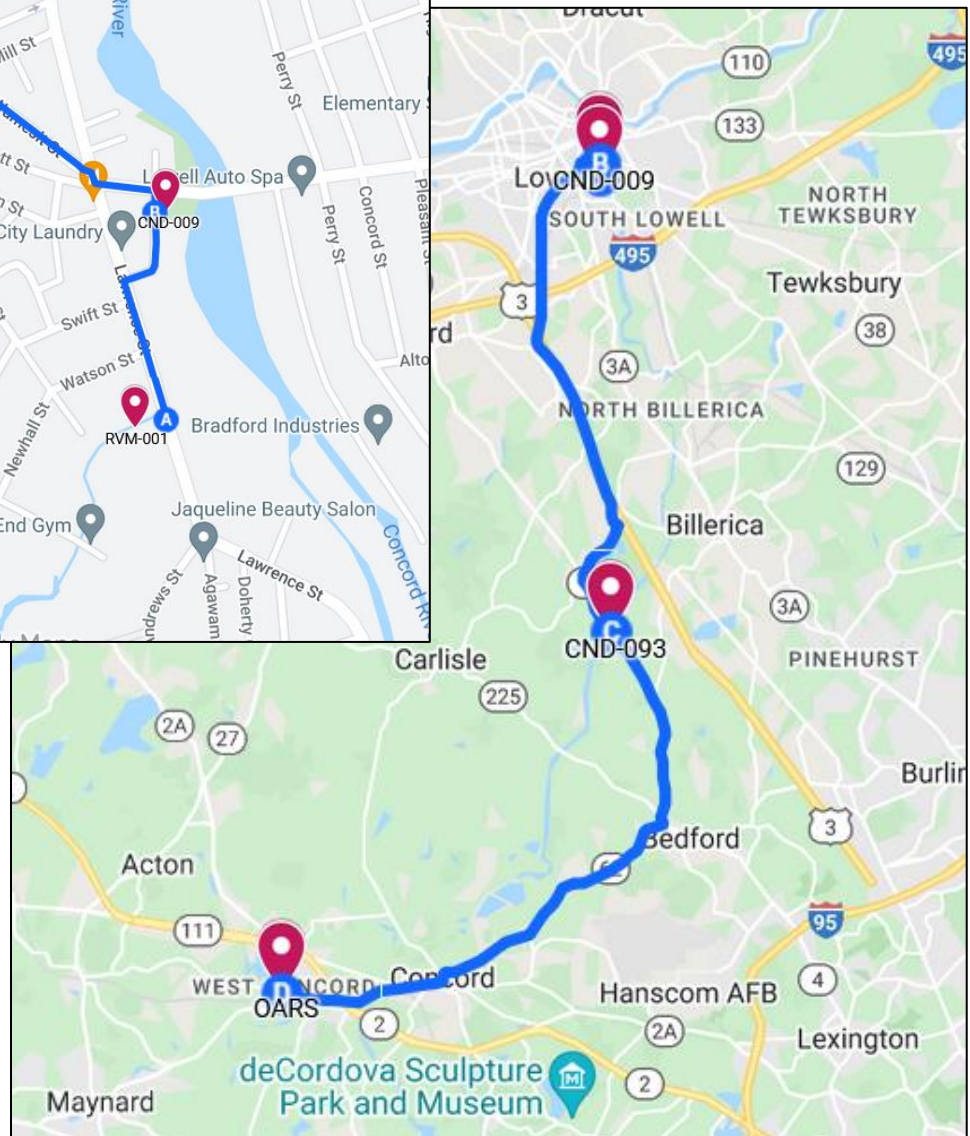
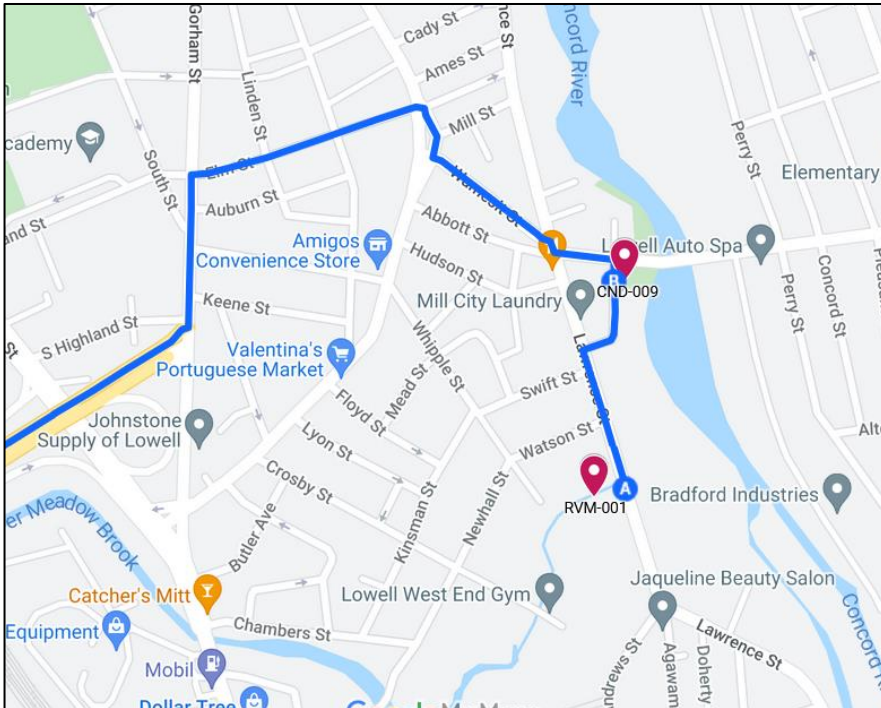


