

NEED HELP WITH THE GIS MAPS PAGE?

No Problem! Sometimes technology can be a bit daunting but hopefully this will provide you with some guidance on doing simple property queries.

Lets start with the Town of Kennebunkport's website: www.kennebunkportme.gov



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Town of Kennebunkport, Maine. The header features the town's seal on the left, which includes a ship and the text "THE TOWN OF KENNEBUNKPORT, ME. INCORPORATED 1833". To the right of the seal, the text "Kennebunkport, Maine" is displayed in a large, serif font, with "Welcome to Kennebunkport" underneath in a smaller, sans-serif font. Below the header is a navigation menu with buttons for "Home", "About Our Town", "Departments", "Board of Selectmen", "Appointed Boards", "Town Publications", "Town Calendars", "Meetings & Events", "Public Ordinances", "FAQs", "Forms", "Town Projects", "RSU #21 Topics", "Assessor's Database", "GIS Maps", "Water Quality", "Recreation News", "GRB Litigation", "Bid/RFPs", "FEMA", "Online Services", "Online Bill Payment", "Online Meetings", and "Important Links". A search bar is located at the bottom left of the navigation menu.

Kennebunkport, Maine
Welcome to Kennebunkport



Kennebunkport has been bustling with commerce since the 1800s, when many ships were built and sent to sea from its harbor. Historically, Kennebunkport has been very important in the shipping industry of Maine. Folks settling this area were bound to the sea, and even today the seafaring culture is still much in evidence.

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Kennebunkport Public Notices

1.14.14	Town of Kennebunkport Needs Board/Committee Volunteers
1.6.14	Special Election - January 21, 2014
12.30.13	Absentee Ballots for Jan. 21, 2014
12.23.13	Kennebunkport is No Longer a Passport Acceptance Facility as of 12/31/2013
12.20.13	Carbon Monoxide and Ice Fishing
12.10.13	Kennebunkport Clam Flat Closure 12-1-2013
12.9.13	Time to License Your Dog
11.18.13	Jan. 21, 2014 Election Notice

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Click on the yellow tab labeled GIS Maps. This will take you to a page that looks like this:

The screenshot displays a GIS web application for Kennebunkport, Maine. At the top center, a blue banner contains the text "Kennebunkport, Maine". To the left of the banner is the official seal of the town, which includes the text "THE TOWN OF KENNEBUNKPORT, MAINE" and "INCORPORATED 1853". Below the banner is a map interface. On the left side of the map is a legend panel with the following items:

