

NOTIFICATION OF FILING

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Notice is hereby given this date, August 21, 2020, that the Palmer Brook Corporation (applicant) mailed a Notice of Intent to the Becket Conservation Commission on August 4, 2020. The Notice of Intent was received by the Becket Conservation Commission on August 6, 2020.

The applicant intends to draw down Palmer Brook Lake four feet, annually, during the winter months, for the purpose of removing aquatic nuisance vegetation and to retard lake eutrophication. Annual drawdowns have been performed at Palmer Brook Lake since 1969. The water levels in the lake will be restored at the conclusion of the draw down cycle.

The project is being submitted as a Limited Ecological Restoration Project, and this notification is required by 310 CMR 10.11(1).

The Notice of Intent will be reviewed by the Town of Becket Conservation Commission, which may be reached at the following address and telephone number:

Town of Becket
Conservation Commission
Becket Town Hall
557 Main Street
Becket, MA 01223
Phone 413-623-8934 ext. 129

Meetings of the Becket Conservation Commission are ordinarily held on the 4th Tuesday of the month. Upcoming meeting dates are August 25, September 22, and October 27. Interested parties should contact the Becket Conservation Commission for information on the date, time, and location of the public hearing, and/or to examine or obtain copies of the Notice of Intent.