

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, February 13, 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	Update: Hydrologic Conditions and Drought Status	Erin Graham
<i>ITEM 4:</i> 5 minutes	VOTE: Meeting Minutes, November 2024	WRC Staff
ITEM 5: 25 minutes	Presentation and Discussion: Draft Staff Recommendation for Lynnfield Center Water District's Interbasin Transfer Act (ITA) Application/Proposal to Obtain Supplemental Water Supply from MWRA	Vanessa Curran
ITEM 6: 20 minutes	Presentation and Discussion: Draft Staff Recommendation for Sunrise Senior Living's Request for Determination of Insignificance Under the ITA	Vanessa Curran
ITEM 7: 30 minutes	Presentation and VOTE: Draft Local Drought Management Plan Guidance	Erin Graham
ITEM 8: 20 minutes	Presentation: Introducing The MA Guide to Algae and Aquatic Plant Management (2025 Update)	Anne Carroll, Jim Straub

Note: all times are approximate

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. WRC Meeting Minutes: November 14, 2024
- 2. Request from the Lynnfield Center Water District for Approval of an Action to Increase the Present Rate of Interbasin Transfer under the ITA, MGL Chapter 21 Section 8B-8D:
 - a. Draft for WRC Discussion, dated February 13, 2025: WRC Staff Recommendation on the ITA Application for Lynnfield Center Water District's Proposal to Obtain Supplemental Water Supply from MWRA
 - b. Written public comments received from stakeholders
- 3. Request from Sunrise Senior Living for a Determination of Insignificance under the ITA, MGL Chapter 21 Section 8B-8D:

- a. Notice of Receipt of a Request for Determination of Insignificance Under the ITA
- b. Draft for WRC Discussion, dated February 13, 2025: WRC Staff Recommendation for Sunrise Senior Living's Request for Determination of Insignificance
- 4. Draft Local Drought Management Plan Guidance
 - a. MA Local DMP Guidance Document
 - b. MA Local DMP Guidance Appendix A
- 5. Correspondence documents from the WRC to MEPA, including letters with the following dates and content:
 - a. December 31, 2024, regarding the Environmental Notification Form (ENF) for the Island View Road Project in the Town of Fairhaven.
 - b. December 31, 2024, Environmental Notification Form (ENF) for the Dudleyville Emergency Dam Removal Project in the Town of Shutesbury.
 - c. January 10, 2025, regarding the Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) for the Hartford Avenue Warehouse in the Town of Bellingham.
 - d. January 21, 2025, regarding the Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) for The Reserve Project in the towns of Oxford and Auburn.
 - e. February 4, 2025, regarding the Environmental Notification Form (ENF) for the Worcester Street PFAS Water Treatment Plant Project in the Town of Grafton.
- 6. Interbasin Transfer Act project status report, February 3, 2025

DETAILS ON REMOTE PARTICIPATION:

To register for the February 13, 2025 WRC meeting, go to: https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJIrdOiuqikjGd0QcvEbYVbBtBWmYJJBkVTu.

Please note that while registration for the meeting is required to obtain the Zoom access information, advance registration is not required, and you may register at any point prior to or during the meeting.

Prior to entering the meeting, please modify your Zoom name to provide the following information:

first and last name, affiliation.