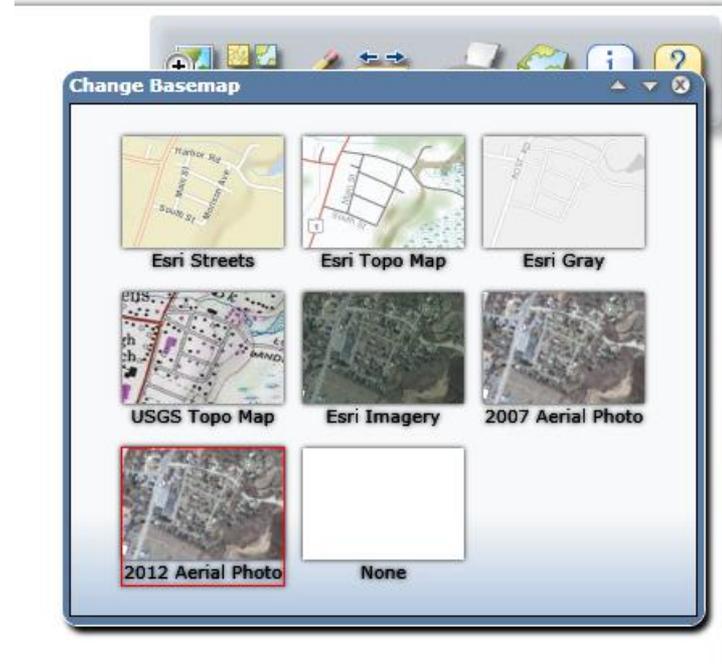
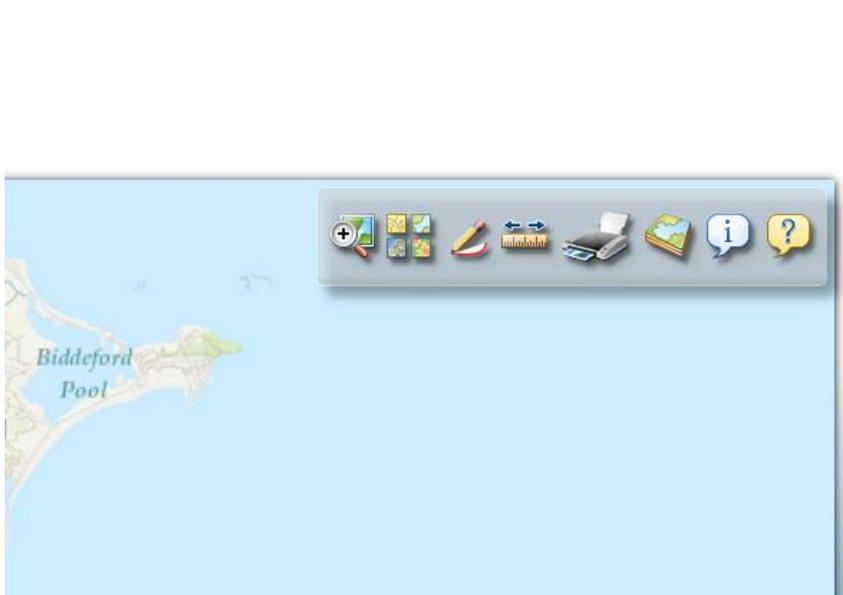
- Legend Search More Info
- Selected Parcels
- Layers
- Parcels
- Parcels Lines
- Road Labels
- Utilities
- GPS Monuments
- Removed Trees
- Shade Trees
- Surfacewater Drainage
- Rights of Way
- Stonewalls
- Road ROW
- Piers/Docks
- Ponds
- Swamps
- Tidal Areas
- FEMA Draft 2013
- General Zoning
- Political Boundary

The map itself shows a detailed parcel map of Kennebunkport, with a black outline indicating the town's political boundary. The map includes labels for roads such as "High St", "Western Ave", and "Cat Moysam Rd", and geographical features like the "Kennebunk River" and "Little River". A toolbar on the right side of the map contains various icons for navigation and map manipulation. In the bottom right corner, there is a logo for "WOODWARD & CURRAN".

Base Map Selection

In the upper right hand corner of the screen you will see a number of icons. Typically used ones are the grouping of 4 small boxes which give you choices for base maps, the draw graphics tool, and the print icon.

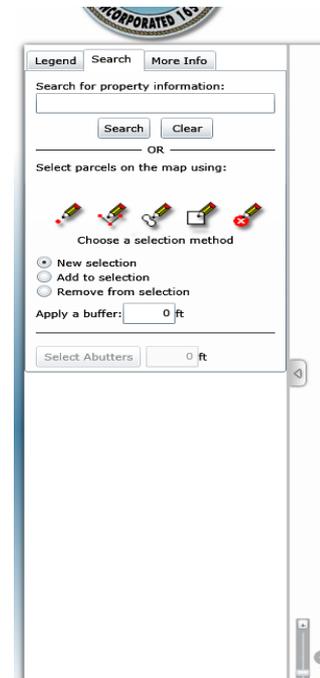
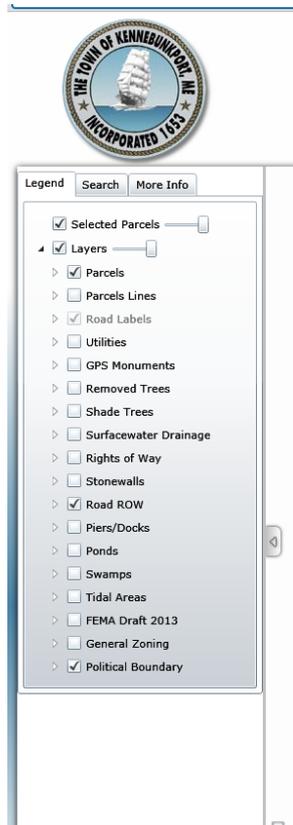
Selecting the base maps option will bring up these choices. Choose the base map titled 2012 Aerial Photo . Once you've selected the base map close the change base map window by selecting the x in the upper right hand corner.



