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WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

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

On July 29, 2002, the Massachusetts Water Resources Commission (WRC) received a request for determination of insignificance under the Interbasin Transfer Act (M.G.L. Chapter 21 §§ 8B-8D) from the town of Plainville for the Lake Mirimichi wellfield. The wellfield has an approved yield of 0.4 million gallons per day and is located in the Taunton River basin. Water from this wellfield will be discharged as wastewater through the Plainville sewer system, which is treated at the North Attleborough wastewater treatment plant in the Ten Mile River basin.

If all the required information has been provided in the request, the WRC will discuss this request at its September 12, 2002 meeting. A vote to approve or deny the request is anticipated for the October 10, 2002 WRC meeting. These meetings are scheduled to be held at 1 PM in Conference Room 1102 on the 11th floor of the Environmental Protection Agency, 1 Congress Street in Boston.

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 Environmental Management, Office of Water Resources, (617) 626-1366.