

# THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

100 CAMBRIDGE STREET, BOSTON MA 02114

The next regular meeting of the Massachusetts Water Resources Commission will be

# Thursday, April 10, 2025 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Meeting to be held via remote participation

**REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED TO ACCESS THE MEETING.** Please see details below.

## **MEETING AGENDA**

ITEM 1: 10 minutes	Welcome and Introductions	Vandana Rao
ITEM 2: 10 minutes	Executive Director's Report	Vandana Rao
ITEM 3: 10 minutes	<b>Update:</b> Hydrologic Conditions and Drought Status	Erin Graham
<i>ITEM 4:</i> 5 minutes	VOTE: Meeting Minutes, January 2025	WRC Staff
ITEM 5: 10 minutes	<b>Presentation and VOTE:</b> Draft Staff Recommendation for the Town of Plainville's Request for an Amendment to the 2004 Lake Mirimichi Wellfield Interbasin Transfer Act Decision	Vanessa Curran
ITEM 6: 25 minutes	<b>Presentation:</b> Extending Groundwater Level Records Using Estimated Groundwater Records in Massachusetts (a Massachusetts-USGS cooperative study)	Elizabeth Ahearn and Pamela Lombard, USGS
ITEM 7: 30 minutes	<ul> <li>Presentation: Dam Removal in Massachusetts</li> <li>1. DER Dam Removal Program Overview</li> <li>2. Quinapoxet Dam removal at Wachusett Reservoir successfully completed</li> </ul>	Joseph Gould, DER John Gregoire, MWRA

Note: all times are approximate

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

- 1. WRC Meeting Minutes: January 9, 2025
- 2. Quarterly Update on WRC Special Projects
- 3. Draft Staff Recommendation for WRC Discussion and Vote, dated April 10, 2025, for a request under the Interbasin Transfer Act from the Town of Plainville for an Amendment to the 2004 Lake Mirimichi Wellfield Decision
- 4. Town of Plainville's Lake Mirimichi Wellfield Amendment Request, dated February 24, 2025
- 5. Letter dated March 28, 2025 from the WRC to MEPA regarding the Expanded Environmental Notification Form (EENF) for 75 North Street, 2 Commercial Street & 3 South Mason Street in the City of Salem
- 6. Interbasin Transfer Act project status report, March 28, 2025

### **DETAILS ON REMOTE PARTICIPATION:**

To register for the April 10, 2025 WRC meeting, go to: <a href="https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMsc--tpjsjHtEOmvqUfCuyiHBYh7oVAwjY">https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJMsc--tpjsjHtEOmvqUfCuyiHBYh7oVAwjY</a>.

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