



State of Tennessee  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION**  
**DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES**

William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower  
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102

January 24, 2020

Mr. Mickey King  
President  
Marshall County Board of Public Utilities  
624 West Commerce Street  
Lewisburg, TN 37091  
e-copy: [marshallcounty\\_utilities@yahoo.com](mailto:marshallcounty_utilities@yahoo.com)

Subject           **Public Notice Requirements**  
                      **Draft NPDES Permit No. IWT000013**  
                      **Marshall County Board of Public Utilities**  
                      **Marshall County, Tennessee**

Dear Mr. Mickey King:

The Division of Water Resources (Division) is in receipt of the permit application dated January 16, 2020 in which your request a permit for the transfer up to 0.216 million gallons of water per day (MGD) from the Cumberland River Basin to the Duck River Basin. We have completed our review and have determined this application is complete as submitted.

As a result of this determination, we have prepared an approved Public Notice which you will find enclosed. The applicant is responsible for distributing the public notice as follows.

1. Publish the notice of the permit application once a week for four consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in each potentially affected community in the river basin of origin. To document this, please provide us with a copy of the newspaper containing the notice for each of the four weeks.
2. Provide notice of the application to a responsible official within each potentially affected community and water user within the proposed basin of origin by certified mail, return receipt requested. To document the performance of this task, please provide to us a copy of the letter sent to each responsible official with a copy of the return receipt.
3. Post a minimum of three public notices in public buildings, e.g., courthouses, libraries, city halls, in each potentially affected community in the river basin of origin.

To document the performance of this task, please provide to us a list where these notices were posted.

Please perform these tasks beginning as close to February 11, 2020 as possible, and provide the documentation to us by March 31, 2020.

If you have questions, please contact the Knoxville Environmental Field Office at 1-888-891-TDEC; or, at this office, please contact Mr. Jim McAdoo at (615) 532-0684 or by E-mail at [Jim.McAdoo@tn.gov](mailto:Jim.McAdoo@tn.gov).

Sincerely,

*Wade D. Murphy / JJJ*

Vojin Janjić  
Manager, Water-Based Systems

cc: Mr. Darren Gore, City of Murfreesboro, [dgore@murfreesborotn.gov](mailto:dgore@murfreesborotn.gov)  
Mr. William Dunnill, General Manager, Consolidated Utility District of Rutherford County, [wdunnill@ cudrc.com](mailto:wdunnill@ cudrc.com)  
Columbia Environmental Field Office, [Sherry.Glass@tn.gov](mailto:Sherry.Glass@tn.gov)

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The following applicant has submitted a complete application for a permit in accordance with the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation Rule 0400-40-13

**Marshall County Board of Public Utilities**  
**624 West Commerce Street**  
**Lewisburg, TN 37091**  
**Inter-basin Water Transfer Permit Number IWT000013**  
**Telephone number: 931-359-6905**

The Tennessee Division of Water Resources proposes to issue a water quality NPDES permit to the following applicant who discharges to surface waters:

***Proposed New Issuance***

Applicant name **Marshall County Board of Public Utilities**  
Permit number **IWT000013**  
Permit Writer **Jim McAdoo**  
Discharger rating **Minor**  
County **Marshall**  
EFO Name **Columbia Environmental Field Office**  
Description of activity **Inter-basin Water Transfer**  
Receiving stream **Duck River Basin via Consolidated Utility District of Rutherford County and the City of Murfreesboro from the Cumberland River Basin**

The applicant has proposed to the division to pump up to 216,000 of gallons per day of water.

Anyone wishing to comment on the conditions of the proposed permit should submit written comments to the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, Tennessee Division of Water Resources, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102. Attention: NPDES Comments. Comments should be received by **March 31, 2020** and should include the applicant's name and permit number.

Interested persons may request, in writing, a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed within the comment period and must indicate the interest of the filing party and reasons for the request. If there is significant interest, a hearing will be held pursuant to Division Rule 0400-40-5-.06(12), and the Director will make determinations regarding permit issuance. The application, draft permit, etc., are available for review and/or copying at the above address from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., weekdays, except holidays. There is a nominal charge for copying, except single copies of permit applications, draft permits, and supporting rationale. Contact Mr. Jim McAdoo at (615) 532-0684 or by e-mail at [Jim.McAdoo@tn.gov](mailto:Jim.McAdoo@tn.gov) or write for more information at:

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