

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

Land and Materials Administration • Resource Management Program
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NOTICE OF INTENT

General Discharge Permit for Animal Feeding Operations (AFOs) (19AF, MDG01)
Land and Materials Administration – Resource Management Program
Issued Pursuant to Title 9, Environment Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, and Code of
Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 26.08.04

Submission of this Notice of Intent (NOI) constitutes notice that the person identified in this form intends to operate under and
comply with all terms and conditions of the State/NPDES General Discharge Permit for AFOs (AFO Permit). The discharge of
animal waste, including manure, poultry litter, and process wastewater to waters of the State is prohibited unless an AFO has
been registered under the AFO Permit by the Maryland Department of the Environment ("MDE"). A person shall hold a CAFO
discharge permit issued by MDE before beginning construction on any part of a new CAFO.

Please submit this completed NOI Form to the following address:

Maryland Department of the Environment
Land and Materials Administration/AFO Division
1800 Washington Boulevard, Suite 610
Baltimore, Maryland 21230-1719

General Information

AI Number: 130057

1. LEGAL Name of Applicant (must match name on required plan):
Zachary (Zack) Hudson

2. AFO Type (circle one): CAFO / MAFO

3. Applying for (check one):
[X] New Coverage see column 'A' in Question 4
[] Continuation of Coverage (renewal) see column 'B' in Question 4
[] Modification of 19AF Coverage see column 'C' in Question 4

4. Reason for NOI (please fill out corresponding column):

Table with 3 columns: A. New Coverage, B. Continuation of Coverage (renewal), C. Modification of 19AF Coverage. Includes checkboxes for various options like 'New owner/operator', 'Expanding', etc.

Applicant (Owner/Operator Information)

5. Mailing Address of Applicant: 33351 Little Hill Rd.
 City: Laurie State: DE Zip Code: 19951

6. Telephone Number(s) of Applicant: (Home) _____
 (Cell) [REDACTED]

7. Email of Applicant: [REDACTED]

Farm Information

Please attach a topographic map including the production area as well as the land application area (if applicable)

8. Farm Name: Same as Legal Name
 Other (please specify): New life Farm

9. Farm Address: 9176 Green Branch Road
 City: Willards County: Wicomico Zip Code: 21874

10. Watershed/Hydrologic Unit Code (HUC) (12-digit): 021302030655

11. Latitude/Longitude of Production Area (Deg/Min/Sec): 75 - 21 - 41 / 38 - 26 - 30

12. Animal Information:

A. Animal Type(s) <small>(from AFO size chart)</small>	B. Maximum Number of Animals at any given time <small>(For poultry, please indicate bird type and number per flock)</small>	C. Operation Size <small>(consult AFO size chart)</small>	D. Animal Confinement Type <small>(e.g. house, feedlot, barn, milking parlor, pen)</small>
<u>Poultry</u>	<u>82,000</u>	<u>Medium</u>	<u>HOUSE</u>

**For poultry only (13-16):*

13. *Number of poultry houses: 3

14. *Combined square footage of all poultry houses: 56,000 sq ft

15. *Date(s) poultry houses constructed: _____

16. *Integrator (check one):

<input type="checkbox"/> Allen-Harim	<input type="checkbox"/> Mountaire	Contact Information: Phone No.: <u>410-543-3000</u> Address: <u>Po Box 1537</u> <u>Salisbury, MD 21801</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Amick	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Perdue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Coleman	<input type="checkbox"/> Tyson	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____		

Manure/Mortality Management

17. Total Manure/Litter/Wastewater generated annually: 443 circle one: (tons) / lbs / gallons

18. Total Manure/Litter/Wastewater transported offsite annually: 443 circle one: (tons) / lbs / gallons

19. **Total number of acres controlled by applicant available for land application of manure/litter/process wastewater: Owned: 0 Leased: 0

***40 CFR Parts 122.23(b)(3) and 412.2(e) define "land application area" as all land under the control of the AFO owner/operator, whether by ownership, lease, or agreement, to which manure, litter or process wastewater is or may be applied.*

20. Manure Storage (please list individually):

A. Type (e.g. shed, lagoon, pit)	B. Capacity (ft ³ , gal)	C. Solid/Liquid
shed	40x60' 13,200 cf	solid

21. Mortality Management Method:
 Compost Incinerate
 Freeze Other (please specify): _____
 Render

Environmental Justice (EJ) Score

The EJ Score is an overall evaluation of an area's environment and existing environmental justice indicators including pollution burden exposure, pollution burden environmental effects, sensitive populations, and socioeconomic factors. Provide the EJ Score resulting from the use of a Maryland EJ tool for the census tract where an applicant is seeking a permit. The EJ Score can be generated using MDE's EJ Screening Tool at: <https://mdewin64.mde.state.md.us/EJ/>.

22. EJ Score: 28.04

CAFOs Only - Fees

Once a completed NOI is received by MDE and processed, MDE will invoice the applicant for any permit fees owed pursuant to COMAR 26.08.04.09-1.

Required Plan

CAFO permit application requirements at 40 CFR §122.21(i)(1)(x) specify that applications for coverage (including NOIs) must include nutrient management plans (NMPs) that at a minimum satisfy the requirements specified in 40 §122.42(e). Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plans (CNMPs), as defined in the General Discharge Permit for Animal Feeding Operations (AFOs) (19AF, MDG01), satisfy these requirements. An application will not be processed until a completed NOI form and a current CNMP are received. A CNMP must be developed by a certified and licensed plan writer, and in addition to the federal requirements, must satisfy the nutrient management requirements in COMAR 15.20.07 and 15.20.08.

Certification

By signing this form, I the applicant or duly authorized representative, do solemnly affirm under the penalties of perjury that the contents of this application are true to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. I hereby authorize the representatives of MDE to have access to the AFO and associated lots/facilities (farms) for inspection and to records relating to this application at any reasonable time. I acknowledge that depending on the type of permit applied for, other permits or approvals may be required. The personal information requested on this form is intended to be used in processing your NOI. This Notice is provided pursuant to Title 4 of the General Provisions Article, Annotated Code of Maryland. Your NOI may not be processed if you fail to provide all requested information. You have the right to inspect, amend, or correct this form. MDE is a public agency and subject to the Maryland Public Information Act (Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov. §§ 4-101, et seq.). This form may be made available on the Internet via MDE's website and is subject to inspection or copying, in whole or in part, by the public and other governmental agencies, if not otherwise protected by federal or State law.

