

The Town of West Springfield has applied to MassDEP for a Request for Site Exam application for increasing the approved withdrawal for an individual existing public water supply source from 1.9 mgd to approximately 2.5 mgd of water from the ground of the Westfield River Basin, in Southwick. If approved, this increased individual withdrawal will not change the approved combined withdrawal of 7.01 mgd for the Town's four existing wells located off Shaker Road, in Southwick. The existing public water supply well to be tested is PWS Source ID 1325000-01G.

Written comments on the granting of a MassDEP permit to conduct additional testing of the site for a new or expanded water supply withdrawal are to be filed within thirty (30) days of publication of this notice in the Environmental Monitor. The written comments are to be submitted to the Drinking Water Program Section Chief at the MassDEP Western Regional Office at 436 Dwight Street, Springfield, Massachusetts 01103.

