

Public Hearing Procedure

Proponent makes presentation on project

Proponent must demonstrate:

- that the area is not significant to the protection of any of the interests defined MGL Chapter 131 Section 40
- work within the resource area will contribute to the protection of the interests identified in MGL Chapter 131 Section 40 – There is a presumed significance of interests in most resource areas defined in 310 CMR 10.21-10.60.
 - Protection of public and private water supply
 - Protection of ground water supply
 - Flood Control
 - Storm Damage Prevention
 - Prevention of Pollution
 - Protection of land containing shellfish
 - Protection of Fisheries
 - Protection of Wildlife Habitat
- proposed work within the buffer zone will contribute to the protection of the interests identified in MGL Chapter 131 Section 40

Opponent should:

- show the interests of Chapter 131 Section 40 are not protected
 1. WPA Form 3 Notice of Intent, Section C Activities Subject to Regulation is not correct.
 2. Information submitted for Section D Performance Standards is not correct.

- How the proposed work will harm the interests of Chapter 131 Section 40 specified in the NOI
- Advocate for the implementation of certain conditions that will protect the interests of Chapter 131 Section 40.

Proponent to respond to any questions raised by opponent that the commission agrees relates to the protection of the interests identified in Chapter 131 Section 40.