Signature of Applicant / duly authorized representative

Zachary Hudson

Printed Name of Applicant / duly authorized representative

8/16/24

Date

operator

Title

AFO Size Chart

Animal Type	Circumstances under which Animal Feeding Operations Require Permit Coverage		
	CAFO or MAFO Registration Required	CAFO/MAFO Registration Required under Certain Circumstances	Registration Needed Only if Designated
	Large	Medium	Small
Cattle (includes heifers)	1000 or more animals	300—999 animals	less than 300 animals
Dairy cattle	700 or more animals	200—699 animals	less than 200 animals
Horses	500 or more animals	150—499 animals	less than 150 animals
Veal	1000 or more animals	300—999 animals	less than 300 animals
Swine ≥ 55 pounds	2500 or more animals	750—2499 animals	less than 750 animals
Swine < 55 pounds	10,000 or more animals	3,000—9,999 animals	less than 3,000 animals
Sheep and lambs	10,000 or more animals	3,000—9,999 animals	less than 3,000 animals
Ducks with liquid manure handling+	5,000 or more animals	1,500—4,999 animals	less than 1,500 animals
Chickens with liquid manure handling	30,000 or more animals	9,000—29,999 animals	less than 9,000 animals
Ducks with dry manure handling	30,000 or more animals	10,000—29,999 animals	less than 10,000 animals
Laying hens with dry manure handling	82,000 or more animals	25,000—81,999 animals	less than 25,000 animals
Chickens (other than laying hens) with dry manure handling	125,000 or more animals or greater than or equal to total house size of 100,000 ft ²	37,500—124,999 animals and less than total house size of 100,000 ft ²	less than 37,500 animals
Turkeys	55,000 or more animals	16,500—54,999 animals	less than 16,500 animals

+A separate discharge permit is required for large category duck CAFOs

COMPREHENSIVE NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT PLAN

New Life Farm

Zachary Hudson

**9176 Green Branch Road
Willards, Maryland 21874**

MAILING ADDRESS

33351 Little Hill Road
Laurel, Delaware 19956

PREPARED IN COOPERATION WITH THE



**Maryland Department of Agriculture
Office of Resource Conservation**

AND THE



Wicomico Soil Conservation District
119 W. Naylor Mill Road Suite 6
Salisbury, MD 21801

Prepared by: Edward Silva

Plan Date: September 2024

Poultry Operation (No Land Plan)

Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) M.D.E. Agency Interest # **130057**

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SECTION 1: CNMP Purpose and Agreement

The Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP) is an important part of the conservation management system (CMS) for your Animal Feeding Operation (AFO). This CNMP documents the planning decisions and operation and maintenance for the AFO. This plan has been prepared in accordance with NRCS standards and specifications for a Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan 102.

This CNMP is valid as long as there are no major changes to the operation. A plan revision will be needed when the numbers of animals deviates by 10% from the planned amount or when the operation changes from one type of livestock to another. Annual revisions will be necessary for the nutrient management system in order to account for crop changes and soil sample result changes.

This CNMP was developed paying special attention to the USEPA's required nine minimum practices for water quality protection. This plan when implemented by Zachary Hudson will ensure clean runoff is diverted from manure storage and production areas and livestock are prevented from making direct contact with waters.

Owner/Operator

As the owner/operator of this CNMP, I, as the decision-maker, I have been involved in the planning process and agree that the items/practices listed in each element of the CNMP are needed. I understand that I am responsible for keeping all necessary records associated with the implementation of this CNMP. It is my intent to implement/accomplish this CNMP in a timely manner as described in the plan.



Zachary Hudson



Date

Certified Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP) Planner

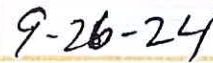
As an approved Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP) Planner, I certify that I have reviewed the Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan and that the elements of the documents are technically compatible, reasonable and can be implemented.



Edward Silva

NRCS Planner Certified January 30, 2024

Nutrient Management Certification # 4357



Date

SECTION 2: Farmstead (Production Area)

This element addresses the components and activities associated with the production facility, feedlot or animal loafing facilities, manure and wastewater storage and treatment structures and areas, animal mortality facilities, feed and other raw material storage areas, and any areas used to facilitate transfer of manure and wastewater.

Farm Locations

Farm Name	Owner	Tax Account ID	Farm #	Tract #	Account ID Acres	Watershed
New Life Farm	Jason Powell	[REDACTED]	3650	6012	57.71	02-13-02-03-0655

Description of Operation / Additional Information

This three poultry house, 82,000 bird capacity, medium size, NO-Land CAFO poultry farm is currently operated by Zachary Hudson. All poultry manure generated is exported. The total parcel acreage equals 57.71 acres. The production / residence area of this farm is approximately 6.4 acres, and the remaining 51.31 acres are forest. There are no tillable acres on the property.

Sensitive Environmental Information

Name of nearest regulatory waterbody	Distance to nearest regulatory waterbody (ft.)	Distance to nearest regulatory wetland (ft.)
Green Branch PDA	210'	80'

Account ID	12 Digit Watershed	Watershed Name	Tier II High Quality Waters Watershed	Impairments			
				Nitrogen	Phosphorus	Bacteria (e.coli, enterococci or fecal)	Sediment
[REDACTED]	02-13-02-03-0655	Upper Pocomoke River	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

Animal Production

Poultry

Bird Type	Average Bird Weight (lbs)	Number of Houses	Total Number of Birds (All Houses)	Number of Flocks per year
Broiler	4	3	82,000	6

* See poultry litter quantity estimation sheets in the "Nutrient Management" section of this plan.

Operators must keep records of the actual:

1. Quantity estimate of litter removed from production and/or storage facility; and
2. Date of removal of litter from production and/or storage facility.

Manure Collection

Manure that is collected from the poultry houses is stored in the manure sheds until it is taken to the receiving farm(s). This operation includes 1 manure shed, sized at 40ft. x 64 ft., with a storage capacity of 12,800 cu. ft., and attached 2 bin composter. Following every flock, the operator performs a center cut, removing approximately 30% of the litter from the house. This is used to maintain a consistent quantity of litter in the houses and eliminate buildup. Therefore, complete cleanouts are not necessary. A complete cleanout is expected in 2027. The last complete cleanout was in 2015. The operator must keep records of the quantity, date, and destination of manure removed from the houses and off the farm.

Manure Storage

All manure will either remain in the poultry house or will be stored in the designated storage facility. A minor amount of manure will be used in the animal mortality facility to facilitate the composting process.

Current / Proposed Manure Storage Conditions

Animal Type	Storage Structure	Size of Storage Structure	Storage Capacity	Date Constructed
Poultry	PWSS	40' x 64'	12,800 cf	5/19/1992

IMPORTANT! Manure should not be stockpiled or staged anywhere in the production area other than permanent manure storage structure for any length of time.

Transfer Information (Farm(s) receiving exported manure)

Animal Type	Name	Address
Poultry	Collins Brothers	37161 Millsboro Highway, Millsboro, Delaware 19966

Animal Mortality Disposal

Animals die because of disease, injury, or other causes in any confined livestock operation. The mortality rate is generally highest for newborn animals because of their vulnerability.

Catastrophic mortality can occur if an epidemic infects and destroys a large portion of the herd or flock in a short time, or if a natural disaster, such as a flood or excessive heat strikes. There are also incidences

when an entire herd or flock must be destroyed to protect human health or other farms in the area.

Methods for managing mortality include:

1. Rendering
2. Composting
3. Incineration*
4. Sanitary landfills
5. Burial**
6. Disposal pits**

* Incineration may only be used with proper equipment and permits must be obtained by the producer.

** Burial and Disposal pits should only be considered for catastrophic mortality if all other methods are not possible. Zachary Hudson will follow local and state guidance if it is determined that burial is an acceptable means of disposal.

