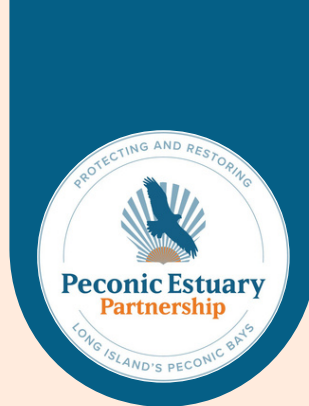


2024 MINI GRANT PROJECTS



THE PECONIC ESTUARY PARTNERSHIP AWARDS A YEARLY MINI GRANT TO PROJECTS THAT HELP ACHIEVE PEP COMPREHENSIVE CONSERVATION MANAGEMENT PLAN (CCMP) GOALS.

THE PERFECT EARTH PROJECT

"REDUCING NUTRIENT POLLUTION IN THE PECONIC ESTUARY WATERSHED THROUGH RESIDENTIAL OUTREACH AND NATURE-BASED LAND CARE EDUCATION".

This homeowner-focused educational program provides outreach and information to support transitioning away from conventional, toxic landscaping to nature-based, toxic-free land care. The grant supported three aspects of the Living Lands program. 1. Free eco-advisory site visits 2. Landscape Therapy workshops 3. Written educational materials.



THE ACCABONAC PROTECTION COMMITTEE

"ENHANCING WATER QUALITY COMMUNICATIONS IN THE ACCABONAC WATERSHED"

This project promoted environmental awareness and engagement within the East Hampton Latino community through partnership with local organizations, bilingual outreach, educational workshops, surveys, social media resources, and community events. The project strengthened the communities connection with the environment and identified opportunities for continued outreach.

THE CITIZEN SCIENCE LEARNING CENTER

"ADOPT-A-POND WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND POND KEEPERS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMING"

This multifaceted education and water quality monitoring project included freshwater sampling and nutrient analysis, HABs monitoring, a GIS and drone training workshop for teachers, and the Laurel Lake Pond Keepers Education Program. The project engaged educators and students in hands on environmental science and supported long term water quality monitoring.

