EXPLANATION

This map shows the location and identification number of major, subregional, and local drainage basins within the coastal area of Connecticut. The boundaries of these basins are based on USGS topographic quadrangle maps at 1:24,000 scale. However, river and stream features and watershed delineations that may not align exactly with the terrain of stream valleys and elevation are based on USGS topographic quadrangle maps published between 1969 and 1992. It includes political boundaries, railroads, airports, docks, piers, and bridges. This map is intended to be printed at its original dimensions in order to maintain the accuracy of the drainage basins.

DATA SOURCES

- Base Map Data: Based on data acquired from the Center for Geographic Information, University of Connecticut, 1999. The data are represented in area (1:62,500) and is in NAD 1983 State Plane Coordinate System, zone 13, with feet as the horizontal and vertical units.
- All other data are based on the USGS 7.5 minute topographic quadrangle maps published between 1976 and 1992.
- Examples of natural drainage lines and other boundary lines are shown.