# CSULATION CONTRACTOR OF THE CONNECTICUT RIVER

### 2021 MEDIA KIT

## estuary

- is a river
- is a magazine
- A community of 2 million likeminded people in its watershed

## Mission

*Estuary* is the first magazine dedicated to the Connecticut River, the only National Blueway in America, a federal program designed to "protect and popularize the country's rivers by taking a holistic approach to conservation." Stories range from recreation and history and art and culture to science and the restoration of sanctuaries and wildlife habitats.

*Estuary* is about living in the watershed and engaging in activities that support and enhance the health of the River, its tributaries, and shorelines.

*Estuary* is about the rich traditions of people who settled the region: their art, food, culture, and outdoor activities.



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## In Every Issue You'll Read About



## Community

*Estuary* readers care deeply about the Connecticut River, especially its...

### RECREATIONAL OFFERINGS

birding, kayaking, photography, hiking, biking, camping, boating, fishing, canoeing, and day trips.

### HISTORY

from its geological beginnings, to Indian life and early settlers, its industry, and the environmental impact of the Clean Water Act.

### CHALLENGES

including land conservation, rising sea level, water quality, and the environment for river plants, fish, and wildlife.

### CULTURE

museums, galleries and painters abound along the shores of the River: arts, crafts, and a shared way of life.

### CSU2AL Life of the Connecticut River



## Our Market is Truly Vertical

The Connecticut River is 410 miles from Long Island Sound to Pittsburg, New Hampshire. It has immense beauty and diversity... it passes through 4 New England states, 99 cities and towns, and populated by approximately 2 million people who...

- fish it
- hike it
- travel to it, travel on it
- photograph it
- paint it
- camp by it
- bike by it
- paddle on it
- swim in it
- conserve it
- eat from it
- bird watch in it, and...
- honor and respect it
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## Market Survey Data





## *Estuary* is Good for Business

The Connecticut River passes through areas of New England where people are frugal but don't hesitate to spend their money on items important to their lifestyle. Our audience is comfortable and has the income to buy: Orvis fly rods, Timberland hiking boots, Nikon cameras, Windsor-Newton art supplies, L.L. Bean camp stoves, Yeti Trail bikes, Marmot hiking clothes, and Bausch & Lomb binoculars.

Many stay in upscale inns and enjoy eating well.

They are curious, concerned, and respectful.





## A Magazine is Born

At last, a magazine has been created to reflect the rich diversity of the River Valley, its people, and its potential.

 Two million readers live within the 99 communities along its banks, in beautiful hamlets like Hanover, New Hampshire; White River Junction, Vermont; Greenfield, Massachusetts; Old Lyme, Connecticut; and important cities like Springfield, Massachusetts, and Hartford, Connecticut.

Our Readers are Leaders: As of the 2010 Census, the Connecticut River passes by some of the more energetic and proactive communities in America. Our readers are 35+, well-educated, and affluent.

*Our Style: Estuary* is a magazine designed to be held, absorbed, and enjoyed. It is a full color presentation in large format, on high quality heavy paper for extended life on the coffee table, and a brand experience offering a New England sense of sturdy adventure and style. Our contributors are subject matter experts and our photographers are award winning and world-class.

*Your Opportunity:* Partner with *Estuary* to reach great prospects.



## Editorial Calendar

### Summer 2021

Reserve by	4/1/21
Art Due	4/10/21

### Fall 2021

Reserve by	7/1/21
Art Due	7/10/21

### Winter 2021

Reserve by	10/1/21
Art Due	10/10/21

### Spring 2022

Reserve by	1/2/22
Art Due	1/10/22



### Digital EstuaryMagazine.com

*Estuary* magazine online will provide the general public with highlights of articles in current editions and a gateway to your online edition. Subscribers will receive a full and complete interactive edition of the magazine's current edition and a searchable archive of full articles from past issues.



Social Media Estuary magazine is active on Facebook and Instagram.



## Print Ad Specifications

AD SIZE	NON-BLEED	BLEED
Spread	16.75" x 9.5"	18.25" x 11.25"
Page	7.5625" x 9.5"	9.125" x 11.25"
1/2 Vertical	3.6875 " x 9.5"	4.4375" x 11.25"
1/2 Horizontal	7.5625" x 4.6875"	9.125" x 5.5625"
1/3 Vertical	2.3125" x 9.5"	3" x 11.25"
1/3 Horizontal	7.5625" x 3.1111"	9.125" x 3.9361"

Ad Delivery: We require that ads be emailed to estuary@marinermedia.com.

#### **General Information**:

Publication Trim Size: 9" x11" Bleed: 0.125" beyond trim on all sides Safety: 0.25" from trim on all sides Binding: Saddle Stitch Photo Resolution: 300 dpi Line Screen: 175 lpi Color: CMYK only

**Spread Ad Gutter Safety**: We recommend .0625"– .125" safety on each side of the gutter, depending on creative.

Advertising Document Size: Dimensions of supplied file should reflect the Non-Bleed or Bleed size, not the trim size.

Acceptable File Format: JPEG, TIFF, or PDF/X-1A. All fonts and high-resolution images (300 dpi at 100% of size) fonts must be packaged and embedded.

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