# **Massachusetts Junior Conservation Camp Packing List**

### What to Bring to Camp

#### **CLOTHING AND GEAR**

Please note, there are no laundry facilities at camp. Be sure to bring sufficient clothes for two weeks, including

- Plenty of underwear and socks
- A warm sweater or jacket
- One-two swimsuits (moderate one-piece swimsuits for females – no two-piece swimsuits allowed)
- Rain gear/large poncho
- Three pairs of foot gear, including a pair of hiking boots
- Sleeping bag and pillow
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Writing materials and postage
- Materials for note-taking
- Refillable water bottles
- Laundry bag or large plastic bag for dirty clothes

#### **TOILETRIES**

- Three (3) bath towels and face cloths
- Deodorant
- Soap/body wash
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Shaving articles
- Brush and/or comb
- Shampoo/conditioner
- Sunscreen/Bug repellent
- Medications
- Hand sanitizer
- Face cover such as mask or bandana (currently required by state guidelines; if guidelines change in future phases, these may not be required)

#### **OPTIONAL ITEMS**

- Camera
- Baseball glove
- Backpack, for the hike

Label camper's belongings when possible!

- Fishing tackle (do not bring expensive equipment. If you are over 15, bring your fishing license)
- Spending money (Campers do not need to buy anything once at camp. However, there is a canteen which has clothing, flashlights, batteries, stamps, fishing tackle, juice, soda and candy bars. Spending money is logged in at registration and any remaining money will be returned at the end of camp. Most campers are comfortable with \$30 \$60)

## What NOT to Bring to Camp

- Food or snacks (they could attract wildlife)
- Electronic devices including cell phones, tablets, etc
- Firearms
- Tobacco in any form; vaping devices; alcohol
- Matches or lighters
- Hatchets or knives (other than knives maintained in a tackle box)
- Any drugs -- all medications must be given to the Health Officer upon arrival at camp
- Any item of value that could be borrowed or stolen. The Camp does not offer secure storage.