

Summary of Waterbody Assessment and TMDL Status in Massachusetts

Cheshire, MA

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				In Town - Total	Total	In Town - Total	Total		
<i>MA11-03_2008</i>	Hoosic River	Hoosic	5			4.6	8.8	Flow alteration* Other habitat alterations* Pathogens Thermal modifications Unknown toxicity	
<i>MA11-10_2008</i>	Thunder Brook	Hoosic	3			1.6	1.5		
<i>MA11-13_2008</i>	Dry Brook	Hoosic	2			4.0	6.7		
<i>MA11-15_2008</i>	South Brook	Hoosic	2			2.8	4.1		
<i>MA11-16_2008</i>	McDonald Brook	Hoosic	2			2.5	3.0		
<i>MA11-17_2008</i>	Bassett Brook	Hoosic	3			0.2	1.9		
<i>MA11-24_2008</i>	Kitchen Brook	Hoosic	2			1.4	1.4		

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MA11018_2008	Cheshire Reservoir	Hoosic	5	104.94	186.35		Exotic species* Noxious aquatic plants	
MA11019_2008	Cheshire Reservoir	Hoosic	5	26.48	91.72		Exotic species* Noxious aquatic plants	

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