Typical Mortality Management

Current Normal Mortality Disposal Method(s)

Animal Type	Disposal Method	Number of Bins/Capacity	Location of Disposal/Facility
Poultry	Composting - Bins/Channels	2/bin	Inside PWSS

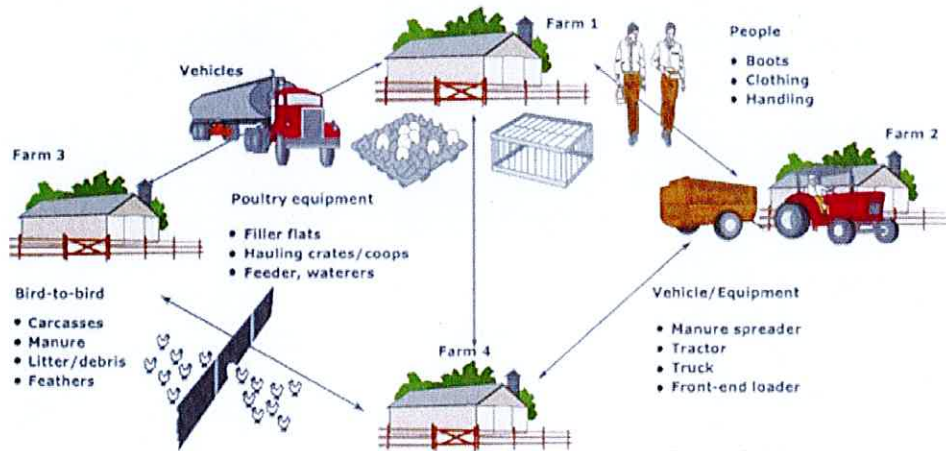
Catastrophic Mortality Management

In the event of catastrophic mortality, the operator will contact the integrator and most likely, follow an 'in house' or 'in PWSS' windrow method of composting as outlined in UMD-Ext fact sheets #723 and #801. If 'in PWSS' composting is used, MDE must be notified for approval.

Biosecurity

Biosecurity means doing everything possible to protect the health of livestock by preventing the transmission of disease. An outbreak of animal disease could not only harm your livestock, it could affect other nearby animals and quickly spread through your area. The economic consequences of a disease outbreak could be devastating. Taking common sense precautions to prevent disease from coming onto your farm is the best investment you can make.

How Diseases Spread (Example - Poultry Operation)



Steps to Take to Avoid Disease Spread

To reduce the risk of introducing disease entering into an animal feeding operation, maintain a biosecurity barrier (physical barrier, personal hygiene, and equipment sanitation) between wildlife, animals, animal containment areas, and other commercial facilities. Some examples of good biosecurity practices include:

1. Permit only essential workers and vehicles on the premises.
2. Give germs the boot
 - a. Keep a pair of shoes or boots to wear only around your animals.
 - b. Clean and disinfect your shoes often.
 - c. Always ask visitors and employees to clean their boots and shoes.
3. Don't haul home disease
 - a. Always clean and disinfect vehicles used for moving animals.
 - b. Limit traffic of incoming people, products and vehicles that could bring in a disease.
 - c. Clean and disinfect all equipment that comes in contact with your animals.
4. Keep your farm secure
 - a. Restrict access to your property and animals.
 - b. Keep doors and gates locked.
 - c. Have tracking records on animals.
 - d. Give germs space - Newly acquired animals should be isolated for at least two weeks to ensure you don't introduce disease to your main herd or flock. As an added protection, isolate and quarantine new animals for 30 days before putting them with your other animals. Keep show animals segregated for at least two weeks after they've been to a fair or exhibit.
5. Look for signs
 - a. Unusual animal health symptoms or behavior
 - b. Sudden, unexplained death loss in the herd or flock
 - c. Severe illness affecting a high percentage of animals
 - d. Blisters around an animal's mouth, nose, teats or hooves
 - e. Staggering, falling or central nervous system disorders that prevent animals from rising or walking normally.
 - f. Large number of dead insects, rodents or wildlife
6. Don't wait - call in signs of disease immediately. Do not self-diagnose. Seek veterinary services, as early detection is your best protection. If you have animals with signs of suspect disease, call your local veterinarian, UMD extension agent () or the state veterinarian. Rapid response and investigation are the only ways to control and eliminate disease and stop large numbers of casualties or damage to our economic system.

AFO RESOURCE CONCERNS EVALUATION WORKSHEET

Name:		Zachary Hudson		Agency Interest #:	130057
Planner:		Edward Silva		Farm # / Tract #:	3650 / 6012
Site Visit Date:		8/16/2024		Total Acres:	57.71
County:		Wicomico		Production Area Acres:	6.4
RESOURCE CONCERN		YES	NO	Assessment	
a.	Biosecurity measures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The operator is following biosecurity measures as outlined by the integrator and MDA Animal Health.	
b.	Chemical handling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Chemicals related to poultry production are stored in the appropriate designated storage area.	
c.	Cultural resources	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The production area is established and there are no proposed ground disturbance activities scheduled for the area.	
d.	Feedlot area	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No feedlot resource concerns have been identified. BMPs have been constructed to mitigate the potential for discharges.	
e.	Floodplains	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	This is an existing operation and the production area is not located in the FEMA-100 Year Floodplain as per the on-line resources available.	
f.	Gully erosion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No gully erosion was identified in the production area or associated water conveyances.	
g.	Livestock travel lanes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No resource concerns have been identified.	
h.	Nutrient discharge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	There are no observable nutrient discharges occurring from the production area.	
i.	Objectionable odors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Normal poultry or livestock odors associated with this the type of operation or facility were noted.	
j.	Particulate matter emissions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Normal particulate emissions associated with a facility of this size.	
k.	Ponding, flooding, seasonal high water table	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No abnormal ponding, flooding or high water table issues were identified.	
l.	Sediment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No obvious and observable sediment discharges are occurring from the production area.	
m.	Streambank/shoreline erosion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No streambank or shoreline areas are present in the production area.	
n.	Threatened/endangered species	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A positive geospatial indicator has been identified. Implementation of of this CNMP is not expected to adversely affect.	
o.	Waste storage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	There are no resource concerns identified for waste storage. Existing waste storage facilities are adequately sized for the operation and are consistent with the waste management system plan.	
p.	Waterways	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No Maryland regulated waterways have been identified on the property.	
q.	Wetlands	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Maryland regulated wetlands have been identified on the property approximately 80feet from the production facilities. This is an existing facility with all required BMPs. No further action is required.)	

Implementation Schedule for Farmstead

This element addresses the need for and implementation of appropriate conservation practices to meet the quality criteria for soil erosion, air and water quality.

Practice and Facility Implementation Schedule

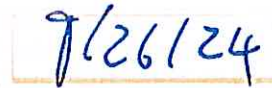
Description	Date
All resource concerns have been addressed and no additional best management practices are recommended or required at this time.	September 2024

The schedule of conservation practices presented here has been reviewed by Zachary Hudson, who is responsible for compliance with the requirements of the agricultural farm operation.

I, Zachary Hudson, certify that as the decision-maker, I have been involved in the planning process and agree that the items/practices listed in the table above are needed on my farm operation. I understand that I am responsible for implementing these practices according to the scheduled above. Should I not be able to implement any of the above items according to the schedule, I will contact the Wicomico Soil Conservation District and have this schedule revised.



Zachary Hudson



Date

Operation and Maintenance for BMP's in Farmstead

This section addresses the operation and maintenance for the structural, non-structural, and land treatment measures for your farm. These documented measures require effort and expenditures throughout the life of the practice to maintain safe conditions and assure proper functioning. Operation includes the administration, management, and performance of non-maintenance actions needed to keep a completed practice safe and functioning as planned. Maintenance includes work to prevent deterioration of practices, repairing damage, or replacement of the practice if one or more components fail.

