



**Copicut**  
Dense pine woods or swamp.  
The Copicut Woods are located  
in Fall River.

**Paschetest**  
A swamp in the northeast corner  
of Westport.

**Nanekumsick**  
A cedar swamp in northern Westport.

**Paschetest**  
Watuppa - They draw water

**Quannachuck**  
At the long hill. The swamp between  
Westport Factory and the Watuppa Pond.

**Poganset**  
At the pond.  
Devol Pond

**Noquochoke**  
His small piece of land or land at the fork.  
The East Branch of the Westport River.

**Wasontuxsett**  
The area of land that is on the east side of  
the East Branch north of Hix Bridge or a  
brook that joins the river.

**Shimsuet**  
An area on the east side of the East Branch,  
about a mile south of Hix Bridge.

**Masquamskiesett**  
or Mashamskiesett  
At the place of the red standing stone.  
The east side of the East Branch of the Westport  
River, two miles south of Hix Bridge.

**Copatneast**  
Thick woods or brush  
An area south of Adamsville on  
the West Branch.

**Contesawaocset**  
or Contesawaset  
A small island in the West Branch between  
Adamsville and Westport Harbor.

**Peetskeshuet**  
On the east side of the East Branch, about  
one mile south of South Westport.

**Acoaxet**  
or Acoquese, Acoas, Coxet  
Place of the small hill or the land on the  
other side of the little land

**Quanset**  
or Natquanset  
The place of the terrible fire or at  
the burnt woods

**Cocoest**  
Devil Pond, Westport Harbor

**Paquachuck**  
At the clear or open hill.  
Westport Point

**Nonoquechage**  
Richmond Pond

**Poquanset**  
At the opening  
The natural harbor at the end  
of Westport Point.

**Hussunnegk**  
or Hassanegk  
Cellar dwelling, cave, cavern, or enclosure  
with stone lagings or stone house.  
This is the earliest form of Horseneck.

**Mashtuxet**  
Reed or grass brook  
A brook that flowed into Allen's Pond.

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