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Working Waterways and Waterfronts National Symposium on Water Access

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**September 27-30, 2010**

**Holiday Inn by the Bay**

**Portland, Maine**

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- **Sponsor the Seafood Banquet:** \$7,000.  
Help support fishermen and aquaculturists by highlighting local fish and shellfish at Wednesday September 29<sup>th</sup> seafood banquet.
- **Sponsor Panels and/or Breakout Sessions:** \$3,000 each.  
Help speakers from around the country present models for success in the symposium's five topical tracks:
  1. Economic, Social/Cultural, and Environmental Impacts of and on Working Waterfronts
  2. Successful Local, Regional, State, and Federal Strategies Addressing Working Waterfront Issues
  3. Access to Capital and Grant-making for Working Waterfront Initiatives
  4. The Working Waterfront Interface: Small Business to Regional Port
  5. The Future of Working Waterfronts: Changing Climate, Changing Influence, Changing Uses
- **Sponsor the Welcome Reception:** \$2,000.  
Help the Symposium get off to a great start by sponsoring the welcome reception, Monday September 27<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM.
- **Sponsor a Keynote Address:** \$1,500.  
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