Animal Mortality Facility (316)

- Facilities for normal mortality will be operated or used on a regular basis. At each operation or use, inspect the facility to note any maintenance needs or indicators of operation problems, and promptly make repairs or adjustments to operation of the facility.
- Follow the management plan requirements for:
 - The mix proportions, moisture requirements, and materials used.
 - The sizing requirements.
 - The timing of the disposal/utilization process including loading, unloading, and turning or aeration of the material.
 - Temperature monitoring requirements, including a temperature log.
 - What must be done to prevent scavenging animals and leachate problems.
 - Bio-security requirements.
- If catastrophic mortality occurs, contact NRCS or the Soil Conservation District for assistance concerning proper disposal of the mortality.

Waste Storage Facility (313)

- Check backfill areas around the structure (concrete, steel, timber, etc.) frequently for excessive settlement. Determine if the settlement is caused by backfill consolidation, piping, or failure of the structure walls or floor. Necessary repairs must be made.
- Check walls and floors often - minimum of 2 times a year when facility is empty - for cracks and/or separations. Make needed repairs immediately.
- Outlets of foundations and sub-drains should be checked frequently and kept open. The outflow from these drains should be checked when the facility is being used to determine if there is leakage from the storage structure into these drains. Leakage may be detected by the color and smell of the out-flowing liquid, by lush dark-green growth of vegetation around the outlet, by the growth of algae in the surface ditch, or by the vegetation being killed by the out-flowing liquid. If leakage is detected, repairs should be planned and made to prevent the possible contamination of groundwater. To prevent erosion, a good vegetative cover should be established and maintained on berms and embankments. Plantings should be clipped 3 times a year to kill noxious weeds and encourage vigorous growth. If the vegetation is damaged, berms and embankments will need to be re-vegetated as soon as possible.
- Fences should be inspected and maintained in order to exclude livestock from the berms and embankments and to exclude unauthorized entry by people.
- Check the channels and berms of the clean water diversions around the barnyard, buildings and storage structure frequently. Channels must be protected from erosion and berms must be maintained at the proper height to ensure adequate capacity. These channels and berms should not be used as haul roads unless they are designed and constructed for this purpose.
- Check frequently for burrowing animals around buildings, structures, and in the berms and embankments. Remove them when they are found and repair any damage.
- Inspect haul roads and approaches to and from the storage facility frequently to determine the need for stone, gravel or other stabilizing material.
- Do not allow runoff from loading areas and from spills to flow into streams or road ditches.
- Examine and repair all warning and hazard signs as needed.
- Install and maintain a marking gauge post that clearly shows the design levels of one-half and full for manure storage pits, ponds, and lagoons.
- Clear blockages from roof gutters and outlets as needed.
- Notify the Soil Conservation District of any major problems or repairs needed.
- The roof must be maintained to operate as intended for the life of the practice (15 years). The function of the roof is critical because the manure storage facility is sized accordingly.

Heavy Use Area Protection (561)

- Inspect the Heavy Use Area at least twice a year and after severe storm events.
- Scrape the surface as needed to remove excess manure and/or sediment.
- Repair paved areas by repairing holes and replacement of paving materials.
- Replace loose surfacing material such as gravel, cinders, sawdust, tanbark, etc. as needed when removed by livestock, equipment traffic, or scraping.
- Repair any deteriorating areas.

- Maintain all vegetation that is part of the plan by fertilizing and liming according to soil test recommendations and reseeding or replanting as necessary.
- Inspect inlets and outlets of pipes and culverts and remove any obstructions present.
- Maintain flow into filter areas by removing accumulated solids, reconstructing waterbars, etc.

Nutrient Management (590)

- Review or revise plans periodically to determine if adjustments or modifications are needed. At a minimum, review and revise plans as needed with each soil test cycle, changes in manure management, volume or analysis, plants and crops, or plant and crop management.
- Monitor fields receiving animal manures and biosolids for the accumulation of heavy metals and P in accordance with University of Maryland guidance and state law.
- For animal feeding operation, significant changes in animal numbers, management, and feed management will necessitate additional manure analyses to establish a revised average nutrient content.
- Calibrate application equipment to ensure accurate distribution of material at planned rates. For products too dangerous to calibrate, follow University of Maryland or equipment manufacturer guidance on proper equipment design, plumbing, and maintenance.
- Document the nutrient application rate. When the applied rate differs from the planned rate, provide appropriate documentation to explain the difference.
- Protect workers from and avoid unnecessary contact with nutrient sources. Take extra caution when handling anhydrous ammonia or when managing organic wastes stored in unventilated tanks, impoundments, or other enclosures.
- Use material generated from cleaning nutrient application equipment in an environmentally safe manner. Collect, store, or field apply excess material in an appropriate manner.
- Recycle or dispose of nutrient containers in compliance with State and local guidelines or regulations.
- Organic waste and commercial fertilizer application will be based on the nutrient rates shown Nutrient Management Section of this CNMP.

Amendments for Treatment of Agricultural Waste (591)

- The use of amendments must be consistent with the purposes of the practice, safety considerations, label directions, and other instructions provided by the vendor.
- Follow required safety precautions when handling the specific chemicals or biological amendments.
- Use record keeping worksheets to document the product applied, the date, location, rate, and method of application.

Conservation Cover (327)

- Follow management requirements as specified to maintain vegetation in the desired species composition.
- Inspect the planting at least annually. Shape and reseed areas damaged by heavy rainfall, animals, chemicals, tillage, or equipment traffic, and any other areas where the stand is not adequate.
- Check for insects and diseases, and if an incidence threatens stand survival, take corrective action to keep the pest under control.
- Control undesirable plants by pulling, mowing, or spraying with a selective herbicide. Control noxious weeds as required by state law.
- Protect the planting from wildfire and damage from livestock, wildlife, and equipment, to the extent feasible.
- When wildlife habitat is the primary purpose, do not mow during the primary nesting season (April 15 to August 15). During the establishment period, mowing may be needed during the nesting season to reduce heavy competition from annual weeds. Noxious weeds may be spot treated during the primary nesting season.
- Apply soil amendments periodically, if needed to maintain plant vigor. If nutrients are applied, refer to the conservation practice standard for Nutrient Management (590).
- Do not use the planted area for hay storage or machinery parking for an extended period of time, especially if doing so will damage or impair the function of the practice.
- Comply with acceptable uses (e.g., flash grazing, haying, etc.) and time of year or frequency of use restrictions, if any. Pay particular attention to program requirements as they relate to acceptable vs. restricted uses and other management restrictions.
- If native cover (other than what was planted) becomes established, and this cover meets the intended purpose of the practice and the client's objectives, the cover should be considered adequate.

SECTION 3: Land Treatment Area (Crop and/or Pasture)

This element addresses evaluation and implementation of appropriate conservation practices on sites proposed for land application of manure and organic by-products from an Animal Feeding Operation. On fields where manure and organic by-products are applied as beneficial nutrients, it is essential that runoff and soil erosion be minimized to allow for plant uptake of these nutrients.

This CNMP is considered a "No Land" plan, therefore no additional documents have been included in this section.

