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Notice of Document Availability for Public Comment

Moon and Mussey Brooks: Water Temperature Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDLs) for the Improvement of Aquatic Habitat

The Watershed Management Division is making available for public comment temperature TMDLs for both Moon and Mussey Brook. These TMDLs have been developed in accordance with Section 303(d) of the Clean Water Act, and implementation regulations in 40 CFR Part 130 to alleviate the thermal impacts to the aquatic life in these waters. These plans provide support for implementation actions to improve water quality and habitat conditions to return the waters to compliance with the Vermont Water Quality Standards.

After the close of the comment period, the Division will consider all public comments and shall prepare a written response to comments. **The deadline for comment submittal is Friday September 29, 2017**.

The TMDL documents can be found at: http://dec.vermont.gov/watershed/permits/public-notices/mapp

Or by contacting Tim Clear at the below email address

An informational public meeting will be held to present and discuss the results of the TMDLs:

Thursday, September 21, 2017, 6 - 7:30PM Rutland Regional Planning Commission 67 Merchants Row Rutland, Vermont

Written comments can be addressed to:

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or email as an attached Microsoft Word or Adobe .pdf document sent to Tim Clear (tim.clear@vermont.gov).