



THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION
100 CAMBRIDGE STREET, BOSTON MA 02114

Massachusetts Water Resources Commission

**Receipt of a Request for Determination of Applicability
Under the Interbasin Transfer Act
MGL Chapter 21 Section 8b-8d**

On January 25, 2006, the Massachusetts Water Resources Commission (WRC) received a request for determination of applicability under the Interbasin Transfer Act (M.G.L. Chapter 21 §§ 8B-8D) from the North Shore YMCA for a connection to MWRA through Marblehead via the MWRA Straddle Policy. The town of Marblehead receives its water supply from the MWRA, which has water supply sources in the Chicopee River and Nashua River basins. Water will be used to serve the proposed YMCA at Leggs Hill located in Salem and Marblehead, in the North Coastal Basin. The facility is requesting to use up to 0.018 mgd.

It is anticipated that the WRC will discuss this request at its March 9, 2006 and April 6, 2006 meetings. These meetings will be held at 1 PM on the second floor of the Saltonstall Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston MA 02114. A decision on applicability must be made by April 24, 2006.

As required by the Interbasin Transfer Act regulations (313 CMR 4.00), copies of this notice have been sent to the municipalities directly affected. For further information, contact Michele Drury, Department of Conservation and Recreation, Office of Water Resources, (617) 626-1366 (michele.drury@state.ma.us).