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Water Management Act Permit Application Received by the Department of Environmental Protection For the Concord River Basin

The Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) will accept written comments on the Water Management permit application filed for permitting in the Concord River Basin under the Water Management Act (MGL 21G). Comments will be accepted until November 8, 2005. A copy of the application is available for review from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday at DEP's Regional Office, 627 Main Street in Worcester. Please call ahead for an appointment with the Service Center at (508) 792-7683. The application is also available at Bigelow Nursuries, Inc., 455 West Main Street in Northborough, between 7:00 AM and 4:30 PM.

Bigelow Nursuries, Inc. has applied to DEP for a permit to increase their 0.15 million gallons per day (MGD) registered withdrawal by up to 0.371 MGD of groundwater from the Concord River Basin, in Northborough through 2011. The 20-year basin cycle for the Concord River Basin ends in 2011. The withdrawal locations are as follows:

	Latitude	Longitude
Well #1	N 42° 18.006	W 71° 40.208
Well #2	N 42° 18.011	W 71° 40.117
Well #3	N 42° 18.314	W 71° 40.220

Comments relative to this application are to be sent to the attention of Barbara Kickham, MassDEP, 627 Main Street, Worcester, MA 01608.