

Subject: Invitation to Participate in the New Hampshire Stream Crossing Replacement Prioritization Survey

Dear David,

Greetings! We are reaching out to invite you to participate in our research through the New Hampshire Stream Crossing Replacement Prioritization Survey. As an expert in this field, your insights are *instrumental* in informing the future of stream crossing (i.e. bridges and culverts) replacement in New Hampshire!

In this survey, we will ask you to rate the importance of several overarching goals and their evaluation criteria related to the replacement of stream crossing structures *in New Hampshire*. This survey aims to understand various stakeholders' preferences on stream crossing replacement prioritization. The insights gathered will help inform a decision support tool that aims to find “win-win” solutions that meet broader stakeholder needs. **By offering your expertise and feedback, you have the opportunity to shape the future stream crossing policies and management practices in New Hampshire.**

You can access the survey through the link below. Participation is voluntary, and you can withdraw at any point. The survey will take approximately 30 minutes of your time. Please be assured that your responses will remain confidential.

https://unh.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_576Mam2kHo0ZLfw

Please submit your survey by April 22nd, 2024, in order for your voice to be heard! You'll have four weeks from this email to complete the survey, please plan accordingly. Your involvement and time are greatly appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns about the research, please do not hesitate to contact us. A short presentation about the project can be found [here](#).

Thank you for considering participation in this vital effort!

Warm regards,

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This research has received approval from our Institutional Review Board under the study number: **IRB-FY2023-154**.