

NSGLC News

— June 2023 —



NSGLC's monthly e-newsletter with publication and research highlights, as well as news alerts on other major activities.

Publications

The NSGLC is pleased to offer the June 2023 issue of the *Ocean And Coastal Case Alert*. Read about *Sackett v. EPA*, a U.S. Supreme Court opinion narrowing federal jurisdiction over wetlands under the Clean Water Act.

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Be sure to check out the NSGLC blog for our most recent posts!

- NSGLC Law Fellow Samantha Hamilton covered the U.S. Supreme Court opinion, *National Pork Producers Council v. Ross*, in which the Court upheld a California animal welfare law that impacts interstate commerce.
- Meet our summer law students: Sam Stewart, Gabriela Martinez, and Matt Sheffield!

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Research

The NSGLC is conducting research on legal issues associated with aquatic invasive species in commerce as part of a project funded by the U.S. Department of Interior. In addition to participating in workgroup meetings on labeling, monitoring, enforcement, regulation, outreach, and industry standards, the NSGLC's conducting research into case studies of marbled crayfish, the red-eared slider, and water hyacinth sales. The case studies will highlight regulatory, resource, or enforcement gaps, as well as areas of success that can be modeled and replicated for other invasive species.

In March 2023, the State of Mississippi passed a law expanding private leasing of oyster reefs. Read our one-pager to learn more.

NSGLC Presents!

NSGLC Director gave a presentation on June 21 during the NAISMA monthly webinar series about the NSGLC's new project to create a model legal framework for noxious weed programs focused on pathway prevention through certified weed free forage, gravel, and mulch. During the course of the three-year project, the NSGLC with conduct an inventory and gap analysis of noxious weed statutes, regulations, and policies nationwide and develop a model framework to encourage harmonization of state noxious weed laws to advance NAISMA's Weed Free Program standards. The project is supported with funding through NAISMA from the U.S. Department of Commerce.

NSGLC webinar series:

 Join us on July 18th at 3 p.m. EST for our webinar featuring NSGLC summer student interns discussing their work on an array of topics, including sporeless kelp regulation, legal mechanisms for private property impacted by coastal hazards, and contaminants of emerging concern.

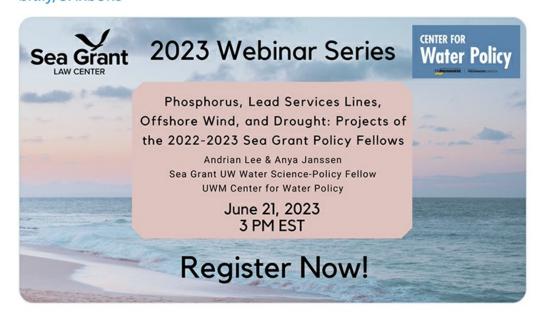
Register for Webinar

• The recordings, presentation slides, and captions for our May and June webinars are now available! In June, the 2022-2023 Sea Grant UW Water Science Policy Fellows shared their experiences at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Center for Water Policy over the past year. The May 30th webinar on "Understanding and Responding to Massive Sargassum Influxes" was a huge success! Thank you to everyone who attended!

Top Tweet of the Month



WEBINAR TOMORROW 6/21 @ 3pm EST: '22-'23 Sea Grant UW Water Science Policy Fellows, sharing their experiences at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Center for Water Policy on projects related to phosphorus, lead services lines, offshore wind, & drought. bit.ly/3Hxb0ke



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