



# A COVID-19 Update from *Fresh Pond Reservation*

To all of Fresh Pond Reservation's visitors, neighbors, and extended community: we want to assure you we are monitoring the Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) Pandemic as part of the City of Cambridge's official safety precautions.

**Fresh Pond Reservation will remain open to the public daily from dawn to dusk.** You are all invited to enjoy nature as spring crawls across the landscape of the City's active drinking water reservoir protection land. We ask that visitors maintain safe social distancing (6ft.) from other users, caution and consideration goes a long way. Please continue to respect the property by picking up after your pup, making sure all trash makes it to proper receptacles, and respecting all life by leaving only footprints and taking only photographs. Above all else, please respect each other as we expect the reservation to be heavily used.

Per the directive of the City Manager, **all City-sponsored public programming (ranger walks, talks, volunteer events) will be suspended until April 30<sup>th</sup>.** In addition, all municipal buildings will be **closed to the public until further notice starting Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm** (this includes the Ranger Station and Restrooms). **We intend to provide portable restrooms in the parking lots.** We appreciate your patience and cooperation as we navigate the challenges of this difficult situation together.

Visit the City of Cambridge's dedicated webpage at [cambridgeMA.gov/covid19](https://cambridgeMA.gov/covid19) for general resources, safety guides, and updates and information about policy, schools, libraries and more from the Cambridge Public Health Department and the Office of the City Manager.

Best regards,  
The City of Cambridge Water Department  
and the staff at Fresh Pond Reservation

