

Concord, MA 01742-2751

PUBLIC NOTICE

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

MCCALLUM ENTERPRISES I, L.P., 2874 MAIN STREET, STRATFORD, CONNECTICUT 06614 has requested a permit to Discharge 45,000 cubic yards of fill over a 2.5 acre area in the Shelton Canal, a diversion of the Housatonic River, below ordinary high water to facilitate reuse/development of the a parcel located at 305 Canal Street in Shelton, Connecticut and to finance installation of a proposed fish ladder in the Housatonic River for the passage of migratory fish at the Derby Dam.

By this notice we are announcing a public meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to acquire information that we will consider in evaluating and making a final determination on the subject permit application.

The public meeting will be held on June 25, 2008 at the Shelton City Hall Auditorium and will begin promptly at 7:00 pm. The Shelton City Hall Auditorium is located at 54 Hill Street, Shelton, CT. Parking will be available at the upper lot located off of Coram Avenue. Coram Avenue is accessible from State Routes 8 (Exit 14) and 110.

Deaf and hearing impaired persons wishing to attend this public meeting, and requiring an interpreter, may make arrangements by contacting the Public Affairs Office at (978) 318-8237 at least five working days prior to the meeting.

A copy of our final decision document, including the environmental assessment will be available upon request. Any person shall be able to provide comment or submit a written statement concerning the proposed project.

The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impact of the proposed activity and whether it is in the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit, which may reasonably accrue from the proposal, must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered, including the cumulative effects thereof All comments received in response to this notice or as part of the meeting record will be considered, in addition to those comments received on the original Public Notice. Consequently, if you have already submitted comments, there is no need to resubmit them as part of this proceeding.

WRITTEN STATEMENTS MAY BE MAILED TO: The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District, ATTN: Ms. Cori Rose, 696 Virginia Road, Concord, Massachusetts 01742-2751. Comments must be received by June 30, 2008. If you have any questions, please contact Cori M. Rose at (978) 318-8306 or use our toll free number (800) 343-4789 or (800) 362-4367 if calling within Massachusetts.

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