SECTION 4: Nutrient Management

This element addresses the Nutrient Management component of the CNMP. The nutrient management plan is developed by a Maryland Department of Agriculture certified nutrient management consultant.

Soil Sampling and Testing

Maryland Department of Agriculture regulations require up-to-date soil analyses be included in the Nutrient Management Plan. To fulfill this requirement you must follow these guidelines:

1. Soil test(s) are required to be taken every 3 years or sooner for each management unit;
2. It is recommended that soil sampling be conducted consistently at the same time of the year;
3. Soil sampling depth for P and K shall be 8 inches;
4. pH testing sampling depth for no-till is only 4 inches.

Soil testing shall include analysis for any nutrients for which specific information is needed to develop the plan. The minimum analysis for Maryland is to include: pH, organic matter, phosphorus, potassium, calcium, magnesium, and CEC.

Manure and Wastewater Testing/Analysis

Maryland Department of the Environment and the Environmental Protection Agency require an analysis of manure generated on your operation be obtained to meet conditions in a General Discharge Permit for Animal Feeding Operations under CAFO regulations. If you land-apply manure, it is a required component of your NMP according to MDA regulations. To fulfill this requirement you may do one of the following:

1. Collect a sample of manure and obtain an analysis OR
2. If exported, obtain a copy of the manure analysis from one of the farmers who will be receiving the manure from your operation

Manure should be analyzed on an annual basis from each storage structure for: % Solids or % Moisture, Total N, Organic N, NH₄ or NH₃, P₂O₅, K₂O, and pH. These analyses are part of the required Record Keeping and are stored under the Record Keeping element of this CNMP.

Description of Chemical Handling:

- 1.

Type	Maintain Records of:	Frequency	Applicable to Liquid/Dry Manure Handling or Both
Land & No-Land	Any transfers of manure, litter, and process wastewater, will include the following information: 1.) Name and address of recipient and 2.) Date and quantity transferred. The permittee shall supply the recipient of the animal waste with the most recent annual nutrient analysis of the manure, litter, or process wastewater. If the recipient performs the analysis, the permittee shall obtain a copy and maintain it as part of the permittee's records.	Each occurrence	Both
Land	Each application event where manure, litter, or process wastewater is applied. Including 1.) Fields where animal waste is distributed, using field names consistent with those in the required plan, 2.) Application method, rate, time and date, 3.) Soil conditions, including instances of ponding or runoff, saturated soil, and frozen ground or snow covered ground and 4.) Weather conditions, including precipitation and temperature at the time of application and precipitation 24 hours prior to, and following, application.	Each land application event	Both
No-Land	Manure samples shall include the following information, 1.) Date sample taken, 2.) Test methods used to sample and analyze manure, litter, and process wastewater; and 3.) Results from manure, litter, and process wastewater sampling.	Annually	Both
Land & No-Land	Mortality disposal including date, numbers of animals, and method of disposal	As necessary	Both
Land & No-Land	Inspections conducted, including date, of the animal waste storage areas	Weekly	Both
Land	The results of manure samples and soil samples, including the following information, 1.) Date sample taken, 2.) Test methods used to sample and analyze manure, litter, process wastewater, and soil, 3.) Results from manure, litter, process wastewater, and soil sampling and 4.) Total amount of nitrogen and phosphorus actually applied to each field, including documentation of calculations for the total amount applied.	Annually for manure samples, at least once every three years for soil samples	Both
Land	Manure application equipment inspections, including the following information, 1.) Date inspection conducted and 2.) Calibration date; and iii. Maintenance of equipment used for manure application.	At least annually	Both
Land & No-Land	Inspections, including date, of the storm water routing structures	Weekly	Both
Land & No-Land	Inspections, including date, for all indoor and outdoor water lines, including drinking or cooling water lines	Daily	Both
Land & No-Land	The depth of manure and process wastewater, including date of reading, as indicated by the depth marker in all liquid animal waste impoundments	Weekly	Liquid
Land & No-Land	Inspections, including date, of all wastewater operations and pumps	Weekly	Liquid
Land & No-Land	All manure, litter, and wastewater storage structures including the following information, 1.) Date inspection conducted, 2.) Volume for solids accumulation, 3.) Design treatment volume, 4.) Total design storage volume, 5.) Days of storage capacity and 6.) Structural stability inspection of all earthen embankment structures.	As necessary	Liquid
Land & No-Land	Any additional self - inspection and recordkeeping activities required by this General Permit	As necessary	Both

Self-Inspection and Recordkeeping for CAFOs/MAFOs that DO NOT Land Apply (No-Land Operations):

The permittee that transports all and/or some of its manure, litter, or process wastewater to an area that is not under the control of the owner or operator of the no-land operation shall maintain no-land operation records on-site for five years. The records shall be available for inspection by the Maryland Department of the Environment personnel upon request. The record shall also include a notation of periods when the facility is not in operation (out of production).



Weekly Storage and Containment Structure Inspections Log Sheet

Facility Name: _____ NPDES Permit No.: _____

Instructions:

Use this form to keep records of weekly visual inspections of the structures you use to store or contain manure/litter/process wastewater. Use a separate form for each structure.

**Any deficiencies observed must be corrected within 30 days*

Storage or Containment Structure: _____

	Date	Initials	Depth Marker Reading (N/A for dry manure handling)	OK (√ if no problems)	Description of any Deficiencies Observed (put "N/A" if none observed)	Date Deficiency Corrected*
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Week 7						

	Date	Initials	Depth Marker Reading (N/A for dry manure handling)	OK (√ if no problems)	Description of any Deficiencies Observed (put "N/A" if none observed)	Date Deficiency Corrected*
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Weekly Wastewater Facilities Inspections Log Sheet

Facility Name: _____ NPDES Permit No.: _____

Instructions:

Use this form to keep records of weekly visual inspections of your wastewater facilities (including pumps, storm water and runoff diversion devices, and devices used to channel contaminated storm water to a wastewater storage or containment structure).

**Any deficiencies observed must be corrected within 30 days*

List the items that need to be inspected below:

	Date	Initials	OK (√ if no problems)	Description of any Deficiencies Observed (put "N/A" if none observed)	Date Deficiency Corrected*
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	Date	Initials	OK (√ if no problems)	Description of any Deficiencies Observed (put "N/A" if none observed)	Date Deficiency Corrected*
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	Date	Initials	OK (√ if no problems)	Description of any Deficiencies Observed (put "N/A" if none observed)	Date Deficiency Corrected*
Week 49					
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Week 52					



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Manure, Litter, and Wastewater Storage Structures Documentation

Facility Name: _____ NPDES Permit No.: _____

Instructions:

For each storage structure, provide the following information in the table below:

- Structure Type: the type of storage structure (e.g. roofed storage shed, storage pond, anaerobic lagoon...)
- Total Design Storage Volume: the total capacity the storage structure was designed to hold (e.g. 100 ft³ or 1000 gallons)
- Design Treatment Volume: (*N/A for dry manure storage) the treatment capacity the structure was designed to treat
- Days of Storage Capacity: (*N/A for dry manure storage) the number of days the structure can accommodate its contents at the rate the operation places waste in it
- Volume for Solids Accumulation: the capacity of the structure available to accumulate solids

Structure Type	Total Design Storage Volume	Design Treatment Volume (N/A for dry manure storage)	Days of Storage Capacity (N/A for dry manure storage)	Volume for Solids Accumulation
PWSS	40' x 64'		12,800 cf	



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Manure, Litter, and Wastewater Transfer Record Keeping Form

Facility Name: _____ NPDES Permit No.: _____

Use this sheet any time that manure or poultry litter is removed from a production or storage area and transferred to other persons (not under the control of your CAFO). Use additional sheets as necessary.

