

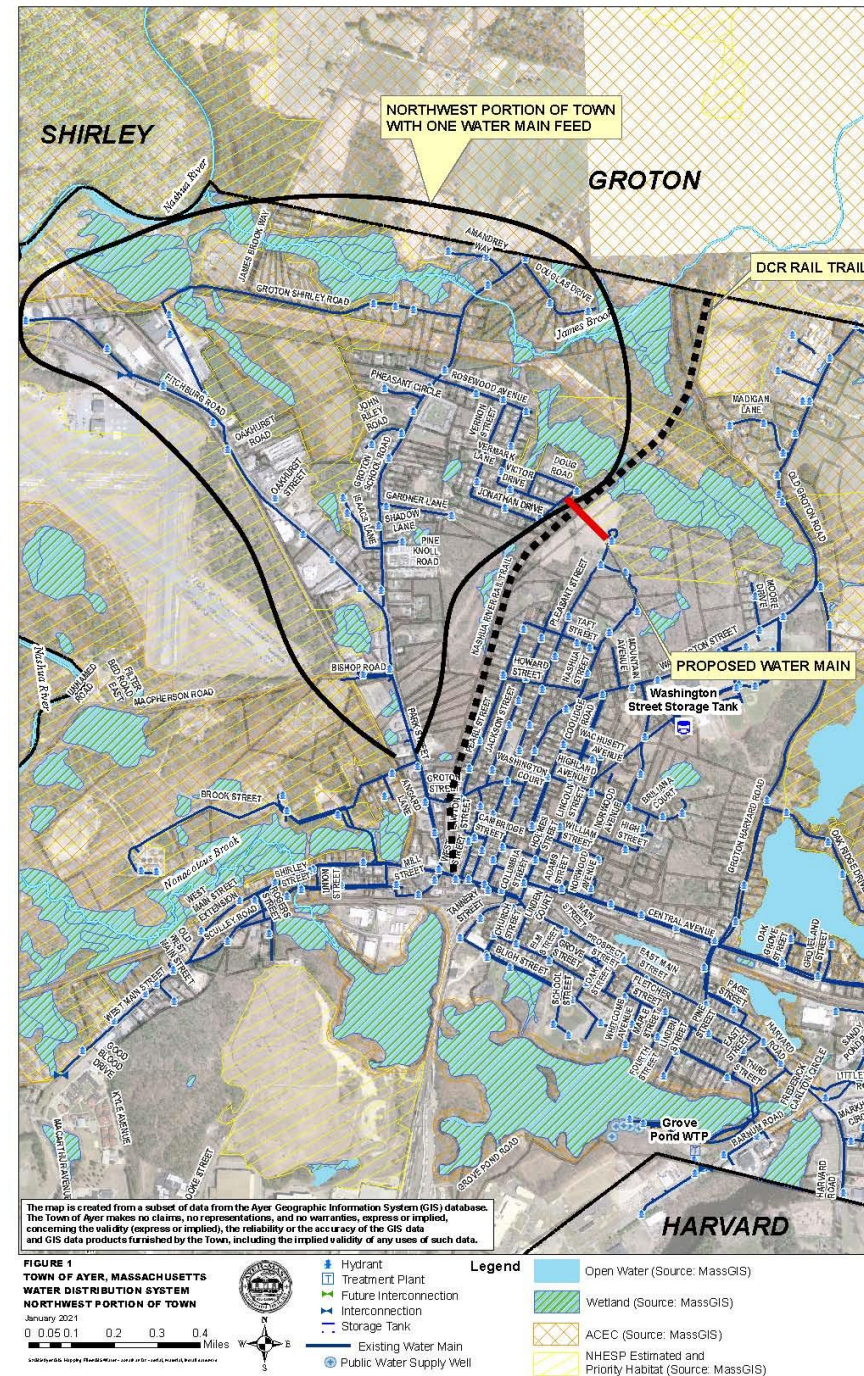
Jonathan Drive Cross-Country Water Main (Town Meeting Article 29)

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Project Summary / Scope

- Installation of a cross-country water main to create a “loop” in the Town’s water system.
- Warrant Article for disposition of Article 97 Land (i.e. easement across DCR Rail Trail)



Mapper Ayer Assessor Site

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Aerial View



Article 97 Land Disposition

- The Commonwealth of MA EOEEA Article 97 Land Disposition Policy:
 - Requires Town Meeting vote in support of Article 97 land disposition (i.e., the easement across the DCR Rail Trail).
 - Requires compensation of equal or lesser value in the form of real estate or monetary compensation which will be based on a real estate appraisal. Note: Today's vote is not related to the compensation, only support of the disposition.
- What's Next to meet the Policy:
 1. TM Vote April 26th
 2. Special Legislation vote by State Legislature, Signature by Governor
 3. Coordinate appraisal and compensation with DCR/DCAMM

Thank You

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