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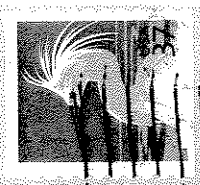

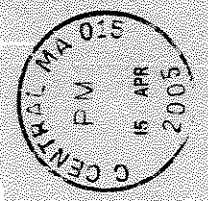

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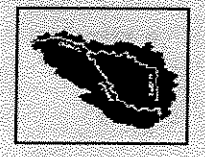

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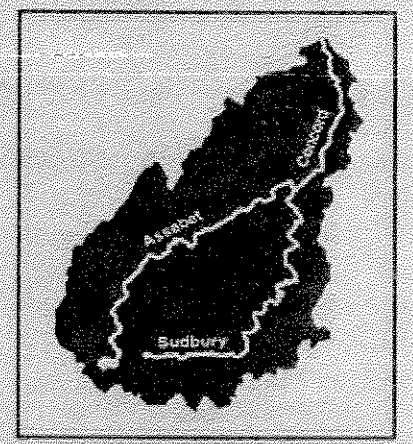

"The State of the Watershed and Our Future: An Interactive Forum on the SuAsCo"

Wednesday, May 11, 2005
5:00 PM to 9:30 PM

Host: Intel Massachusetts
Hudson, MA

RIVER VISIONS 2005 WATERSHED FORUM

WHO SHOULD ATTEND
Everyone who lives or works in the watershed: concerned citizens; municipal, state, and federal officials; business leaders; consultants; environmental advocates; students and educators

PARTICIPANTS WILL:
- Set priorities for the SuAsCo Watershed Action Plan
- Learn from watershed experts
- Network with community leaders
- Become involved in the SuAsCo Watershed Community Council

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SuAsCo Watershed Action Plan

The SuAsCo Watershed Community Council is a unique community-based non-profit alliance that promotes the sustainable economic and environmental well-being of the SuAsCo Watershed. The Council and Ambient Engineering are jointly facilitating the development of a five-year SuAsCo Watershed Action Plan, which will be used to mobilize local action and to target limited grant resources. At River Visions, you will help to shape the Plan by setting environmental priorities and determining key actions.

Come participate in River Visions 2005 and make a difference in our future!

"SuAsCo" stands for the Sudbury, Assabet, and Concord Rivers. The watershed of these rivers encompasses, partially or wholly, 36 communities: Acton, Ashland, Bedford, Berlin, Billerica, Bolton, Boxborough, Boylston, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Clinton, Concord, Framingham, Grafton, Harvard, Holliston, Hopkinton, Hudson, Lincoln, Littleton, Lowell, Marlborough, Maynard, Natick, Northborough, Sherborn, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Stow, Sudbury, Tewksbury, Upton, Wayland, Westborough, Westford, and Weston.

Directions to Intel Massachusetts, Hudson, MA

From I-495: Take **Exit 25A** for Rte. 85 towards Hudson and Marlborough. Go straight at first traffic light (Fitchburg Street) and straight at second traffic light (Rte. 85 and shopping plaza) onto **Technology Drive**. Go 0.5 miles to the top of the hill and turn left into main entrance for Intel. Go 0.7 miles around the Intel driveway and turn right into the parking lot for "HD2". Park in either the upper or lower parking lots. Walk up the stairs to the entrance lobby of Building HD2. Register at the front table.

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Help us feed the hungry! Please support Intel's Food Drive by bringing a non-perishable food item to River Visions!

AGENDA

5:00 Registration and Exhibitor Tables

5:30 Buffet Dinner and Exhibitor Tables

6:30 Welcome from the Community Council and Intel Massachusetts

6:40 SuAsCo Watershed Awards

6:55 "River Visions": The Role of the Community Council

7:05 The Watershed Action Plan: James Stergios, Undersecretary for Policy, EOEA

7:20 "State of the Watershed" Panel

8:20 Ballot Voting on Priority Actions

8:30 Concurrent Workshops (choose one)

"Watershed Planning" Interactive Workshops:

- *A. Growth & Development*
- *B. Water Quality*
- *C. Water Quantity/Flow*
- *D. Land Protection*
- *E. Habitat/Biodiversity*

"Living in Your Watershed" Presentations:

- *F. Hiking in the SuAsCo Watershed*
- *G. Environmentally Friendly Lawn Care*

9:30 Adjourn

Early Registration Deadline: May 6

Early registration: $25
Late and on-site registration: $30

Please make check payable to:
SuAsCo Watershed Community Council

Please send early registration fee and this form, postmarked by May 6 to:

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Suite 200, 118 Great Road
Stow, MA 01775

Yes! I will attend the ***River Visions 2005 Forum*** on **Wednesday evening, May 11** *(Please print clearly)*

Name _____

Affiliation _____

Address _____

Town/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Please circle your workshop preference, as well as a 2nd choice in case of overbooking:

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I would like to support the work of the SuAsCo Watershed Community Council with my additional tax-deductible contribution of $_____

Register Early! Workshops will fill up fast!