

I support the resolution to protect Plum Island for the following reasons;

- Plum is an important bird area for migratory birds, both nationally and internationally.
- Nearly 80% of Plum Island remains undeveloped and should not be sold to the highest bidder at public auction, which would virtually eliminate the chance for a conservation sale.
- The waters around Plum Island support many aquatic species, including those valuable to the food chain of Long Island Sound and our local fishers.

Thank you.

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