

access together with everyone, including people who use wheelchairs and other mobility devices		experience sunshine		let plants grow in water
allow native and nonnative species, but not allow any one species to out-compete the rest -- which means people actively maintain biodiversity by removing invasive species		experience the exhilaration of speed and thrills		let plants grow on land
allow native species only		experience tranquility and peacefulness		let small young fish grow larger
attract investment, from new businesses and real estate developers		feel like you're far from the city		live in a houseboat
avoid because it is a nature preserve, where people should have little impact		feel safe and secure in the outdoors		make a fire
bathe		fight for		make noise without bothering anyone
be as safe as possible		fight over		make sure the shoreline doesn't change much -- not much erosion, and not much deposition
be friendly to strangers		find a shallow slope leading from the land down to the water		manufacture products to sell

be someplace undeveloped		find a shoreline that seems built by people, e.g. boardwalks, streets, bulkheads, buildings, etc.		meditate
bike		find a shoreline that seems natural, e.g. sand, grasses, mud, trees, etc.		meet new people
breathe the fresh air		find a steep slope -- or even a vertical wall -- between the land and the water		own and take care of, because it is your private property
bring children to play in the water		find a whole bunch of different birds who need to live by the water		own privately, just for you and your family, if you can afford it
brings outside people and their money into the neighborhood		find benthic invertebrates to live and reproduce		parasail
build more affordable housing		find big waves and strong currents		picnic
build more public housing		find calm, still water		play sports
camp, with no parking, running water, or electricity		find crabs		pray and complete religious rituals

camp, with parking, running water, and electricity		find fish that can live and reproduce		protect local residents and businesses flooding, like the deadly flooding we experienced during superstorm sandy
canoe		find fish that can live here, even though they'll have to find somewhere else to reproduce		protect local residents and businesses from storm surge, like the deadly storm surge we experienced during superstorm sandy
capture greenhouse gases, so as to slow down and reduce the intensity of climate change		find herons, who need undisturbed places for their nests		provide food and other products to the local market, so there won't be so many trucks on the local streets
capture sustainable energy resources from tides, wind, or ocean waves		find horseshoe crabs		raft
carefully monitor and manage the ecosystems		find large land-based natural areas that reach all the way to the water		reduce stress
catch a bunch of ferries, and easily travel by boat to many other place		find lobsters		rent a motor boat, or charter a boat, captain, and crew
charge a fee to visitors - to help keep up the place		find no trash along the shoreline		restore oyster reefs
clean up all the pollution from the past that is still in the mud/sand at the bottom of the water		find no trash sitting at the bottom of the water		restore to more like it was 10,000 years ago

clean up the land nearby from past pollution, so those pollutants can't spread into the water and/or into people's bodies		find phytoplankton to live and reproduce		restore to more like it was 100 years ago
coexist with our ecosystems for a long time to come		find seagrass meadows		restore to more like it was 500 years ago
collect firewood and other fuels you can burn		find water that has plenty of dissolved oxygen and few pollutants, and that is clear enough so that enough light can pass through it to support plants that grow on the bottom in the shallow areas		ride a horse
collect sand to replenish popular beaches, like coney island and the rockaways		find wetlands, such as marshes and swamps		ride a snowmobile in winter
collect shellfish to eat		find whales and dolphins		row
collect shellfish to sell		find zooplankton zooplankton to live and reproduce		run or jog
collect water that is needed for fracking		forget about or ignore		sail
collect water that is needed for manufacturing		garden		see and feel that we are on an island (or a peninsula, in the bronx) during our everyday lives, and not just when we make special trip to the water

collect water, desalinate it, and provide freshwater to for people, agriculture, and manufacturing		gather at a community center		see no cops or park rangers
compete		gather plants		see no trash floating in the water
connect with your community		get a workout		see other people like you
contribute some infrastructure to the city as a whole, with a facility that benefits many city residents such as a power plant or a wastewater treatment plant or a bus depot		get away from all the rules everywhere		see people who are different from you
design for the sea level and storms we expect to have in 10,000 years		get away with major violations of the law		see plenty of cops and park rangers
design for the sea level and storms we expect to have in 100 years		get away with minor violations of the law		sell things, like at a mall
design for the sea level and storms we expect to have in 500 years		get inspired		share with the public, whoever shows up
do exactly what the immediate local landowners want - whatever that is, and whether or not other people can benefit from it at all		get to easily, with good public transportation, bike paths, sidewalks, etc.		shop

do exactly what the immediate local residents want - whatever that is, and whether or not other people can benefit from it at all		get to only if you make an extra effort		skin dive
do exactly what the local school children want - whatever that is, and whether or not other people can benefit from it at all		get your own food -- from the water and/or the land		sleep
do scientific research		go fishing and sell the fish		snorkel
dock lots of boats		go fishing for food		speed boat
drain floodwater, for example when it rains and the water runs off the pavement		go fishing for fun - catch and release		spend a lot of your time, if you are homeless
drain industrial pollution away from the land and the people who live on it		go on educational tours		spend time with your family
drain the unsewered parts of the city		golf		spend time with your friends
drain treated sewage away from the land and the people who live on it		grow seafood -- do aquaculture		staff with local youth

drain untreated sewage away from the land and the people who live on it		have less land over time -- sediment is getting deposited from other parts of the region, and the water is also getting shallower		staff with trained professionals
drive a car		have more less land over time -- the land is eroding and the water may be getting deeper, because sediments are washing away		staff with volunteers
drive an all-terrain vehicle anywhere you want		help others and know you are making a difference		stage and attend a performance
eliminate graffiti		hike		steer a ship or barge to and from the local ports
emit zero greenhouse gases, so as not to accelerate and intensify climate change		hire local residents		suit the existing neighborhood
enforce rules		hire people from other neighborhoods		sunbathe
enforce the law		hire people from other states		support and encourage young people
enjoy comforts and conveniences in the outdoors		house people		surf

evacuate quickly, cheaply, and easily before a storm. during storms it can flood, and big waves can crash without hurting anyone or damaging any property. when the storm is over, the place will drain by itself, and no repairs will be needed.		hunt		swim
experience a beautiful view		increase the property values nearby		tag
experience a lively place, with a lot going on		install and see outdoor artwork, like at a sculpture park		take care of as a volunteer activity
experience a maritime forest		jet ski		take care of using government funding
experience a place that feels natural		kayak		take pride in, as a community
experience a sense of adventure and challenge		keep boats that people don't need anymore		take risks
experience a sense of awe, wonder, and humility		keep litter, so it's not on the streets		to find large natural or human-made barriers off the shore, which keep the water calmer near the shore
experience a sense of self-reliance, freedom, and choice		keep the rents under control		transport industrial, agricultural, and/or aquaculture products to a larger market where they can be sold



experience a significant place in the history of black people		keep things that people don't need anymore, that are too large for the sanitation truck to pick up -- like a car or a shed		tube
experience a significant place in the history of native american people		keep unwanted sediment, for instance the next time the shipping channels need to be dredged		visit free of charge
experience a significant place in the history of white people		keep your distance from strangers		visit safely, even during a storm
experience bright lights		land and get onto helicopters		walk your dog
experience challenges and risks		learn about nature and culture		watch and be around other people
experience darkness		let airplanes fly over, on their way in and out of the airports		watch birds
experience only natural sounds		let ecosystems can continue for a long time, even though people may need to move away from the water's edge		water ski
experience open space		let endangered species survive		wear bug spray

experience silence		let fish and other populations to increase		windsurf
experience solitude		let migratory species get where they need to go -- e.g. sturgeon, shad, striped bass, eels		
experience something new		let nature take its course		