

Master Plan for Barbara Harris Camp and Conference Center

Location: Greenfield, New Hampshire
Client: Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts
Size: 326 acres
Cost: \$1.8 million
Status: Design and documentation completed 2002



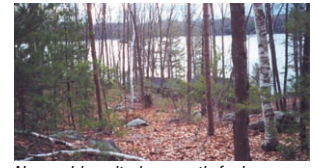
New Conference Center and Camp Lodge is sited within the existing pine forest.

“Strengthening the inner lives of young people and adults, renewing and nurturing faith, building bridges of relationships among the diverse communities of the diocese, and raising up thoughtful and compassionate leadership within the Church and the wider community it serves” – Mission Focus, 1998

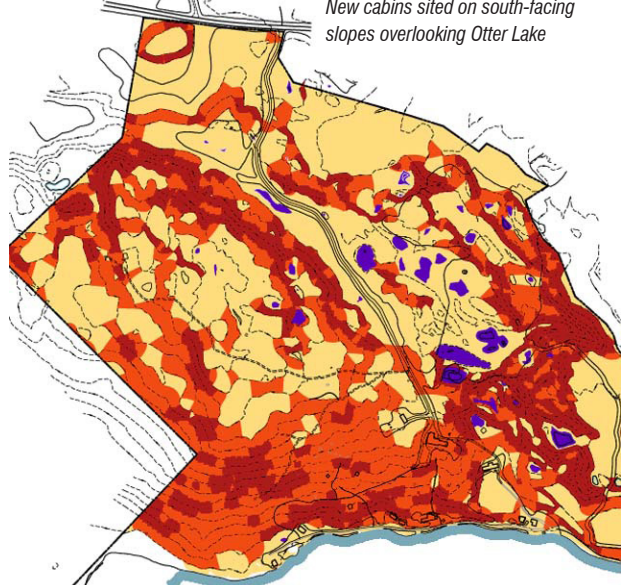
The Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, comprising the urban Boston communities as well its suburbs, wanted to provide a summer camping experience that would serve some 1,500 young people, a year-round conference facility to meet the needs of adults and youths, and an inviting and community-building environment for family camping. The new camp and conference center is sited on a wooded 326-acre site bordering Otter Lake. The main core of buildings are winterized and function as a conference center in the off season. Building siting and trail alignments will also allow much of the camp to be handicapped accessible.



Illustrative Site Master Plan



New cabins sited on south-facing slopes overlooking Otter Lake



Slope analysis and glacial depressions assisted in the siting of trails and buildings.