

**466B.2 Definitions.**

For the purposes of [this chapter](#), unless the context otherwise requires:

1. “*Council*” means the water resources coordinating council created in [section 466B.3](#).
2. “*Department*” means the department of natural resources.
3. “*Political subdivision*” means a city, county, or soil and water conservation district.
4. “*Regional watershed*” means a watershed of hydrologic unit code scale 8.
5. “*Subwatershed*” means a watershed of hydrologic unit code scale 12 or smaller.
6. “*Watershed*” means a geographic area in which surface water is drained by rivers, streams, or other bodies of water.

[2008 Acts, ch 1034, §2](#); [2013 Acts, ch 132, §57](#)