

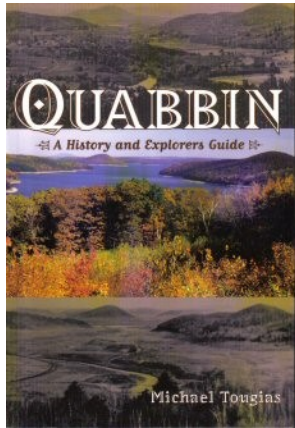
Come Learn About Southborough's Water Supply

Quabbin: A History and Explorers Guide

A Narrated Slide Presentation by Michael Tougias

Southborough Library, May 21, 7:00 PM

Have you ever wondered where Southborough's drinking water comes from? And did you know there is a water supply tunnel almost 300 feet below Southborough? Come to a narrated slide presentation about the Quabbin Reservoir by Michael Tougias, author of *Quabbin: A History and Explorers Guide* and learn the fascinating history of the Quabbin Reservoir and the source of our drinking water.



The program features the demise of the “lost towns” flooded to create the Quabbin, images of the construction of the massive reservoir, and how the Quabbin works today. In addition Tougias will take us on a natural history tour of the Quabbin and its wildlife and surrounding towns with suggestions for hikes and day trips. The presentation is free and open to the public.

Michael Tougias is the author and co-author of 19 other books including four books about survival at sea stories, one of which, *The Finest Hours*, is being made into a movie by Disney.

When not writing or exploring, Tougias donates his time to protecting open space.

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