

# LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION SUMMIT

## Agenda

### 8:00 am **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

*Network & Visit Conservation Commons Exhibitor Hall*

### 9:00 am **Welcome & Opening Program - Ballroom**

Welcome - Thomas Rogers, Board Chair, RI Land Trust Council

Land Acknowledgement - Dinalyn Spears, Director of Community Planning and Natural Resources, Narragansett Indian Tribe

Introduction - Kate Sayles, RI Land Trust Council

### 9:30 am **Keynote Presentation - Ethan Tapper, *How to Love a Forest***

The Work Ahead: Caring for Our Land and Water and Creating a Just Future

### 10:15 am **Break**

*Network & Visit Conservation Commons Exhibitor Hall*

### 10:35 am **Session A Workshops**

*Your Choice from 10 Workshops Offered*

### 11:55 am **Lunch - Ram's Den**

*Network and Visit Conservation Commons Exhibitor Hall*

*Ethan Tapper will be signing copies of his book*

### 1:00 pm **Session B Workshops**

*Your Choice from 10 Workshops Offered*

### 2:00 pm **Break**

*Network & Visit Conservation Commons Exhibitor Hall*

*Coffee & Afternoon Snacks Offered*

### 2:20 pm **Session C Workshops**

*Your Choice from 10 Workshops Offered*

### 3:25 pm **Closing Program - Ballroom**

Updates from Washington - US Senator Sheldon Whitehouse (pre-recorded)

Legislative Update: Director Terry Gray, RI Department of Environmental Management

Senator Louis DiPalma & Representative Megan Cotter

Raffles & Prizes

Closing Words - Dinalyn Spears, Director of Community Planning & Natural Resources, Narragansett Indian Tribe