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Water Management Act Permit Amendment Application
Received by the
Department of Environmental Protection
For the Blackstone River Basin
WMA Permit # 9P4-2-12-303.01

Upton Water Department has applied to MassDEP to withdraw water from the Blackstone River Basin. Upton Water Department is currently authorized through a Water Management Act permit to withdraw 0.48 million gallons per day (MGD) or 175.2 million gallons per year. The request is for an additional withdrawal location, to supplement two existing groundwater sources; Glen Avenue and West River Wells. The proposed site is the Richard's Wellfield, which consists of four sand and gravel wells located along the West River, each well less than 50 feet apart. The applicant is seeking approval for a maximum daily withdrawal rate of 0.396 MGD or 275 gpm from the wellfield. Permits granted in the Blackstone River basin are valid through February 28, 2009 at which time all WMA permits in the basin will be reviewed.

<u>Well Name</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
Richard Wellfield	42° 08' 43.6"	71° 36' 43.6"

A copy of this application is available for review at MassDEP, 627 Main St., Worcester, MA. Call the MassDEP Service Center at (508) 792-7683 to arrange an appointment. The application can also be reviewed at the Upton Department of Public Works, 100 Pleasant Street, Upton, MA 01568, phone # (508) 529-3067.

Written comments on the granting of a MassDEP permit for this withdrawal are to be filed within thirty (30) days of publication of this Legal Notice (by July 11, 2008). The written comments are to be submitted to MassDEP, 627 Main St., Worcester, MA 01608, Attention: Barbara Kickham.