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**Water Management Act Permit Application
Received by the
Department of Environmental Protection
for the North Coastal River Basin
WMA Permit Application # 9P2-3-18-164.03**

Lynnfield Center Water District has applied to MassDEP to withdraw water from a new withdrawal point the North Coastal River Basin. Lynnfield Center Water District is currently authorized through its North Coastal Basin Water Management Act Registration to withdraw 0.32 million gallons per day (MGD) or 116.8 million gallons per year. The request is for additional withdrawal locations to supplement three existing groundwater sources at Phillips Road. The proposed site is the Phillips Road Bedrock Wellfield, which consists of four bedrock wells located northwest of existing Phillips Well #26, which is to be abandoned. The applicant is seeking approval for a maximum daily withdrawal rate of 0.61 million gallons per day (MGD) or 424 gallons per minute (GPM) from the four bedrock wells combined. The applicant is not seeking an increase in its annual withdrawal volume from the North Coastal Basin. The permit application is only for approval of additional withdrawal points. Permits granted in the North Coastal River basin expire on August 31, 2009 unless a request to renew is filed.

A copy of the application is available for review at MassDEP Boston Office, 1 Winter Street, Boston, MA 02108. Call Richard Friend (617) 654-6522 to arrange an appointment. His usual office hours are 8:00 to 4:30 Monday through Friday. The application can also be reviewed at the Lynnfield Center Water District, 83 Phillips Road Lynnfield, MA 01940, phone (781) 334-3901.

Written comments on the application may be submitted within thirty (30) days of publication of this Legal Notice (by Wednesday, December 10, 2008). The written comments are to be submitted to MassDEP, 1 Winter Street, 5th Floor, Boston, MA 02108 Attention: Richard Friend.