



**Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection**  
**Long Island Sound Ambient Water Quality Monitoring Program**  
**FIELD SAMPLING SCHEDULE FOR 2016**  
**PROPOSED**

Month	Dates	Ship	Survey Type
January	1/6-1/8	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
February	2/2-2/5	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
February	2/16-2/19 (2/15 Presidents' Day Holiday)	R/V John Dempsey	Chlorophyll
March	3/1-3/4	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
March	3/14-3/18	R/V John Dempsey	Chlorophyll
April	4/4-4/8	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
May	5/2-5/6	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
June	5/31-6/3 (5/30 Memorial Day Holiday)	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
June	6/13-6/16	R/V Patricia Lynn R/V John Dempsey backup	Summer Hypoxia
July	7/5-7/8 (7/4 Independence Day Holiday)	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
July	7/18-7/22	R/V John Dempsey	Summer Hypoxia
August	8/1-8/5	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
August	8/15- 8/19	R/V John Dempsey	Summer Hypoxia
September	8/29-9/2 (9/5 Labor Day Holiday)	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
September	9/12-9/14	R/V Patricia Lynn R/V John Dempsey backup	Summer Hypoxia
October	10/3-10/6	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
November	11/7-11/10 (11/11 Veterans Day Holiday)	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality
December	12/5-12/9	R/V John Dempsey	Water Quality