

Summary of Waterbody Assessment and TMDL Status in Massachusetts

Arlington, MA

ID	Waterbody Name	Watershed Name	Category	Acres		Miles		Cause	TMDL
				In Town - Total	Total	In Town - Total	Total		
MA71-02_2008	Mystic River	Boston Harbor:	5			1.0	5.0	Metals Nutrients Pathogens Pesticides Priority organics	
MA71-04_2008	Alewife Brook	Boston Harbor:	5			0.7	2.3	Metals Nutrients Objectionable deposits* Oil and grease Organic enrichment/Low DO Pathogens Taste, odor and color	
MA71-07_2008	Mill Brook	Boston Harbor:	5			2.8	2.8	Other habitat alterations* Pathogens	
MA71018_2008	Hills Pond	Boston Harbor:	3	2.17	2.17				
MA71027_2008	Lower Mystic Lake	Boston Harbor:	5	58.9	92.79				

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MA71040_2008	Spy Pond	Boston Harbor:	5	98.36	98.36		Noxious aquatic plants Nutrients Organic enrichment/Low DO Pesticides	
MA71043_2008	Upper Mystic Lake	Boston Harbor:	3	47.13	176.45			

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