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THE TPEPA

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The Trickey Pond Environmental Protection Association had a great 2019! Our members' donations were used to pay for Courtesy Boat Inspector (CBI) hours at the public boat launch and for water quality testing performed by the Lakes Environmental Association. Additionally, in the late fall, we initiated a watershed study that will evaluate the 555-acre Trickey Pond watershed to identify Non-Point Source pollution and result in a watershed protection plan that will outline steps forward to help ensure we keep Trickey Pond one of the cleanest lakes in the region. We look forward to sharing the results of this important work with all of you later in 2020.

Once again, the enhanced public boat launch saw an increase in usage. We worked hard to have boat inspectors there as often as possible, and were able to increase CBI coverage from eight to ten hours per day. This resulted in 595 boat inspections to help keep milfoil out of Trickey Pond. We need your help to ensure that invasive species do not destroy our beautiful pond!

This summer was incredible as we had seven baby loons! We are so excited that we have loons nesting again. These sweet babies serve as a constant reminder of how important it is that we protect their habitat. Next summer when the loons begin nesting again, please do not go on to the islands by foot, and keep a slow wake while driving by!

We are working hard to do all that we can to protect Trickey Pond, her plants and her animals. In addition to boat inspectors and water testing, we want to connect with our community. Please follow us on Facebook and Instagram for up-to-date news about Trickey Pond, and check out our website www.trickeypond.org, where you can learn more about how you can make a difference!

Thank you for being an important member of the Trickey Pond family.

Kristin Finkelstein, TPEPA Director of Development



OUR MISSION:
The Trickey Pond
Environmental
Protection Association
(TPEPA) aims to protect,
preserve and enhance
the natural environment
of Trickey Pond and its
watershed through
education, monitoring
and targeted action.



PROTECTING TRICKEY POND

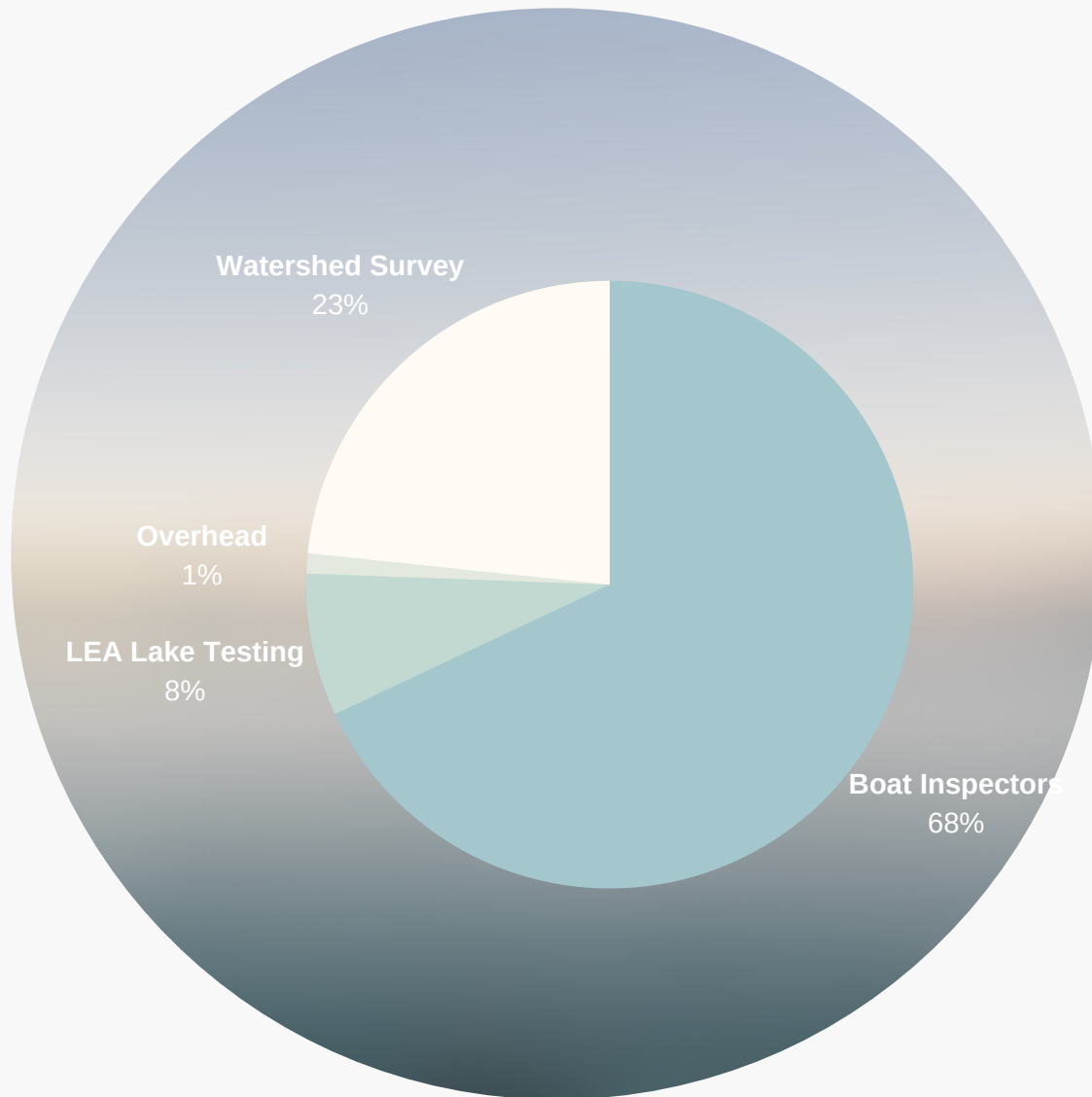
In 2019, 99% of total money spent by the TPEPA was used to protect Trickey Pond.

This year we conducted a vital watershed survey to learn how to best protect Trickey Pond.

With your continued support, we hope to increase the 2019 boat inspector hours and continue to fund annual water tests.

A boat inspector for one day in 2020 will cost the TPEPA \$155.

Please consider sponsoring a day of inspections next year!



THANK YOU

To our friends and neighbors for
your donations in 2019 of
\$5,587.25.

Thank you to the Town of Naples
for a grant of \$2,000 to assist
with our watershed survey.

Please consider shopping on
Amazon Smile, and choosing the
TPEPA as your charity!

The TPEPA is a proud recipient of
a Maine DEP Invasive Cost Share
Grant for \$1,800.

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