

YOU ARE THE LIFELINE

KEEP A LIVING SHORELINE

*How you can restore
and protect a natural
shoreline*



Natural shorelines are critical for a healthy Bay. They stabilize the land, reduce erosion, promote valuable habitat for plant and animal species, and enhance coastal resilience. Consider keeping your shoreline natural, planting native vegetation or installing a living shoreline.

To get started:

1. Ask questions.
2. Seek preliminary technical assistance from your state or local non-profit agency.
3. Consult qualified contractors.
4. Develop a site plan.
5. Begin the permitting process.