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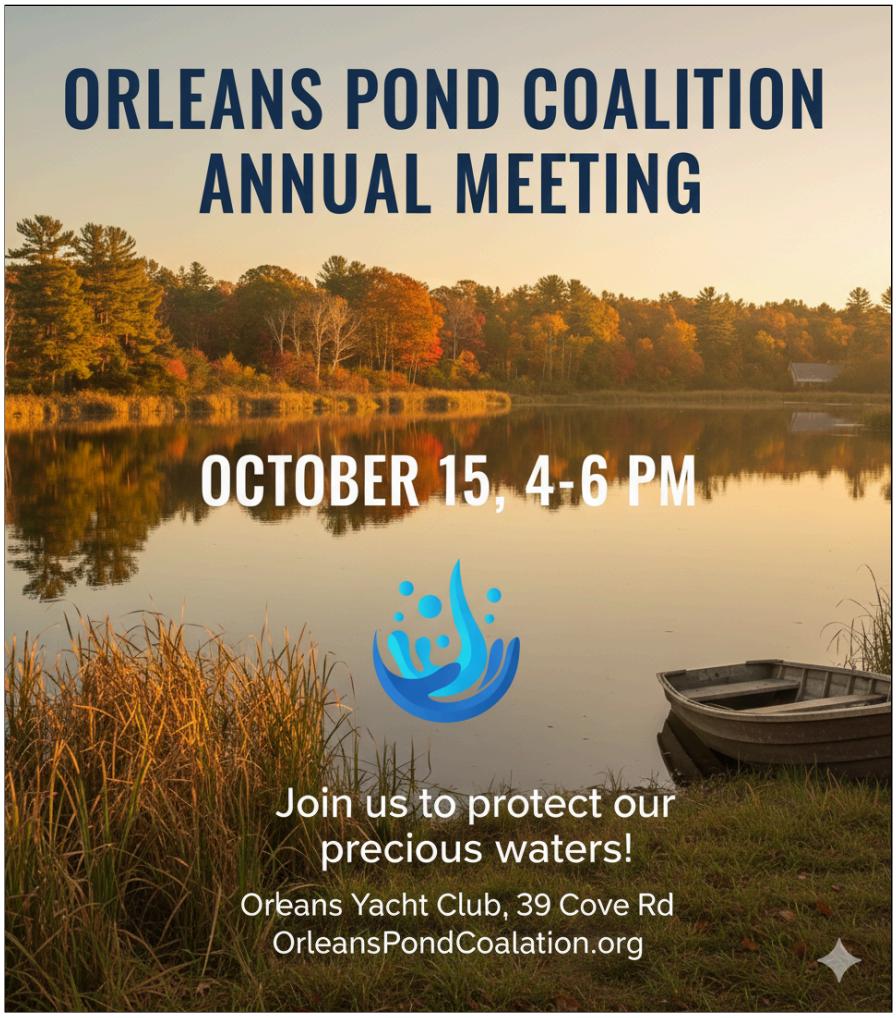
The Orleans Pond Coalition Annual Meeting



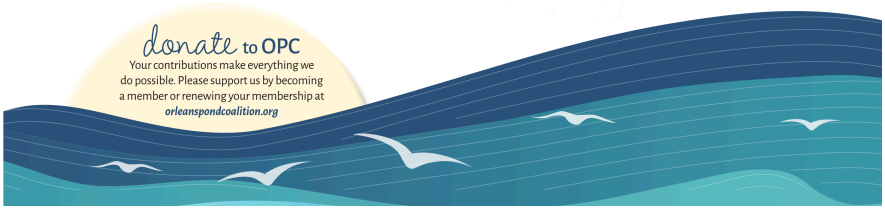
Be sure to mark your calendar for the Orleans Pond Coalition annual meeting on Wednesday, October 15th, at the Orleans Yacht Club.We look forward to updating you on OPC's initiatives in the past year. Additionally, we will vote on new board directors and the 2026 Nominating Committee. For information on our new directors, the nominating committee, and minutes from last year's meeting, please visit the OPC website:

Speaker:
How to Love Your Pond

The keynote speaker will be Kristin Andres, who will speak on "*How to Love Your Pond."* to give us an expanded understanding of complex pond ecosystems that are connected to our groundwater and need special care.

Kristin is the director of education and outreach for the Association to Preserve Cape Cod (APCC), the region's environmental advocacy non-profit. Before joining APCC, she worked for the town of Chatham as its first conservation agent for more than 15 years. Kristin is a former board member of the Ecological Landscape Alliance, current president of the Friends of Chatham Waterways, serves on the advisory board for Chatham Friends of Trees, has a seat on the Pollinator Pathway Cape Cod steering committee, is the regional liaison for Grow Native Massachusetts, and an honorary trustee of the Chatham Conservation Foundation. She writes a biweekly column for the *Cape Cod Chronicle* on natural history topics and conservation issues.

Additional Information on OPC Annual Meeting



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