

**COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**113<sup>th</sup> Congress Disclosure Form**  
**As required by and provided for in House Rule XI, clause 2(g) and**  
**the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources**

Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation's legislative hearing on HR 412 (Tsongas), the  
"Nashua River Wild and Scenic Rivers Study Act"  
June 6, 2013

For Individuals:

1. Name:
2. Address:
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For Witnesses Representing Organizations:

1. Name:  
Elizabeth Ainsley Campbell, Executive Director
2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing:  
Nashua River Watershed Association, Inc.
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## **For all Witnesses**

Name/Organization: Elizabeth Ainsley Campbell/Nashua River Watershed Association

Title/Date of Hearing: Subcommittee on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation's legislative hearing on HR 412 (Tsongas), the "Nashua River Wild and Scenic Rivers Study Act" June 6, 2013

a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

My educational degrees (A.B. from Radcliffe College and M.A. from the University of Michigan) provided a "liberal arts" background with an emphasis on Communications that served as a spring board for my subsequent career in natural resource protection.

b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

The Nashua River Watershed Association (NRWA) is an active member of the Massachusetts Environmental Collaborative, the Massachusetts Watershed Coalition, and the Massachusetts Rivers Alliance. As Executive Director of the NRWA, I am frequently the liaison with these organizations, and we benefit from understanding and setting the NRWA's natural resource protection efforts in a broader context.

c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

I have served as the Executive Director of the Nashua River Watershed Association continuously since September of 1994 – almost 19 years – and I am very familiar with the watershed's natural resources, the current threats to the watershed's health, and the opportunities for enhanced natural resource protection and continued improvement. I am also very familiar with the local communities and stakeholders, the depth of their commitment to the river system, and their enthusiasm for collaborating and partnering for its well-being.

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

I, personally, have not received any grants or contracts. The Nashua River Watershed Association has received grants / contracts as noted in section "i" below.

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

None.

f. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against you by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under

which the lawsuits were filed.

None.

g. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

In addition to my professional qualification as Executive Director of the NRWA, I grew up in the town of Harvard, Massachusetts – one of the towns that the Nashua River flows through & that would be included in the Study – and thus have an especially long-standing relationship with, and passion for, the natural surroundings in this part of New England.

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h. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.

In my capacity as Executive Director, I am authorized to represent the Nashua River Watershed Association.

i. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).

Through a U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Cooperative Agreement, the Nashua River Watershed Association received funding for the "Nashua River Purple Loosetrife BioControl Project" as part of the USF&WS Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program for work done during three fiscal years (FY09, FY10, and FY11), for a total of \$15,000.

(During the last six years the NRWA has had contracts/agreements with federal agencies other than the Department of Interior: specifically, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service. It is our understanding that these other federal agencies are not invited to participate in the June 6<sup>th</sup> testimony for HR 412.)

j. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).

None.

k. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against the organization(s) you represent at the hearing by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

None.

l. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).

Submitted as an attachment.