ACCESSING MAPPING LAYERS FOR THE 2006 303(D) LIST

Assessment Units (AU) are the basic unit of record for conducting and reporting water quality assessments. The spatial source of the 2008 AUs is the event feature classes of the New Hampshire Hydrography Dataset (NHHD). While very useful for more complex analysis, the complexity of the dataset is not suitable for the normal user but is available upon request. As such, GIS layers have been set-up for users of the more common GIS software products. Currently, the AUs are available in Geodatabase format. All GIS layers may be accessed through the Department's FTP site by using the following instructions:

1) Go to this address using a web browser: ftp://pubftp.nh.gov/DES/wmb/WaterQuality/SWQA/2008/ (some browsers may require you to cut and paste this link directly).
2) At the login window, click on the box in the lower left hand corner labeled "Login Anonymously".
3) The User name will then be automatically filled in with the word "Anonymous".
4) Type in your email address in the Email Address block.
5) Then click on the Log On button.
6) The [GIS] Folder should appear containing the files described above.

All GIS layers are in NAD_1983, New Hampshire State Plane, Feet.