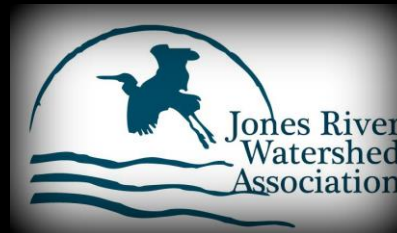


Water quantity and water withdrawals



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Silver Lake. January 2017

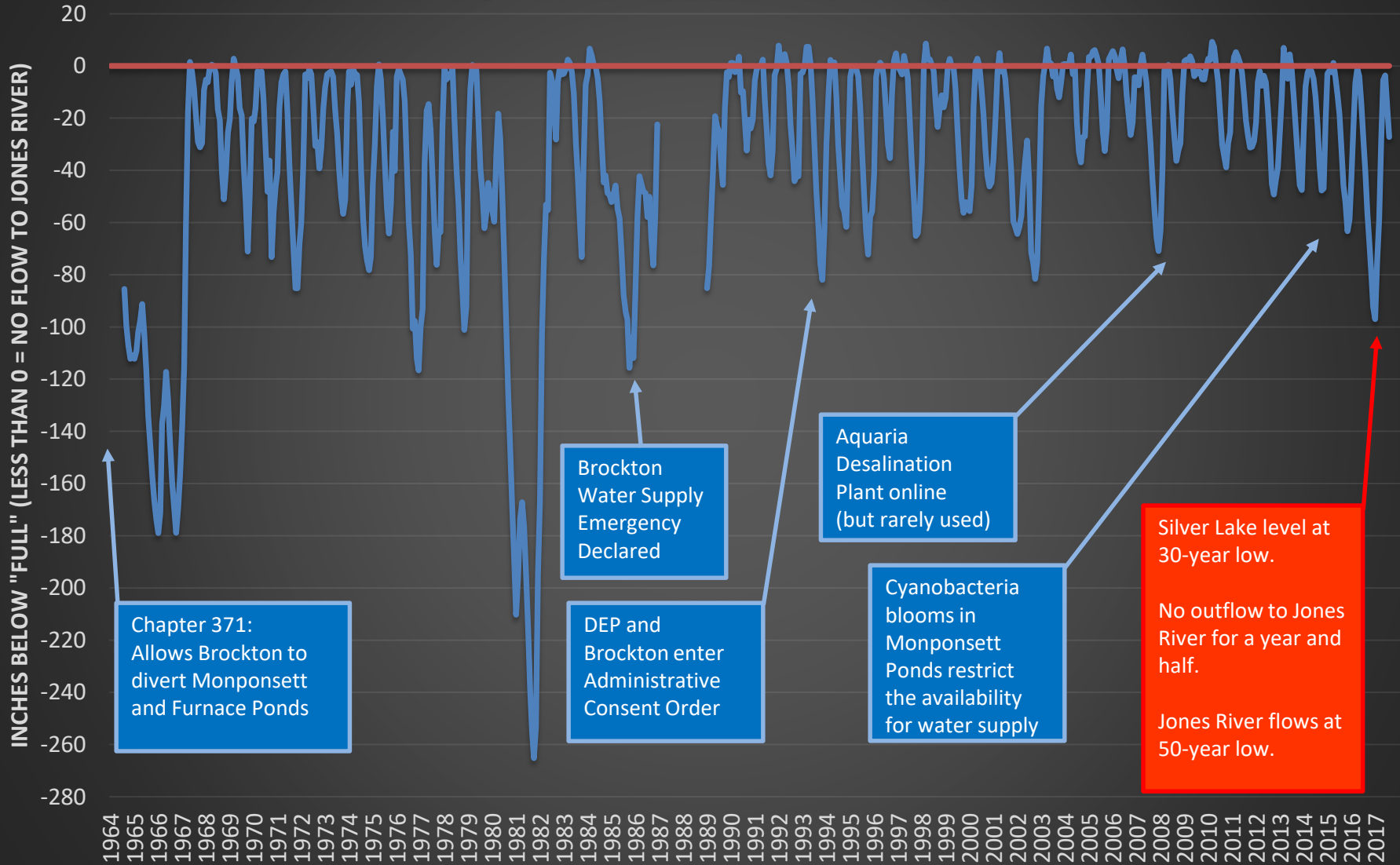


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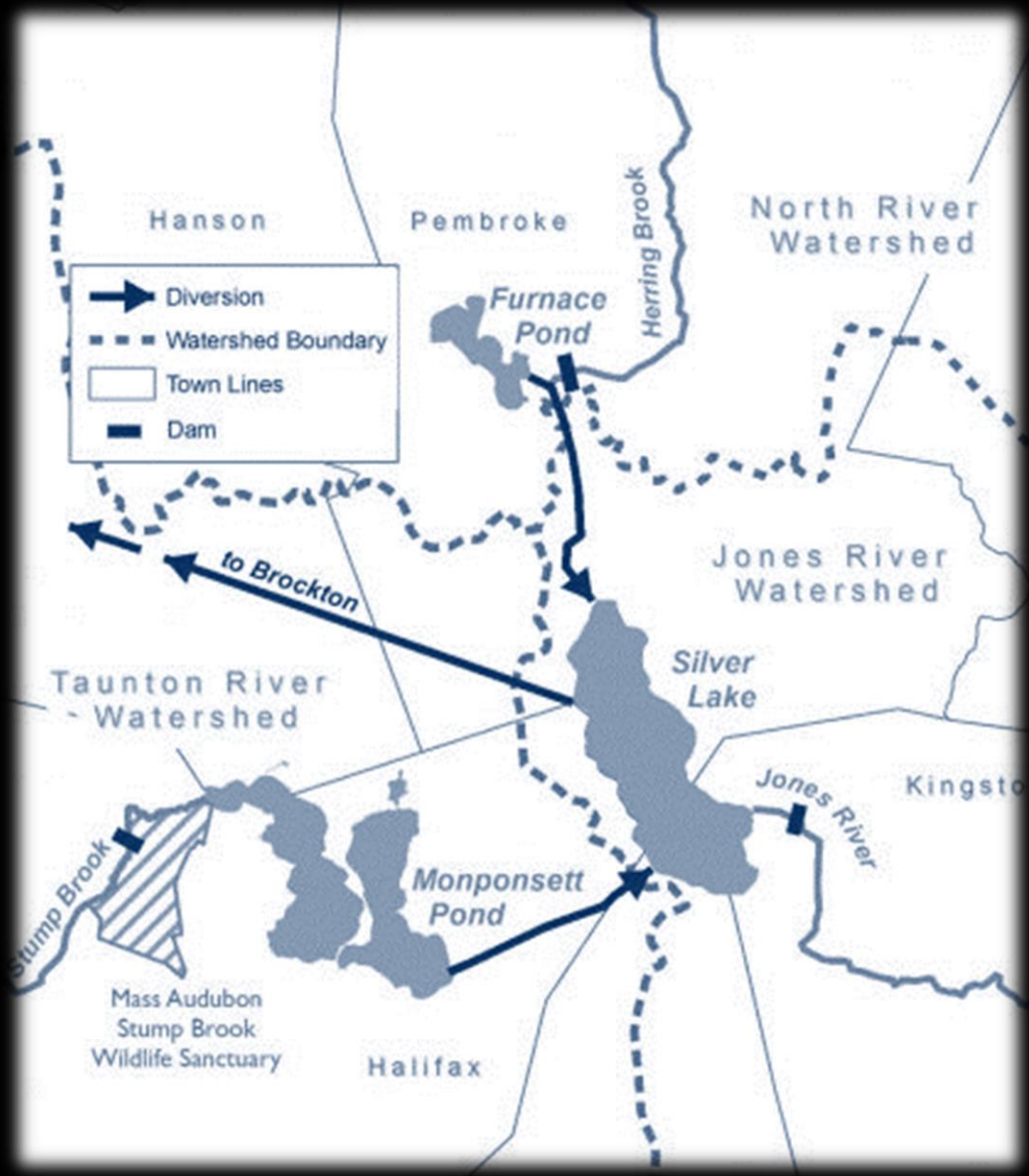




Silver Lake Levels 1964 - 2017



October 2017



A photograph of a concrete dam structure, possibly a spillway or outlet, with the text "Political Dam" overlaid in white. The dam is made of dark, weathered concrete and is situated in a natural setting with trees and vegetation in the background. The water level is low, and there are some plants growing in the water. The text is written in a bold, sans-serif font and is positioned diagonally across the middle of the image.

Political Dam

What Can You Do?

Specific to this Site

- Acts of 1964. Amend or rescind.
- Clean Water Act. Enforce.
- Guide Brockton to other sustainable sources (MWRA)

State-Wide

- End “Grandfathering” of Registrations.
- Water Management Act needs to meet spirit and intent of the Act. Rather than it being abused by the loopholes of the language.



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- **Barnstable** Clean Water Coalition
- **Eel River** Watershed Association
- **Herring Ponds** Watershed Association
- **Jones River** Watershed Association
- **Neponset River** Watershed Association
- **North and South Rivers** Watershed Association
- **Pembroke** Watershed Association
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- **Six Ponds** Improvement Association
- **Taunton River** Watershed Alliance
- **Weir River** Watershed Association
- **Westport River** Watershed Alliance