Legend and Property Selection

On the left hand side of the screen you will see a number of choices: Legend, Search , and More Info. There are many pieces of information available in the legend selection. For this exercise lets select the box titled FEMA Draft 2013 and de-select the box titled Road ROW

Lets select a property, Properties can be chosen by a number of different ways, location, property owner, map, block and lot, to name a few. Keep in mind the more general the search parameter the more results will be displayed. For instance typing in Wildes District Road will result in the display of every parcel that has Wildes District Road as part of its description. Lets look at the Cape Porpoise Pier. Type in : 79 & 81 Pier Road and select the search button.



Property Selection

Once you've selected the property you'll see quite a bit! With the flood layer selected it will obscure the base layer beneath. Either turn the layer off on the legend tab, or use the slide bar next to "Layer" to adjust the transparency.

You will see a lot of information shown below the property image. This information is an extract from the Assessors database and will tell you information related to property ownership and assessed value.

The screenshot shows a web-based GIS application for Kennebunkport, Maine. The map displays a property highlighted in blue, overlaid on a flood layer (green hatched pattern). A legend on the left lists various layers, including 'Selected Parcels', 'Layers', 'Parcels', 'Parcels Lines', 'Road Labels', 'Utilities', 'GPS Monuments', 'Removed Trees', 'Shade Trees', 'Surfacewater Drainage', 'Rights of Way', 'Stonewalls', 'Road ROW', 'Piers/Docks', 'Ponds', 'Swamps', 'Tidal Areas', 'FEMA Draft 2013', 'General Zoning', and 'Political Boundary'. The 'Property Information' table at the bottom of the map interface is as follows:

GIS ID	MBL	PID	Street Number	Street Name	Owner	Co-owner	Owner Address	City	State	Zip	Country	Use Description	Building Value	Extra Features Value	Outbuilding Value	Land Value	Total Value	Be
3820	29-2-7	79 & B1	PIER ROAD	KENNEBUNKPORT TOWN OF			PO BOX 566	KENNEBUNKPORT ME	04046	USA	MUNICIPAL	MDL-96	237800	34500	171000	1736800	2180100	01