Date of Transfer (indicate whether import or export)	Manure Type (e.g. litter, wastewater)	Name and Address of Person(s) Received From or Transferred To	Quantity Transported (tons/gallons)



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Daily Water Line Inspection Log Sheet

Facility Name: _____ NPDES Permit No.: _____

Instructions:

- Initial the form *each day* after the inspection is complete
- If a leak is detected, place a check in the “leak detected” column

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NO LAND NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT PLAN For General Discharge Permit Coverage

Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) M.D.E. Agency Interest # 130057

**New Life Farm
Zachary Hudson**

**9176 Green Branch Road
Willards, Maryland 21874**

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Plan Date: 9/25/2024

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATION

This three poultry house, 82,000 bird capacity, medium size, NO-Land CAFO poultry farm is currently operated by Zachary Hudson. All poultry manure generated is exported. The total parcel acreage equals 57.71 acres. The production / residence area of this farm is approximately 6.4 acres, and the remaining 51.31 acres are forest. There are no tillable acres on the property.

This operation is seeking coverage under the General Discharge (GD) Permit for a Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) No. MDG01 and State Discharge Permit No. 19AF for CAFOs or State Discharge Permit 19AF for Maryland Animal Feeding Operations (MAFOs).

The nutrient management plan developed for this AFO is one of the required plans that must be submitted to the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) by the permit applicant as part of MDE's application review process in accordance with Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 26.08.04.09N, 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 122.42(e), and the conditions of the GD Permit.

PLAN DURATION: 9/25/2024 - 9/24/2027

If this NMP is being developed for a new farm operation, a separate copy of this NMP will need to be submitted to the Maryland Department of Agriculture (MDA) in order to comply with Maryland's Nutrient Management Regulations under COMAR 15.20.07 and 15.20.08.

It is the sole responsibility of the permittee to obtain an immediate update to this nutrient management plan if there are any changes in the number of animals on site by 10% or more, or if the manure management changes. It is the permittee's responsibility to submit a copy of this nutrient management plan to MDE whenever there is an update or change in the plan. The permittee shall also maintain a copy of this nutrient management plan in their records to be made available upon request by MDA or MDE.

MANURE SAMPLING AND TESTING

MDE requires that the permittee shall supply the recipient of the animal waste with the most recent annual nutrient analysis of the manure and litter with samples taken within 12 months of the date of the transfer. If the recipient takes samples of the manure and litter, the permittee shall obtain a copy of the laboratory manure and litter analysis and maintain it as part of the permittee's records.

A copy of the manure laboratory analysis must be submitted with each year's Annual Implementation Report (AIR) to MDE.

MANURE MANAGEMENT & STORAGE

Manure that is collected from the poultry houses is stored in the manure shed until it is taken to the receiving farm(s). This operation includes 1 manure shed, sized at 40ft. x 64 ft., with a storage capacity of 12,800 cu. ft., and attached 2 bin composter. Following every flock, the operator performs a center cut, removing approximately 30% of the litter from the house. This is used to maintain a consistent quantity of litter in the houses and eliminate buildup. Therefore, complete cleanouts are not necessary. A complete cleanout is expected in 2027. The last complete cleanout was in 2015. The operator must keep records of the quantity, date, and destination of manure removed from the houses and off the farm.

Poultry litter and manure which is removed from the poultry houses should be placed in the waste storage structure designed specifically for this operation. Manure and litter that is collected and removed from the poultry houses is stored in the waste storage facility until it is exported by a broker to a receiving farm. If an issue should arise with manure storage and management, the permittee should contact the Wicomico Soil Conservation District (SCD) or the MDE AFO program office for assistance.

Manure/litter is transferred/exported from this operation to the following:

Collins Brothers
37161 Millsboro Highway
Millsboro, Delaware 19966

BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

If there are resource concerns present on this operation, the permittee should contact the Wicomico Soil Conservation District located in Salisbury Maryland for assistance. A Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP) may be developed or updated to include Best Management Practices (BMPs) that follow a Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Practice Standard to address concerns such as manure and mortality management, as well as drainage issues if they should arise.

RECORD KEEPING REQUIREMENTS

MDA requires that AFO producers maintain records on manure management, animal numbers, and manure quantity. The operator is required to maintain records indicating the date, quantity and destination of litter as it is removed from the poultry houses and transported to the waste storage facility or moved off the farm. The same information is required if stored manure is transported out of the waste storage facility to other locations off the farm.

MDE requires that AFO permittees must keep records and information resulting from the monitoring, recordkeeping, reporting activities, analyses performed, calibration and maintenance of instrumentation, original recordings from continuous monitoring instrumentation, and records from the development and implementation of any CNMP or NMP and be retained for a minimum of five (5) years.


Records and information kept for the generation and management of manure and litter includes the quantity removed from the poultry houses, the date and the destination, which considers its placement in the waste storage facility, or if it is stored manure and litter being removed from the farm's waste storage facility and transferred/exported to a receiving farm site or receiver. To assist in the collection of certain records and information required by the GD Permit, the following copies of MDE's record sheets have been included with the NMP:

- Waste Storage and Containment Structure Inspection Log Sheet
- Manure, Litter and Wastewater Transfer Record Keeping Form
- Manure, Litter, and Wastewater Storage Structures Documentation

The GD Permit also requires the sampling of manure, litter, and process wastewater for analysis annually, records of mortality disposal, and any additional self-inspection and recordkeeping activities as necessary.

Each registered CAFO and MAFO is required to submit to MDA by March 1 annually their AIR which includes a summary of State CAFO and MAFO and federal NPDES CAFO data collected from the previous calendar year. The data used to report to MDE annually is required to be sourced from the collected records and information kept by the permittee the previous calendar year.

Farm Identification Summary

Farm Name	Tax Account ID Numbers	Watershed Location Code	Total Acres Farmed
Jason Powell		02-13-02-03-0655	0

Manure Summary Table

Animal Type and Number	Total Manure Generation (tons/yr.)*	Manure Available for Export (tons/yr.)*	Manure Storage Capacity
82,000 Broiler/flock @ 6/yr. = 492000 birds/yr.	443	2016 = 201 2017 = 274 2018 = 325 2019 = 360 2020 = 385 2021 = 402 2022 = 415 2023 = 423 2024 = 429 2025 = 433 2026 = 436 2027 = 1232	40' x 64' PWSS w/ 12,800 cf cubic feet of capacity

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9/25/2024

Date

SECTION 5: Additional Documentation

This section is included if there are additional documents needed for the Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan.