# CONCORD RIVER – BACTERIA

## SITES (approximate street address for GPS)

1. **RVM-001** Lawrence St. (645 Lawrence St, Lowell)
2. **CND-009** Rogers St. (33 Merrill St, Lowell)
3. **CND-093** Rt. 4 (8 Carter Ave, Billerica)





## RVM-001 River Meadow Brook at Lawrence St., Lowell:

The first site is behind Bay State Wire & Cable at 645 Lawrence St. Access the river from the back right of the parking lot. We have permission to sample from their parking lot, but be sure to park out of the way of their trucks.



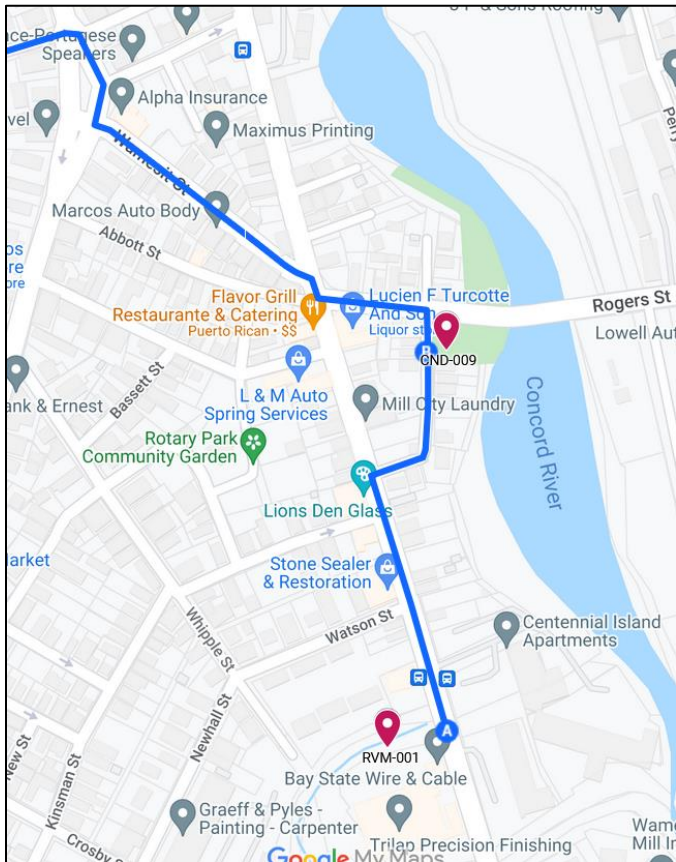
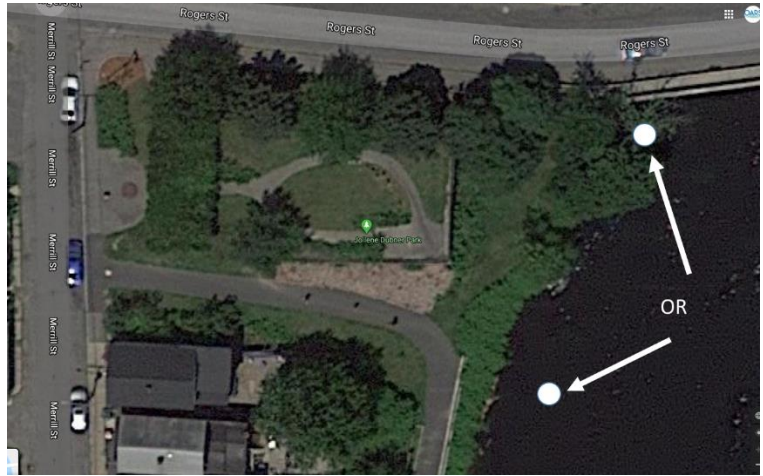
### River Access:





