

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 12, 2018

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. 100 Cambridge Street, Boston Conference Room 2B

MEETING AGENDA

ITEM 1: 10 minutes	Executive Director's Report	Vandana Rao
<i>ITEM 2:</i> 15 minutes	Update: Hydrologic Conditions and Drought Update	Viki Zoltay
ITEM 3: 10 minutes	Vote: December 2017 Minutes	
ITEM 4: 10 minutes	Presentation and Potential Vote: Interbasin Transfer Act Policies to be Rescinded	Michele Drury
ITEM 5: 30 minutes	Follow-up Presentation: Summer Water Conservation Community-Based Social Marketing Pilot Projects	Michelle Craddock, DER; & Duane LeVangie, MassDEP
ITEM 6: 40 minutes	Discussion: Revised Water Conservation Standards and Comments Received	WRC Staff

Note: all times are approximate

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. Minutes from the December 14, 2017, Water Resources Commission Meeting
- 2. Interbasin Transfer Act Policies to be Rescinded:
 - a. Staff Recommendation
 - b. 1987 Guidelines for Interpreting the Interbasin Act's Criteria for Approval as Applied to: An Interbasin Transfer of Wastewater
 - c. 2014 Guidelines for the Interpretation of 313 CMR 4.04(3) and 4.04(4) Request for Determination of Insignificance As Applied to Transfers Primarily Derived From Lakes, Ponds, Reservoirs or Other Impoundments
- 3. 313 CMR 4.00, the Interbasin Transfer Act regulations (revised 3-23-18)
- 4. Executive Summary of Report dated March 18, 2018: *Summer Water Conservation Community-Based Social Marketing Pilot Project*. Full report available from the Massachusetts Division of Ecological Restoration at <u>https://www.mass.gov/service-details/ipswich-river-flow-restoration</u>.
- 5. Draft Revised Water Conservation Standards, available at <u>https://www.mass.gov/massachusetts-water-conservation-standards</u>
- 6. Interbasin Transfer Act project status report, 28 March 2018

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