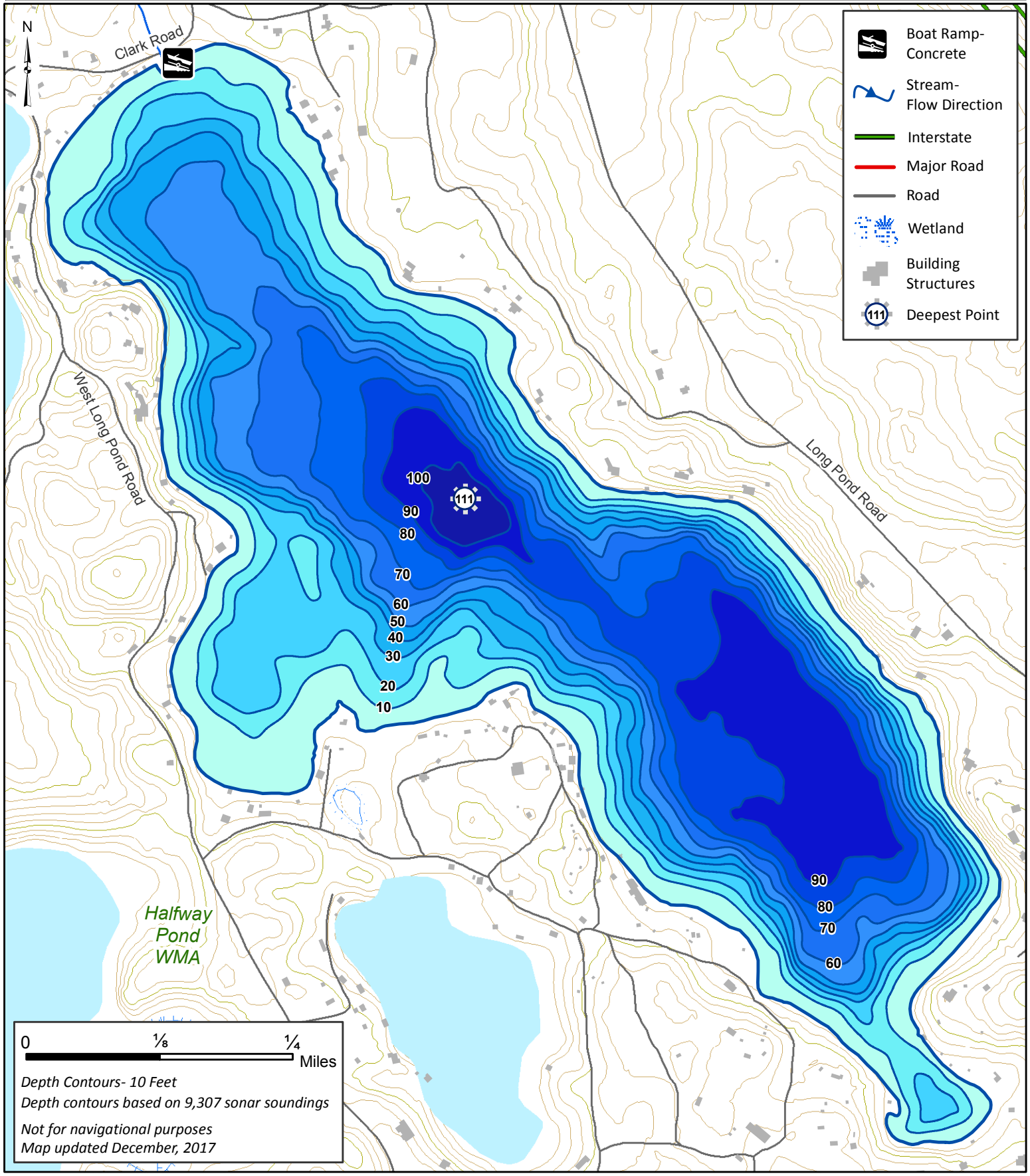
227 Acres
Plymouth
Buzzards Bay Watershed
Coordinates: 70°36'32 W 41°51'56 N
USGS Quad: SAGAMORE





Depth Contours- 10 Feet
Depth contours based on 9,307 sonar soundings

Not for navigational purposes
Map updated December, 2017