

WASHINGTON – Congressman John W. Olver (D-MA) has introduced legislation to help protect and restore the Connecticut River watershed. "The Connecticut River is one of New England's premier natural assets," Olver said. "With its 11,000 miles of shoreline, Congress recognized the great natural value and national significance of the Connecticut River watershed. The Lower Connecticut River Partnership Act would establish a small grants program for local environmental projects. The Connecticut River watershed is a scenic region of cities and historic villages located in an international watershed. For more information, contact Whitty Sanford, Associate Executive Director, Connecticut River Watershed Council." #

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