

Dear Sir or Madam:

At their January 14, 2010 meeting the Environmental Management Commission (EMC) authorized the Division of Water Resources (DWR) to proceed with receiving applications for water supply allocations from Jordan Lake. North Carolina General Statute 143-354(a)(11) gives the EMC responsibility to allocate the water supply storage in Jordan Lake to units of local government having a need for water supply. DWR will be holding a meeting on Wednesday February 24, 2010 to explain the application process to local governments and other interested parties.

As part of the water allocation process, the EMC has directed DWR to update the Cape Fear River Basin Water Resources Plan. Information on the process and schedule for updating the basin water supply plan will be presented at the meeting on the 24th. The afternoon portion of the meeting will focus on the Cape Fear River Basin Model update schedule and process. Updating the model is the first step in the water supply plan update.

Meeting Date - Wednesday, February 24, 2010
Location - Ground Floor Hearing Room, Archdale Building
512 N. Salisbury Street
Raleigh, NC 27604

Agenda

10:00 - 11:00 - Jordan Lake Water Supply Allocation Application Process
11:00 - 12:00 - Cape Fear River Basin Water Supply Plan Update Process
12:00 - 1:00 - Lunch Break
1:00 - 3:00 - Cape Fear River Basin Model Update Schedule and Funding

If you wish to receive future notices about Jordan Lake Water Supply Allocation and the Cape Fear Water Supply Plan update please send an email to Cape-Fear-Plan-join@lists.ncmail.net. To receive notices about Jordan Lake Water Supply Allocation, the Cape Fear Water Supply Plan update, and the Cape Fear River Basin Model update please send an email to Cape-Fear-Model-join@lists.ncmail.net. Please note that the subject and body of the message will be ignored, so do not put important information or questions for DWR staff in this message.

Additional information will be available on DWR's website soon at:
http://www.newater.org/Permits_and_Registration/Jordan_Lake_Water_Supply_Allocation/.

If you have questions send an email to DWR at: jordan-water-supply@lists.ncmail.net or you can contact Tom Fransen at Tom.Fransen@ncdenr.gov or 919-715-0381.

Your participation in the allocation and planning processes are important to us and we look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

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