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Receiving Waters and Priority Resource Areas

As a part of the NPDES Phase II Notice of Intent, the City must identify receiving waters and priority resource areas. This section summarizes the identified water bodies.

8.1 Receiving Waters

Haverhill's discharges stormwater to the following receiving waters:

- Merrimack River (303(d) listed)
- Little River (303(d) listed)
- Lake Saltonstall (303(d) listed);
- Crystal Lake
- West Meadow Brook
- Creek Brook
- Peck's Pond
- Sister's Pond
- Fishing Brook
- Camp Brook
- Chadwick's Pond
- Lake Pentucket (Round Pond)
- Frye's Pond
- Snow's Brook
- Tilton's Swamp
- Kenoza Basin
- Kenoza Lake
- Peabody Brook

- Johnson's Creek
- Johnson's Pond (Borders with Groveland/Boxford)
- Cottles Creek
- Millvale Reservoir
- East Meadow River

8.2 Priority Resource Areas

The following resource areas should be considered a priority when developing the stormwater management plan:

- Public water supplies
- Public recreational waters
- Outstanding Resource Waters (ORWs, as designated in 314 CMR 4.00)
- Rivers, ponds, and lakes that are on the 303(d) list of impaired waters
- Coldwater fishery river segments as identified in 314 CMR 4.00

As described in Section 7, many Best Management Practices have been included in the stormwater management plan to specifically address the quality of stormwater into these sensitive receptors