Interbasin Transfer Update

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UPDATES

- Session Law 2010-155
- Greenville Utilities Commission
- Neuse Regional Water and Sewer Authority
- Kerr Lake Regional Water System
- Brunswick County Public Utilities

Session Law 2010-155

- Previous IBT law allowed systems in the Central Coastal Plain Capacity Use Area (CCPCUA) to pursue an IBT certificate under the "old", .22I statute through January 1, 2011. The session law extended that deadline until January 1, 2013.
- Isolated River Basin exemption.
 The session law defines four isolated river basins.
 Systems transferring water to these basins may request an IBT certificate under the old, .22I statute through July 1, 2020.



Session Law 2010-155 (continued)

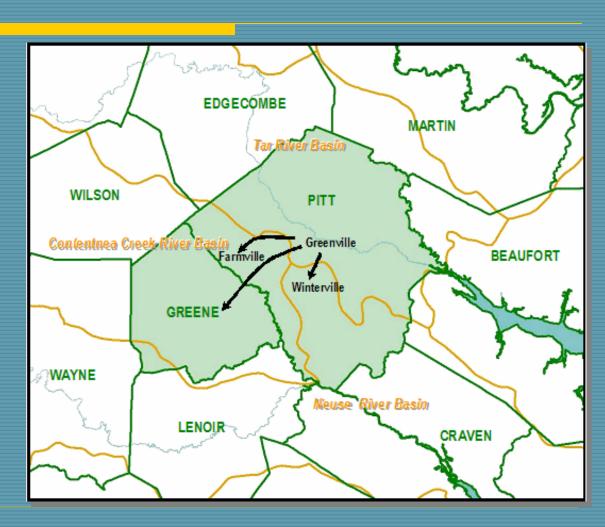
Cost of Conducting Public Hearings. The session law requires a petitioner to pay the costs associated with any public hearing that the EMC is required to hold during the certificate process.

Greenville Utilities Commission

Service Area

IBT Request

- ⇒ 8.3 MGD from Tar to Contentnea (up to 9.3 MGD in an emergency)
- → 4.0 MGD from Tar to the Neuse (up to 4.2 MGD in an emergency)



Greenville Utilities Commission

Hearing officer recommendations are currently being developed. Draft certificate to be presented at future WAC/EMC meetings (likely November).

Neuse Regional WASA

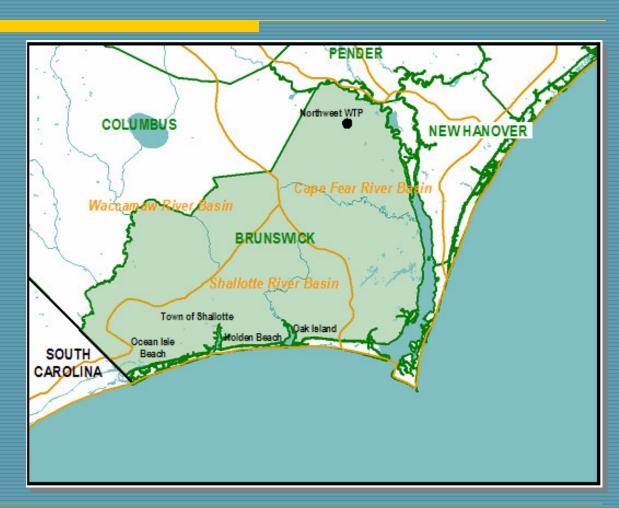
- NRWASA has indicated intent to pursue an IBT certificate.
- Session Law 2010-155 extended the deadline for CCPCUA systems from January 1, 2011 to January 1, 2013.
- NRWASA plans to develop an environmental document before submitting a petition. Draft document is expected to be complete in 2011.

Brunswick County

Service Area

IBT Request

- ⇒ 18.35 MGD from Cape Fear to Shallotte
- 0.94 MGD from Cape Fear to Waccamaw



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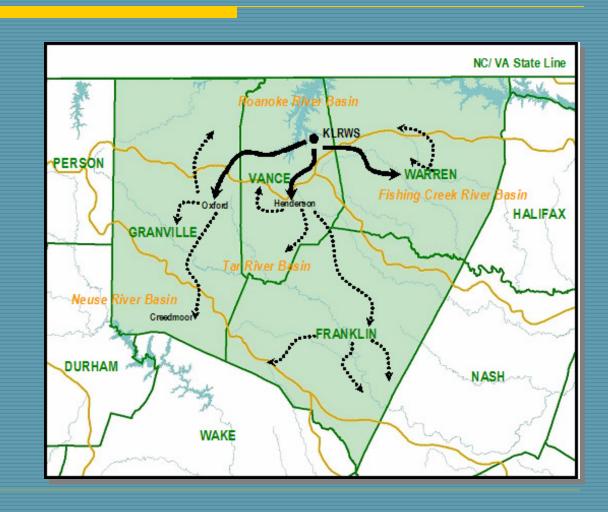
- ☐ Shallotte Basin categorized as an "isolated river basin" by Session Law 2010-155.
- DWR is currently in discussion with applicant and AG's office to determine how the County's path forward has changed in light of the new legislation.

Kerr Lake Regional Water System

Service Area

IBT Request

- ⇒ 24 MGD from Roanoke to Tar and Fishing Creek
- 2.1 MGD from Roanoke to Neuse



Kerr Lake Regional Water System

- Applicant has submitted initial hydrologic modeling report to DWR for review.
- Draft EIS is currently in development. Document is expected to be available for internal review in late 2010.

Questions?

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