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**RFR POSTED FOR "LID SUBDIVISION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT"  
FOR THE IPSWICH RIVER WATERSHED**

As part of a larger project funded by the USEPA Targeted Watersheds Program, the Department of Conservation & Recreation plans to award up to \$90,000 to a developer with a proposed or existing residential or mixed-use subdivision project in the Ipswich watershed to demonstrate the benefits of **low-impact development** (LID) techniques within the project. Such techniques maximize groundwater recharge, minimize impervious surfaces and site runoff, and preserve natural vegetation and open space.

Eligible projects:

- Must be located within the Ipswich River watershed
- Must EITHER be already designed based on LID principles OR be early enough in the planning and design process that LID principles can become the basis for design
- Must be permitted, planned, designed, and substantially constructed by June 30, 2007

This solicitation has been posted for the second time on the commonwealth's web site at <http://www.comm-pass.com/>. The RFR number is DCR 137. The deadline for submission of questions on the RFR is **August 26**. The deadline for responses is **September 19**. A bidders' conference is scheduled for 10 a.m. **August 31** at 251 Causeway Street in Boston.

Potentially interested bidders are urged to download the solicitation and accompanying fact sheet from the Comm-PASS website.

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**To: Environmental Monitor**

Please post the attached notice in the August 24 issue of the Environmental Monitor. We have been unable to e-mail this since Monday, August 15. Document is enclosed on the attached diskette.

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Thank you for your consideration.