The following documents are located in this section:

- Water Conveyance Map Around Production Area
- Poultry Litter Estimation Worksheet
- Online References
- Weekly Storage Form
- Weekly Wastewater Form
- Manure Litter Storage Form
- Manure Litter Transfer Form
- Daily Waterline Form

** A poultry operation record keeping guide and quick reference booklet is included with your copy of the CNMP.*

Poultry Litter Quantity Estimate

Name:	Jason Powell	Tract / Farm:	6012	Date:	9/25/2024
	Houses Included: 3			Bird Type:	Broiler
				Average Bird Market Weight (lbs):	4
A.	Years between total cleanouts:			Yr. next total cleanout:	2027
				Yr. last total cleanout:	2015
				= Years in cleanout cycle:	12
B.	Total # of birds per flock (for all houses on this cleanout cycle):				82,000
C.	Flocks per year				6
D.	Number of flocks per cleanout cycle (A x C):				72
E.	Estimated tons of cake/crust per 1000 birds per flock: *				0.2
F.	Estimated tons of litter + cake/crust per 1000 birds per flock: *				0.9005
G.	Tons cake/crust produced per flock (B x E/1000):				16
H.	Tons cake/crust produced per cycle (G x D):				1,181
I.	Tons litter + cake/crust produced per cycle (B x D x F/1000):				5,317
J.	Tons of litter produced per cycle (less cakeout/crustout) (I-H):				4,136
K.	Tons of litter produced per year (less cakeout/crustout) (J/A):				345
L.	Tons of litter + cake/crust produced per year (I/A):				443

* 2007 Delmarva Poultry Litter Production Estimates, George W. Malone, University of Delaware, Georgetown Delaware.

Quantity of Poultry Litter, Cake/Crust Available per Year

	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
	Tons of litter remaining in the house from last year (N-P) + (R-S) (previous year)	Total tons of litter present in the house this year (K) + (M, this year)	% of partial or total litter to be removed this year in excess of cakeout/crustout removed (enter % of N removed)	Tons of litter removed this year (N x O)/100	Flocks this year	*** Tons Cake/Crust Produced this Year0 (Q x G)	Tons Cake/Crust removed this Year	Tons litter + cake/crust removed this year (P + S)
2016	0	345	30	103	6	98	98	201
2017	242	586	30	176	6	98	98	274
2018	411	755	30	227	6	98	98	325
2019	529	874	30	262	6	98	98	360
2020	612	957	30	287	6	98	98	385
2021	670	1015	30	304	6	98	98	402
2022	711	1055	30	317	6	98	98	415
2023	739	1084	30	325	6	98	98	423
2024	759	1104	30	331	6	98	98	429
2025	773	1118	30	335	6	98	98	433
2026	783	1127	30	338	6	98	98	436
2027	790	1134	100	1134	6	98	98	1232
			Total	4139	72	1176	1176	5315

*** Cake/Crust not removed due to windrowing, is added with the litter remaining in the house the following year. Windrowing may likely result in actual quantities of litter being less than the estimates shown here. The actual amount of Cake/Crust removed may also be less than the estimated amounts produced due to improved drinker systems, ventilation, etc.

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Conservation Plan

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 LAUREL, DE 19956

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 LAUREL, DE 19956

Install the conservation practices, enhancements, and activities according to the implementation requirements, designs, construction plans, or other documents that facilitate meeting the applicable NRCS technical criteria. If you do not have such information, contact your local office before starting to install your conservation practices, enhancements, and activities.

Farmstead

Tract: 6012

Amendments for Treatment of Agricultural Waste (591)

A litter amendment will be applied to the poultry house/s to reduce ammonia volatilization and to increase the proportion of nitrogen in the litter, making a more valuable and balanced fertilizer. Some amendments are also effective at reducing phosphorus solubility. Litter amendments can include the following: AL+, liquid AL+, Dry Alum, PLT, and Poultry Guard. See attached check sheet for the proper timing and application of the amendment

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	320.0AU	01	2024	--	--
HQ	320.0AU	01	2024	--	--
HQ	320.0 AU	01	2024	--	--
Total:	960.0 AU	--	--	--	--

Animal Mortality Facility (316)

Construct a dead poultry composting facility for the safe disposal of dead poultry carcasses. This component of your waste management system will improve water quality. Maryland Department of Agriculture MACS program cost-shared structures require a 15 year maintenance agreement that assures the structure is maintained and structurally sound for the period. A nutrient management plan will be required.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	1.00 No	04	1994	1.00 No	04/25/1994
Total:	1.00 No	--	--	1.00 No	--

Farm Contact Information

The following tables contain important contact information specific to this CNMP for Zachary Hudson.

Emergency Contact Information

Farm Name	New Life Farm
Farm Address	9176 Green Branch Road, Willards, Maryland 21874
Mailing Address	33351 Little Hill Road, Laurel, Delaware 19956
Directions to the farm	From MD 346 East, turn left on Richardson Road, turn right onto Cobbs Hill Road, turn left onto Bethel Road, make a slight left onto Green Branch Road. The farm is approximately .50 miles on the left.

Farm Contacts

	Name	Farm Phone	Cell Phone
Farm Owner	Jason Powell		[REDACTED]
Farm Operator	Zachary Hudson		[REDACTED]
Fire or Ambulance		911	

State Agency Contacts

	Phone	Emergency
Natural Resources Conservation Service	410-757-0861	410-757-0861
MDA Nutrient Management	410-841-5959	1-800-492-5590
Maryland Department of the Environment	1-800-633-6101	1-866-633-4686
USDA Veterinary Services State Veterinarian	1-866-536-7593	301-854-5699

Wicomico County Agency Contacts

	Day Phone	Emergency Number
MDA Regional Nutrient Management (Region)	410-546-4777 x3	410-546-4777 x3
Health Department		
Sherriff's Office		
University of Maryland Extension Office (Salisbury)	410-546-4777 x3	410-546-4777 x3

Integrator Information

Name	Address	Phone
Perdue Farms, Inc.	517 W Main St, Salisbury MD 21801	800-473-7383

Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (102)

Utilize a certified Technical Service Provider (TSP) to develop a Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan that addresses the handling, storage, and application of animal waste in an environmentally safe manner. The CNMP CPA 102 includes the inventory of natural resources at the farmstead and land treatment areas. Both farmstead and land treatment areas are planned to meet planning criteria for water quality, air quality and soil erosion by wind and water. Risk assessment tools are completed to advise on conservation alternatives. Client decisions are recorded. CPA will include primary practices that treat a resource concern and may include supporting practices. Includes a combination of conservation practices and management activities and the planned schedule of implementation.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	1.00 No	09	2024	1	9/26/2024-
Total:	1.00 No	--	--	--	--

Conservation Cover (327)

General Cover - Establish and/or maintain permanent vegetation to reduce wind and water erosion, delivery of sediment to surface water, to reduce particulate matter and precursors, and reduce greenhouse gases.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	1.9 Ac	10	1992	--	--
Total:	1.9 Ac	--	--	--	--

Heavy Use Area Protection (561)

Construct a heavy use area (poultry pad) at the locations shown on the plan map where poultry manure and other waste products are handled. The poultry pad will protect the soil from erosion and reduce nutrient contamination of surface and groundwater. Pads will be designed and installed according to NRCS standards and specifications, and will be maintained according to the attached Operation and Maintenance plan.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	0.5 Ac	03	2005	0.5 Ac	08/16/2005
Total:	0.5 Ac	--	--	0.5 Ac	--

Heavy Use Area Protection (561)

Construct a Heavy Use Area (HUA) at the load-out doors of the poultry house. The Heavy Use Area will reduce erosion and improve water quality by providing a stable area for handling manure during partial or total cleanout. Follow the NRCS engineering design provided and the required Operation and Maintenance plan.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	0.7 Ac	08	2011	0.7 Ac	08/17/2012
Total:	0.7 Ac	--	--	0.7 Ac	--

Waste Storage Facility (313)

Construct an animal waste storage structure for the temporary storage of horse waste. This component of your waste management system provides for the safe storage of horse waste which will improve water quality. Maryland Department of Agriculture MACS program cost-shared structures require a 15 year maintenance agreement that assures the structure is maintained and structurally sound for the period. Facilities must be properly licensed and a Nutrient Management Plan is required.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ	1.00 No	05	1992	1.00 No	05/19/1992
Total:	1.00 No	--	--	1.00 No	--


Nutrient Management (590)

Obtain a Nutrient Management Plan specific to your poultry production. Plan must be written by a MD certified Nutrient Management Consultant.

