Tour of the MWRA’s Deer Island Sewage Treatment Plant, Winthrop, MA

Friday, June 27, 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The tour is of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority’s Deer Island Sewage Treatment Plant in Winthrop, Mass. MWRA calls this plant the “centerpiece of MWRA's $3.8 billion program to protect Boston Harbor against pollution from Metropolitan Boston's sewer systems.” The tour will cover the history of the Boston Harbor clean-up project, operation of the treatment plant, and the history of the site on which the plant was built. It involves about 1 ½ miles of walking and climbing stairs (there are elevators).

Attendees will meet at the facility at 1:00 p.m. There is ample parking.

For directions, see the MRWA website, How to get to Deer Island
http://www.mwra.state.ma.us/03sewer/html/sewdi_access.htm

Registration is now open. Anyone who would like to attend should send their names to Sara Wermiel, SNEC Treasurer, at swermiel@verizon.net

The deadline for registration is May 27th.

Attendees must fill out a form that will be sent to the MWRA, Office of Emergency Preparedness, along with a copy of your driver’s license or passport. For more information about the plant, see the MWRA’s webpage, http://www.mwra.state.ma.us/03sewer/html/sewditp.htm