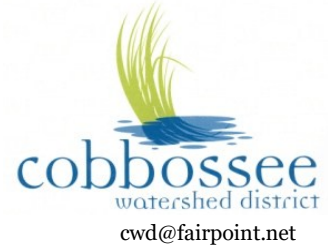


WATER LEVELS STATUS REPORT

THROUGH JUNE 25, 2026



PRECIPITATION *measured at CWD office in Winthrop:*

April total	3.59 inches
May total	4.56 inches
June so far:	2.66 inches

April precipitation (as measured at CWD in Winthrop) was approximately half an inch below average, and May precipitation was approximately 3/4 of an inch above average. June precipitation is trending below average. The drought status in the Cobbossee Watershed has improved and moved out of drought into the “abnormally dry” category.

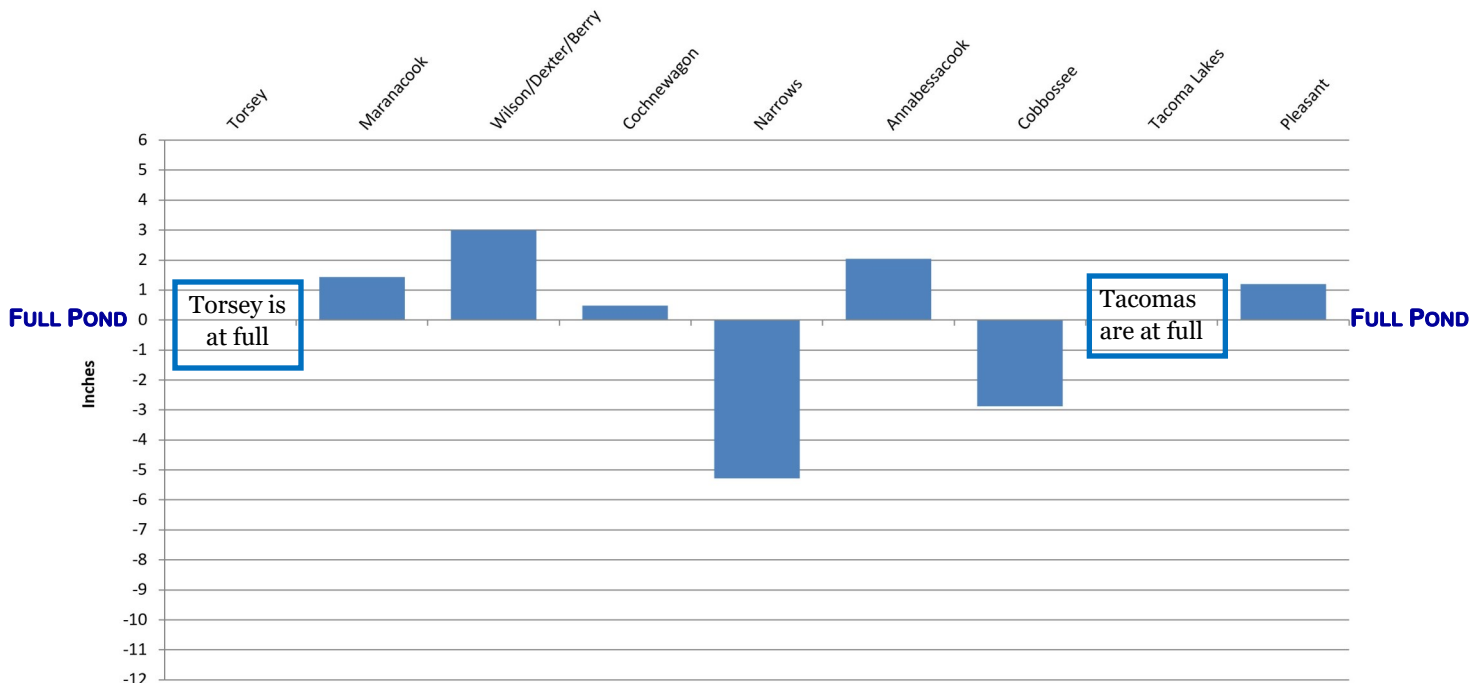
Lake Levels

Summer water level management goals are to start with a full pond and minimize seasonal water loss from evaporation by minimizing water discharges and dam leakage, resulting in only a gradual lowering of water levels throughout the summer. Last year's drought made it difficult to maintain desired levels.

Lakes are at or near full pond levels now. The variation ranges from 5 inches below full pond at Narrows Ponds, where there is no dam to control the level, to 3 inches above at Berry/Dexter/Wilson Ponds. We will be watching those that are slightly above full and ask dam operators to open more if necessary, if water keeps rising. The five ponds of the Tacoma Lakes, and Torsey Pond, were exactly at full pond as of June 24th.

Additional details are on page 2.

CWD Lake Levels June 24-25, 2026 as inches above or below full pond



Summer water level standards went into effect June 1st. All lakes were within summer standards on June 22nd, then Pleasant Pond rose slightly to about one inch above the maximum standard. The table below gives current lake levels and compares to the summer standards. Levels are expected to decline during summer unless rainfall is above normal.

Recent lake levels, MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM SUMMER water level STANDARDS (*feet above sea level/ NGVD 29*)

LAKE	RECENT LEVEL	SUMMER MINIMUM	SUMMER MAXIMUM	WATER LEVEL STATUS	DAM STATUS
ANNABESSACOOK LAKE	170.37 6/24	168.7	170.35	At summer maximum standard. 2 inches above full pond.	All boards in. Flow is over the spillway and leakage.
COBBOSSEE LAKE	167.06 6/24	166.1	167.6	Within summer standards. 3 inches below full pond.	1 gate open 4 inches. Outflow est. 30 cfs
COCHNEWAGON LAKE	270.94 6/24	269.4	271.0	Within summer standards. About at full pond.	Gate open 2 inches.
MARANACOOK LAKE	211.62 6/24	210.0	212.0	Within summer standards. About an inch above revised full pond elevation.	Gate partly open, outflow 34 cfs.
NARROWS PONDS	171.56 6/24	170.5	172.0	Within summer standards. 5 inches below full pond.	none
PLEASANT POND and Cobbossee Stream	135.1 6/25	134.0	135.0	One inch above summer maximum standard. 1 inch above full pond.	2 gates open a few inches. Outflow = 60 cfs
TORSEY POND	263.0 6/24	262.0	263.5	Within summer standards. At revised full pond.	1 gate open 1 inch.
WILSON POND and Dexter & Berry Ponds	241.75 6/24	240.2	241.7	Half an inch above summer maximum standard. 3 inches above full pond.	0 boards out, slight outflow
WOODBURY POND /Tacoma Lakes *Not feet above sea level.	7.5* 6/24	none	7.5	At TLA maximum goal of 7.5 on staff gage. At full pond.	Gates closed

- ♦ The Mill Pond Dam on Wilson Stream, below the Wilson Pond Dam, was inspected in June to evaluate maintenance needs.
- ♦ The Town of Monmouth is developing a plan to fix the board leakage at the Annabessacook Lake Dam.
- ♦ Owners of the New Mills Dam on Cobbossee Stream in Gardiner continue to make plans for maintenance repairs in the fall.



6/25/2026