

## Year 2003 Projects

Project Name	Activity	Project Description	Habitat Type	Acreage	Linear Miles
Great Bay Resource Protection Partnership Coordinator Support	Protection	The NHEP provided funds for staff to coordinate the activities of the GBRPP including land protection prioritization - landowner outreach - and land protection project development and management.	Uplands	600	
Natural Resources Outreach Coalition Community Projects	Protection	The NHEP funded community natural resource protection projects in the towns of Newfields and Statham. Communities pursued and completed 5 land protection projects involving permanent conservation easements.	Uplands	165	
NH DES Shellfish Program Sanitary Surveys	Enhancement	The NHEP funded the NH DES to conduct sanitary surveys which include shoreline surveys for pollution sources - ambient water quality monitoring - and studies to evaluate relevant hydrographic and meteorologic factors.	Estuarine	350	
Pickering Creek Restoration Project	Rehabilitation	The NHEP provided funds for construction and monitoring activities to restore the saltmarsh area - which had been degraded from ditching. The restoration activities involved excavating pools to create deep water habitat - plugging man-made ditches - and connecting pools and panes by runnels.	Estuarine	42	
Rockingham Land Trust - Land Protection Assistance	Protection	The NHEP provided funds to the Rockingham Land Trust to work with interested community officials and landowners to increase the amount of land protected by conservation easements.	Uplands	43	
Total				1,200	