



The Mission of the Greenwich Board of Parks and Recreation is to pursue and promote a standard of excellence in the development of comprehensive park systems and quality facilities, which encourage diverse recreational opportunities and the preservation of natural resources.

Notice of Board Meeting  
**Parks & Recreation Conference Room**

Wednesday, June 28, 2017, 6:30 PM  
**Meeting Agenda**

- Call to Order 6:30 PM
- Approval of May 31, 2017 Meeting Minutes
- Discussions:
  - Beach Erosion Control Discussion Dr. Jennifer Mattei  
Professor Sacred Heart
  - Greenwich Point Master Plan Update Tom Greco
- Director's Report Joseph Siciliano
  - Byram Park Pool Project Update
  - Binney Park Project Update
- Chairman's Report Nancy Caplan
- Sub-Committee Updates and Comments:
  - Eastern Greenwich Civic Center Gary Dell'Abate
  - Dorothy Hamill Skating Rink Rick Loh
  - Harbor Management Scott Johnson
  - Fields Committee
- Unfinished Business
- New Business
- Public Comment
- Adjourn

**Jennifer H. Mattei, Ph.D.**  
**Sacred Heart, Professor**

**Professional Interests, Activities and Affiliations:**

Upland, wetland, and stream restoration, control of invasive plant species, and the population ecology of economically important species.

**Member:**

IUCN (International Union for the Conservation of Nature) Species Survival Commission Horseshoe Crab Specialist Group.

**Memberships:**

- Ecological Society of America
- Society for Ecological Restoration
- Coastal & Estuarine Research Federation

**Affiliate:**

- New England Estuarine Research Society
- American Association for the Advancement of Science
- Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society
- Degrees and Certifications
- Ph.D., 1994 Ecology and Evolution, State University of New York at Stony Brook
- M.F.S., 1984 Forest Science, Yale University, School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
- B.S., 1982 Zoology, University of Maryland, College Park
- Post-doctoral Research Associate 1994-1995, Restoration Ecology. Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Natural Resources, Rutgers University
- Teaching Responsibilities
- Ecology & Evolution

**Research Interests & Grants**

- Dr. Mattei has a wide range of interests in population ecology, restoration, and conservation. Her main areas of research are:
  - The restoration and conservation of urban and suburban meadow, forest and estuarine ecosystems;
  - Stratford Point Living Shoreline: Restoring Coastal Habitats to Maintain Resiliency and Function;
  - Supported by the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, \$148,000 and DuPont.
- The population ecology and conservation of the Long Island Sound Horseshoe Crab (*Limulus polyphemus*). Project Limulus
- A Community Research Program. Disney Conservation Fund, Co-PI with Dr. Mark Beekey, Department of Biology, Sacred Heart University \$153,500.

**Honors, Awards & Fellowships:**

- Women Faculty Mentoring Committee 2011-Present
- Chair, Department of Biology 2002-2009
- Fellow for the Center on Teaching and Learning 2006-2007
- Faculty Appreciation Award: The Office of Residential Life 2007