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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM

**Notice of License Application pursuant to M. G. L Chapter 91 Waterways License
Application Nos. W04-1023D (Dredge), W04-1031 (LNG Facility) & W04-1030 (Pipeline)
Weavers Cove Energy, LLC & Mill River Pipeline, LLC**

NOTIFICATION DATE: November 30, 2006
PUBLIC HEARING DATE: December 11, 2006
COMMENT PERIOD CLOSSES: January 2, 2007

Public notice is hereby given of the Waterways applications by Weavers Cove Energy, LLC to dredge approximately 2.3 million cubic yards of sediment within Mount Hope Bay-Federal Navigation Channel and the turning basin, to construct and maintain a liquid natural gas (LNG) receiving & storage facility with auxiliary facilities, bulkhead, unloading platform & trestle, service platform & trestle, boat ramp, and floating dock, storm water outfall pipes and fill within the Mount Hope Bay Designated Port Area, off of 1 New Street in the municipality of Fall River in and over filled and flowed tidelands of the Taunton River. The Mill River Pipeline, LLC to dredge/backfill and to construct and maintain a gas transmission pipeline off of 1 New Street in the municipality of Fall River to an area off of Annette Avenue in the municipality of Somerset under filled and flowed tidelands of the Taunton River. The proposed projects have been determined to be water-dependent.

The Department of Environmental Protection, Waterways Program, will conduct a public hearing on the aforesaid projects on Monday, December 11, 2006, 6:30 PM, at Venus de Milo, 75 Grand Army Highway, Swansea, MA. The Department will conduct a public hearing in order to receive information to be used in its decision on whether to grant Waterways Licenses pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 91. Directions to the Venus de Milo can be obtained by contacting the restaurant at, (508) 678-3901. Additional information on these projects may be obtained by contacting Michael Howard, of Epsilon Associates, at (978) 897-7100.

The Department will consider all written comments on these Waterways applications received within 30 days subsequent to the "Notification Date". Failure of any aggrieved person or group of ten citizens or more to submit written comments to the Waterways Regulation Program by the Public Comments Deadline **(January 2, 2007)** will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing in accordance with 310 CMR 9.13(4)(c).

This information is available in alternate format. Call Donald M. Gomes, ADA Coordinator at 617-556-1057. TDD Service - 1-800-298-2207.

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Additional information regarding these applications may also be obtained by contacting the Waterways Regulation Program at (508) 946-2734. Project plans and documents for this application are on file with the Waterways Regulation Program for public viewing, by appointment only, at the address below. Applications may also be viewed at the following locations: Somerset Public Library, 1464 County Street, Somerset, MA, Somerset Town Hall, 140 Wood Street, Somerset, MA, Fall River Public Library, 104 North Main Street, Fall River, MA and Fall River City Hall, 1 Government Center, Fall River, MA

Written comments must be addressed to: Mitch Ziencina, Environmental Analyst, DEP Wetlands and Waterways Program, 20 Riverside Drive, Lakeville, MA 02347.