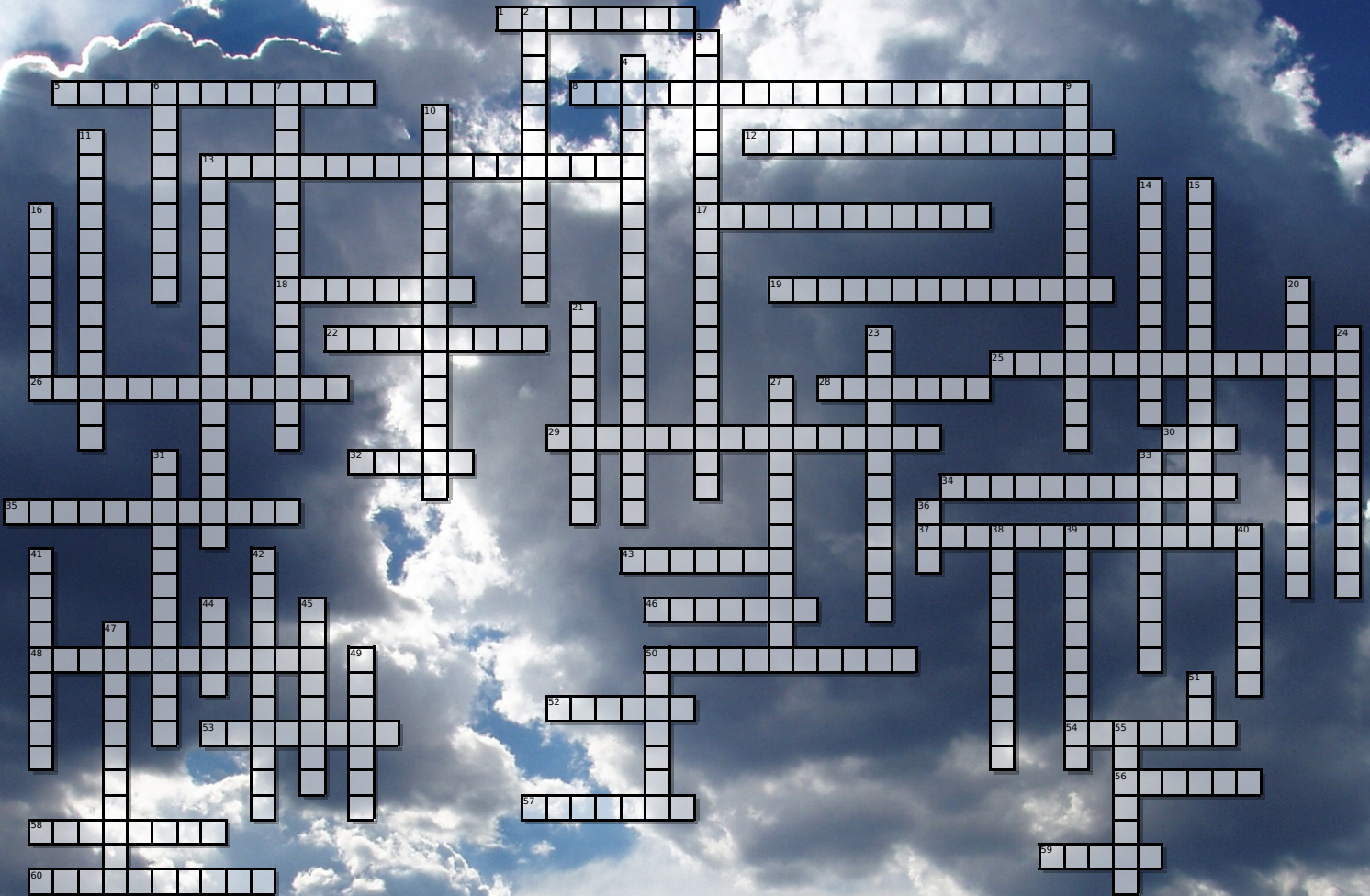


Explore Maine Crossword Puzzle

FINAL VERSION



ACROSS

- 1 Maine's highest mountain
- 5 Recycling Reform's Director and celebrity mascot
- 8 NRCM partnership with Maine breweries
- 12 Showcases NRCM members' nature photos
- 13 NRCM members get discounts here
- 17 NRCM web-based map featuring special places open for public recreation 18
- Celebrated each year since 1970 on April 22
- 19 Seabird, popular w/ NRCM members, restored to Maine's Eastern Egg Rock 22
- Maine has almost 4,000 miles of this
- 25 NRCM's spotlight on Maine's wildlife
- 26 Largest source of Maine climate change pollution (3 words)
- 28 Boundary river between eastern Maine and New Brunswick
- 29 Name of NRCM's newsletter
- 30 Popular land conservation program (abbr)
- 32 Clean energy legislation NRCM helped pass in 2019
- 34 NRCM helped protect this from dangerous metal mining
- 35 Landmark law protecting Maine's scenic highways
- 37 Katahdin ___ National Monument (3 words)
- 43 Failed project proposed for East & West branches of Penobscot River
- 46 ___Speckled Mountain Wilderness
- 48 The name of this publication
- 50 NRCM's brochure of energy-saving tips
- 52 First strategy on the waste hierarchy
- 53 Making your voice heard
- 54 NRCM's web address
- 56 Maine Senator who led Clean Water Act effort
- 57 Warming temps puts this favorite Maine seafood at risk
- 58 Issue NRCM was founded on
- 59 Maine's largest land mammal
- 60 Maine's most effective recycling program (90%)

DOWN

- 2 River inspired push for Clean Water Act
- 3 These 37 conserved places protect habitat and provide recreation
- 4 Passamaquoddy Bay protected when this was rejected in 1983
- 6 Lake NRCM helped protect from Plum Creek
- 7 Name of NRCM's podcast
- 9 First-in-nation product steward law NRCM helped pass in 2006
- 10 NRCM-hosted event for members to meet with elected officials
- 11 Name of NRCM's youth leadership honors
- 13 Largest undeveloped area east of the Mississippi (no apostrophe)
- 14 First dam removed by Penobscot River Restoration Project
- 15 CMP transmission line (4 words)
- 16 Edwards Dam removed from this river
- 20 Protecting the (NRCM tagline)
- 21 Maine's state bird
- 23 Science author summered in Southport
- 24 Where NRCM works to help prevent and pass laws
- 27 Composting with worms
- 31 Threatens coastal areas due to climate change
- 33 Dam removed from Sebasticook River in 2008
- 36 National Monument established in 2016 (abbr.)
- 38 NRCM event held New Year's Eve day (3 words)
- 39 NRCM's young leaders' group
- 40 NRCM's work is based on this
- 41 Maine's state tree
- 42 Benefit from native flowering plants
- 44 Tick-borne disease spreading in Maine due to climate change
- 45 Sea-run fish that benefit from river restoration
- 47 Law passed to protect what we breathe
- 49 By 2050 scientists expect the ocean will have more of this in it than fish
- 50 Fast, clean, low- or no-cost human-powered transportation machine
- 51 Producers pay for recycling programs instead of taxpayers under this type of law (abbr.)
- 55 Do this with food waste to cut carbon emissions