AGENDA

1. Introductions & Drought Response Update: EOEEA, MEMA

2. Updates on Current Conditions and Impacts—DMTF member reports

   Hydrologic: USGS, NOAA-RFC
   Weather: NOAA–NWS
   Water Supply: DEP, MWRA, MWWA, DPU
   Environmental: DEP, DFG, MRA, WSCAC
   Agricultural: DAR
   Fire Danger: DCR
   Engineering/Infrastructure: DCR
   Public Health: DPH

3. Presentation of Index Severity Levels as per DMP

4. Discussion of Drought Level Recommendations

5. Recommendations for Drought Level Response Actions

6. Next Steps

Task Force Member Acronyms:

EOEEA: Energy and Environmental Affairs
MEMA: Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency
DCR: Department of Conservation and Recreation
USGS: United States Geological Survey
NOAA-RFC: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration-River Forecasting Center
NOAA-NWS: NOAA-National Weather Service

DEP: Department of Environmental Protection
MWRA: Massachusetts Water Resources Authority
MWWA: Massachusetts Water Works Association
DPU: Department of Public Utilities
DFG: Department of Fish and Game
MRA: Massachusetts Rivers Alliance
DAR: Department of Agricultural Resources
DPH: Department of Public Health
Zoom Meeting Link:

Topic: MA Drought Management Task Force Meeting - January 6, 2021
Time: Jan 6, 2021 10:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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