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NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES
hereby issues

LARGE GROUNDWATER WITHDRAWAL PERMIT

NO. LGWP-2002-0003

to the permittee

ALTON WATER WORKS

for the withdrawal of the following volumes of groundwater from one well:

Jones Field Well – 712,800 gallons over any 24-hour period

located at southern terminus of Riverlake West Road, Alton, New Hampshire.

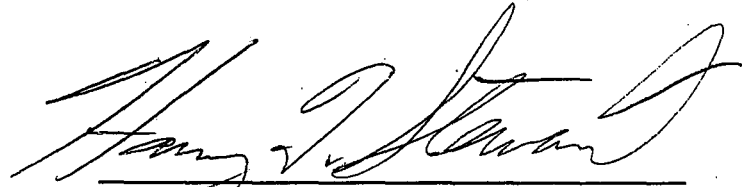
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Date of Issuance: September 9, 2002
Date of Expiration: September 9, 2012

Pursuant to authority in N.H. RSA 485-C:21, the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (Department), hereby grants this permit to withdraw groundwater from Jones Field Well, subject to the following conditions:

1. The permittee shall comply with the requirements of Env-Ws 388 at all times.
2. The permittee shall allow any authorized member of the Department's staff, or its agent, to enter the property covered by this permit for the purpose of collecting information, examining records, collecting water level measurements, or undertaking other action associated with this permit.
3. Wetlands Monitoring and Reporting Program
 - a. Implement a Wetlands Monitoring and Reporting Program as described on pages 5 and 6, and Appendix C of the permit application report titled "Addendum 1, Final Hydrogeological Report, Large Groundwater Withdrawal Permit for Town of Alton, NH Public Water Supply Well" prepared for Alton Water Works by Geosphere Environmental Management, Inc., dated July 29, 2002.
 - b. The baseline wetland profile, part of the Wetlands Monitoring and Reporting Program described above (item 3.a.) and the installation of the proposed piezometer (to be located in the vicinity of P-5) shall be completed by September 20, 2002. The proposed piezometer shall be installed and monitored as described on pages 5 and 6, of the permit application report titled "Addendum 1, Final Hydrogeological Report, Large Groundwater Withdrawal Permit for Town of Alton, NH Public Water Supply Well" prepared for Alton Water Works by Geosphere Environmental Management, Inc., dated July 29, 2002.
 - c. The Wetlands Monitoring and Reporting Program shall continue indefinitely as a condition of the permit. All work shall be conducted under the direct oversight of a New Hampshire Certified Wetland Scientist. An annual wetland monitoring report shall be submitted to the Department by December 1st of each year. The annual wetland monitoring report should provide a clear determination as to whether or not an adverse impact has occurred, may soon occur, or has not occurred over the monitoring period.
4. Mitigation Requirements
 - a. In the event that anticipated or unanticipated adverse impacts occur, the permittee shall comply with the requirements of Env-Ws 388.
 - b. The permittee will be required to notify the Department of any adverse impact within 12-hours of receiving such information.

5. The permittee shall become a Registered Water User and maintain the water use reporting requirements of Env-Wr 700 at all times.
6. The permittee shall apply for renewal of this permit at least 90 days prior to its expiration date. The permittee shall continue to comply with all conditions in this permit until the permit is renewed or the facility is closed in accordance with all applicable requirements, regardless of whether a renewal application is filed.



Harry A. Stewart, P.E.,
Director Water Division

Any person aggrieved by any terms or conditions of this permit may appeal in accordance with RSA 541 within 30 days.