# NEW-WES-VALLEY Habitat Conservation Map

#### Your town conserves wildlife habitat!

Do you know the roads marked with a star? Can you circle your school and find your house?

Can you circle the closest protected habitat (green blobs) to your house?

Fill in the road names!  $\triangle$ 



Map Legend







Boundary









Birdwatching Town Hall

Library

School

"Together Steering a New Course" New-Wes-Valley is made up of 8 communities, can you name them? 2) 1) 4) 3)

6)

7) 8)

5)

#### **Home Sweet Habitat**

List or draw who/what makes this habitat their home



South West Brook Municipal Park





#### The S in SAM is for Stewardship!

Stewardship means to take care of the environment

#### Stewardship Checklist:

Walking a Trail		Birdwatching
Finding a Geoca	ache 🔲	Picking up Litter
Talking about V	Wetlands 🔲	Reading about Wetlands
Recycling		Composting
Learning a Bird	Call	Keeping Pets on a leash

## Birdwatching List

Circle the birds you have seen in your town









Duck

American Black Green-winged Teal

Common Goldeneye

Lesser Scaup









Dark-eved Junco

Fox Sparrow

Yellow-rumped Warbler

Black-capped Chickadee









American Coot American Crow

Great Blackbacked Gull

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Black-legged Kittiwake

### Habitat Conservation and YOU

Say Hello to SAM

Stewardship Association of Municipalities works with your town to help conserve habitat for animals, birds, fish, plants, and youl

Habitat: is the natural home of plants, animals, and other organisms

Conservation: is the protection of the natural environment including its plants and animals



I help conserv	re habitat	because
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