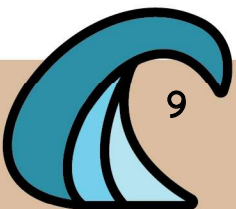


## MAP 5: INLAND COMMUNITIES

New Hampshire's inland communities are also affected by climate change. Rising temperatures and changing rainfall patterns will increase the likelihood and frequency of flooding and droughts, which will have a range of detrimental effects on municipal infrastructure, resources and public health. Climate change will also pose significant challenges to agriculture as well as winter recreation industries, which are major economic drivers in many of New Hampshire's inland communities. Additionally, groundwater rise is expected to increase among inland communities, causing damage to infrastructure such as private wells and septic systems as well as increased flooding.



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