## CND-009 Concord River at Rogers St., Lowell:

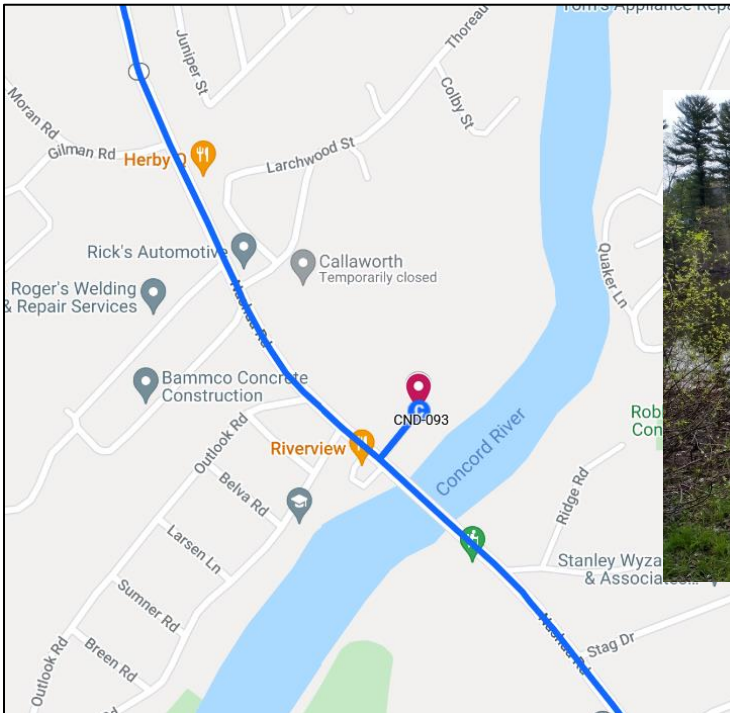
From RVM-001, head north on Lawrence St. In 500 ft, turn right onto Merrill St. Park on Merrill St., just before it meets Rogers St, next to the Jollene Dubner Park. Access the river either next to the Roger's St. bridge or over the side of the new walking trail. It is important to get to the moving current. You should probably use a pole for this site, unless the water is too low.





