

EARLY NOTICE for the ENVIRONMENTAL MONITOR

MassDevelopment at Devens

Early Notice in Environmental Monitor of a Request for Site Exam

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MassDevelopment is applying to DEP for a Request for Site Exam application for siting a public water supply source to withdraw up to 1 million gallons per day (MGD) from the ground water of the Nashua River Basin. The well is intended to provide MassDevelopment with additional supply to meet future water demands. MassDevelopment will request an increase in its authorized withdrawal under the Water Management Act. The proposed well site is located approximately 400 feet northeast of Mass Development's Shabokin Well and approximately 400 feet south of Mirror Lake in Harvard.

Written comments on the granting of a MassDEP permit to conduct additional testing of the site for a new water supply source 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 Central Regional Office located at 627 Main Street, Worcester, MA 01608.