

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, November 12, 2020

1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Meeting to be held via remote participation:

Join Zoom Meeting:

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MEETING AGENDA

ITEM 1: 10 minutes	Welcome and Introductions	Vandana Rao
ITEM 2: 10 minutes	Executive Director's Report and Drought Response Updates	Vandana Rao
ITEM 3: 10 minutes	Update: Hydrologic Conditions and Drought Status Update	Erin Graham
ITEM 4: 5 minutes	VOTE: Meeting Minutes, August 2020	WRC staff
ITEM 5: 20 minutes	VOTE: Final Staff Recommendation for the Town of Burlington's Application for Approval of an Action to Increase the Present Rate of Interbasin Transfer of Water from the MWRA System	Anne Carroll
ITEM 6: 20 minutes	Discussion: Draft WRC Annual Report, FY2020	Anne Carroll
ITEM 7: 45 minutes	Presentation: Sources and mechanisms by which water is transported to New England streams and groundwater: Implications for understanding drought	David Boutt, Ph.D., UMass- Amherst

Note: all times are approximate

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. WRC Meeting Minutes, August 13, 2020
- 2. Draft for Water Resources Commission Discussion: WRC Staff Recommendation, Interbasin Transfer Application, Proposed Connection to the MWRA Waterworks System, Town of Burlington. November 12, 2020:
 - a. Clean version
 - b. Redline version
- 3. FY2020 Draft WRC Annual Report
- 4. Report of the Findings, Justifications, and Decision of the Water Resources Commission Relating to the Approval of the Town of North Reading's Request for an Interbasin Transfer Pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 21 § 8C
- 5. Interbasin Transfer Act project status report, October 30, 2020

Massachusetts Water Resources Commission web site: https://www.mass.gov/orgs/water-resources-commission

DETAILS ON REMOTE PARTICIPATION:

Topic: Water Resources Commission Monthly Meeting Time: November 12, 2020, 01:00 PM Eastern Time (U.S. and Canada)

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