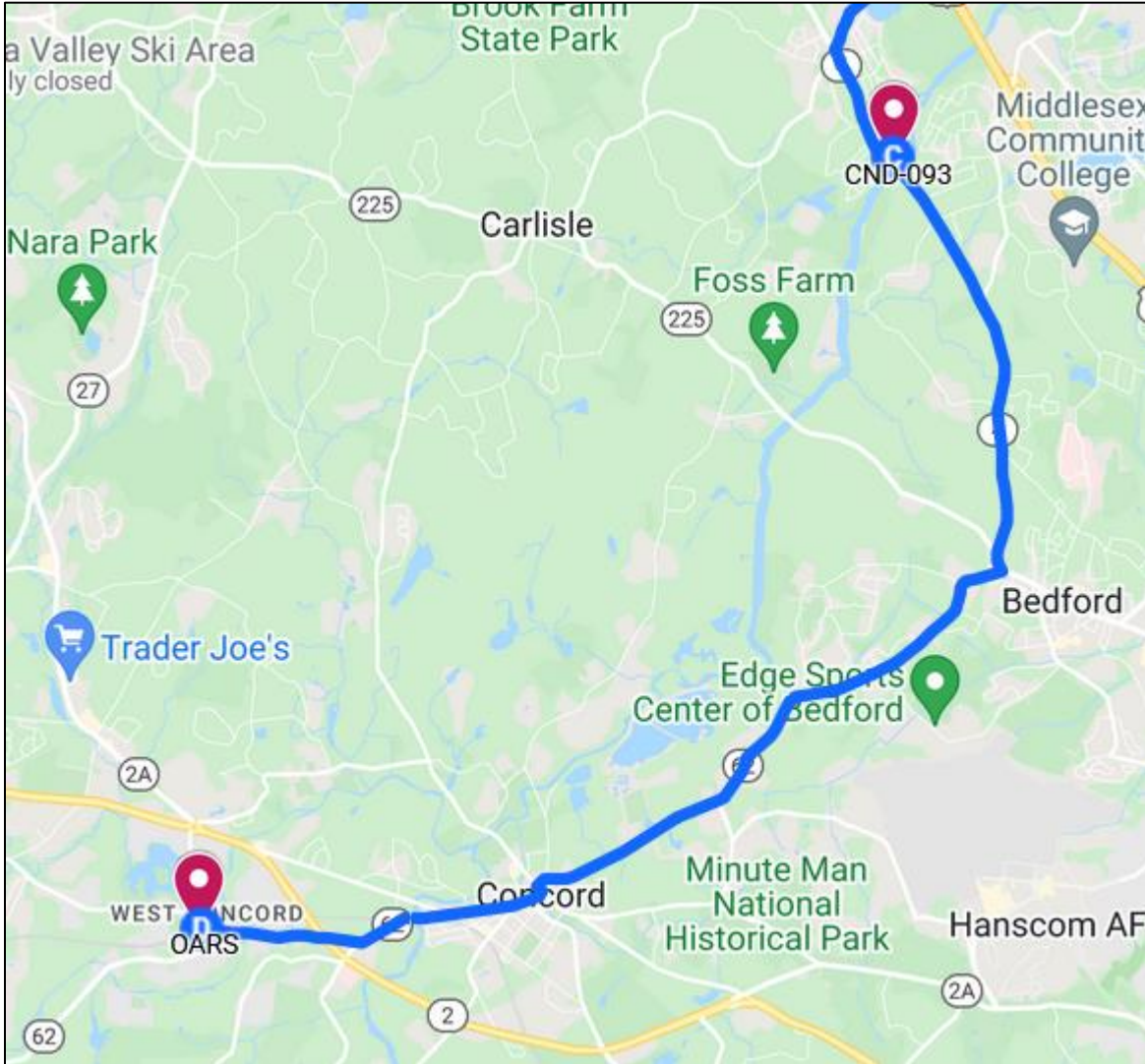
## CND-093 Concord River at Route 4, Carter Ave, Billerica:

From CND-009, turn left onto Rogers St. In 250 ft, turn right onto Lawrence St. Immediately, turn left onto Wamesit St. In 600 ft, turn right onto Central St. In 200 ft, turn left onto Elm St. In 1000 ft, turn left onto Gorham St. In 600 ft, turn right onto Lowell Connector (signs for I-495/US-3). Follow US-3 South. In 5.4 mi, take exit 78 for Treble Cove Rd toward N. Billerica/Carlisle. Follow Treble Cove Rd for 1.2 mi, then turn left onto MA-4 S. In 0.9 mi, just before the Concord River bridge, turn left onto Carter Ave. Park at the end of the road and walk down the path on the right to access the river. You'll need to wade out and use the pole to sample from the current of the river.



**Return to OARS office:**

From CND-093, turn left onto MA-4 S. In 3 mi, slight right onto North Rd. In 200 ft, slight right onto MA-62 W. In 4.2 mi, turn right onto MA-62 W/Main St. In 2.3 mi, slight right onto Commonwealth Ave. In 1000 ft, turn left onto Bradford St.



Let me know that you're here and we'll check the samples in the parking lot.