Property Information

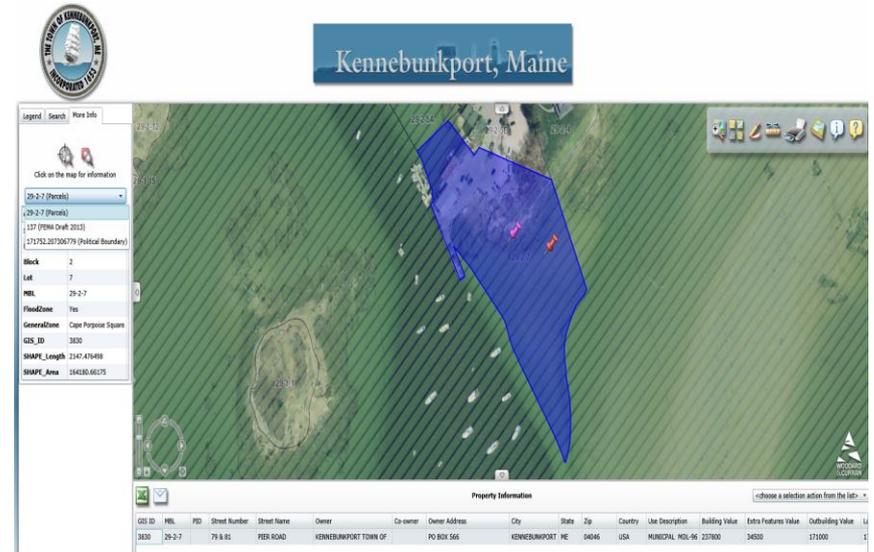
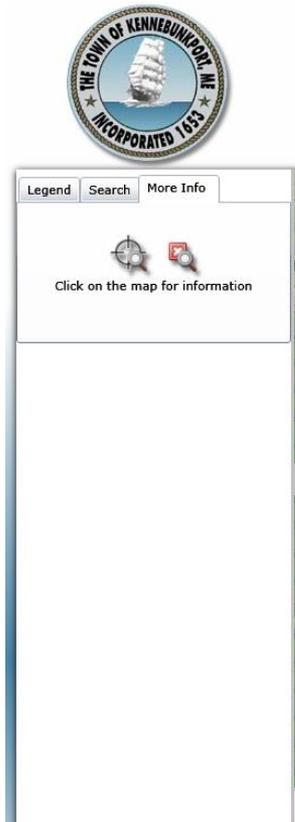
<choose a selection action from the list>

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More Information

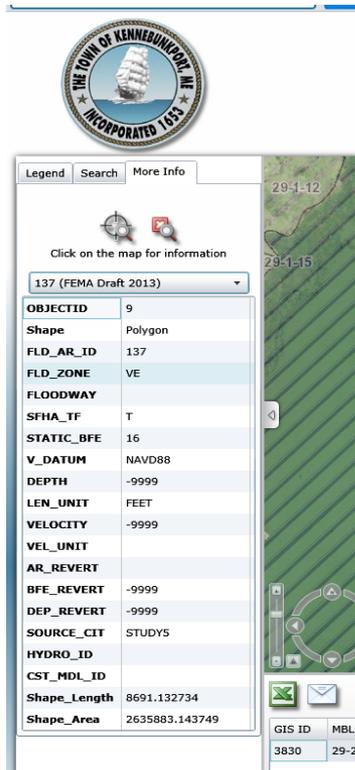
To find out more information about the selected layers choose the More Info tab and select target icon.

Once you've clicked on the target icon move the mouse arrow back over to the Pier parcel and click on it. You will see a push pin appear on the parcel along with additional layer information appearing on the left hand side.



More Information

Looking at the additional information options on the left hand side select the drop down arrow. Select the FEMA Draft 2013 option and you will see displayed information such as the type of Flood Zone along with the base flood elevation.



The screenshot shows a GIS application interface. At the top left is the seal of the Town of Kennebunkport, ME, incorporated in 1853. Below the seal are tabs for 'Legend', 'Search', and 'More Info'. A map on the right shows a green hatched area representing a flood zone, with coordinates 29-1-12 and 29-1-15. A legend on the left shows a dropdown menu set to '137 (FEMA Draft 2013)'. Below the legend is a table of attributes for the selected feature.

Attribute	Value
OBJECTID	9
Shape	Polygon
FLD_AR_ID	137
FLD_ZONE	VE
FLOODWAY	
SFHA_TF	T
STATIC_BFE	16
V_DATUM	NAVD88
DEPTH	-9999
LEN_UNIT	FEET
VELOCITY	-9999
VEL_UNIT	
AR_REVERT	
BFE_REVERT	-9999
DEP_REVERT	-9999
SOURCE_CIT	STUDY5
HYDRO_ID	
CST_MDL_ID	
Shape_Length	8691.132734
Shape_Area	2635883.143749

- There you go! You've found out information regarding how the Preliminary Flood maps will affect the Cape Porpoise Pier. There is quite a bit more information and search options available here, but hopefully this brief tutorial has helped you begin to navigate all the information we have available on the Kennebunkport GIS Maps Site. If you have questions navigating this site please feel free to e-mail or call Werner Gilliam at :

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