

2015 Drawdown of Glen Lake/Greggs Falls

Piscataquog River

NH DES has announced the annual fall drawdown of lakes and ponds controlled by dams owned by NHDES. This year Glen Lake/Greggs Falls on the Piscataquog River will be lowered starting Oct. 25, 2015. It will be lowered by 1.5 feet from its normal full depth. Lake drawdowns are conducted each fall to reduce winter ice damage to shoreline properties and to reduce spring flooding. Drawdowns also give property owners an opportunity to conduct any necessary repairs to their waterfront property, provided they first secure a permit from the NHDES Wetlands Bureau at (603) 271-2147. Generally, lake levels are allowed to return to the normal full pond level in the spring.