Field	Planned Amount	Month	Year	Applied Amount	Date
HQ1	1	9	2024	1	9/25/2024
Total:	1	--	--	--	--


CERTIFICATION OF PARTICIPANTS

JASON M POWELL _____
DATE

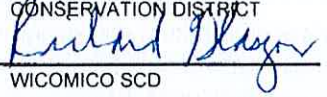


ZACHARY HUDSON 9/26/24
DATE

CERTIFICATION OF:



CERTIFIED PLANNER 9-24-27
DATE

CONSERVATION DISTRICT


WICOMICO SCD 9/26/2024
DATE

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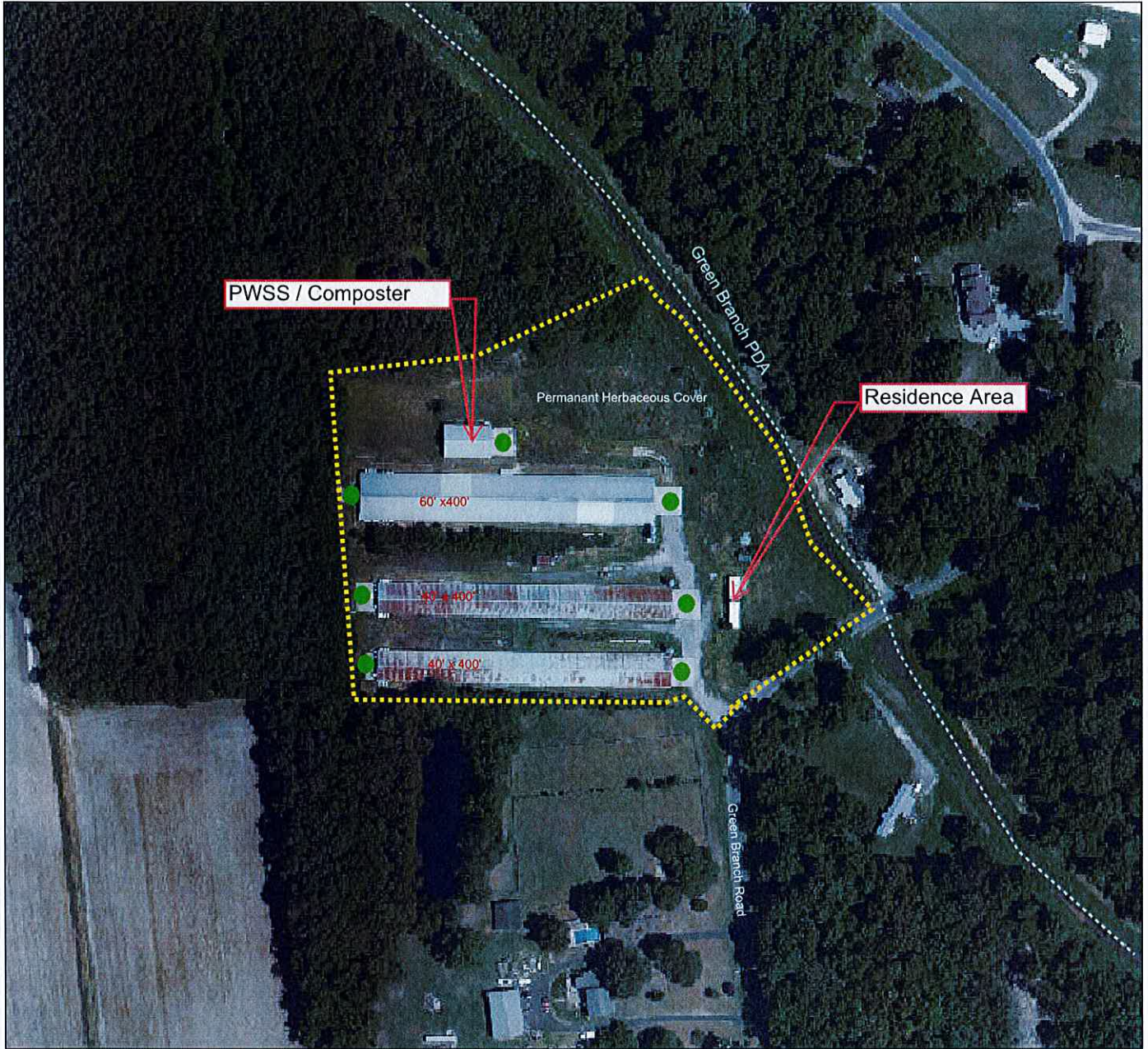
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Conservation Plan Map

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- (561) Concrete HUA Pad
- Production area



Soils Map and Report

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Soils
Soil Mapunit



Map Unit Description (Brief, Generated)

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions in this report, along with the maps, provide information on the composition of map units and properties of their components.

A map unit delineation on a soil map represents an area dominated by one or more major kinds of soil or miscellaneous areas. A map unit is identified and named according to the taxonomic classification of the dominant soils. Within a taxonomic class there are precisely defined limits for the properties of the soils. On the landscape, however, the soils are natural phenomena, and they have the characteristic variability of all natural phenomena. Thus, the range of some observed properties may extend beyond the limits defined for a taxonomic class. Areas of soils of a single taxonomic class rarely, if ever, can be mapped without including areas of other taxonomic classes. Consequently, every map unit is made up of the soils or miscellaneous areas for which it is named and some minor components that belong to taxonomic classes other than those of the major soils.

The Map Unit Description (Brief, Generated) report displays a generated description of the major soils that occur in a map unit. Descriptions of non-soil (miscellaneous areas) and minor map unit components are not included. This description is generated from the underlying soil attribute data.

Additional information about the map units described in this report is available in other Soil Data Mart reports, which give properties of the soils and the limitations, capabilities, and potentials for many uses. Also, the narratives that accompany the Soil Data Mart reports define some of the properties included in the map unit descriptions.

Report—Map Unit Description (Brief, Generated)

Wicomico County, Maryland

Map Unit: HvA--Hurlock sandy loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes

Component: Hurlock, drained (42%)

The Hurlock, drained component makes up 42 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 2 percent. This component is on flats, uplands. The parent material consists of Loamy fluviomarine sediments fluviomarine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is moderate. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is rarely ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 14 inches during January, February, March, April. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 2 percent. This component is in the F149AY090NJ Coastal Plain Hardwood Swamp ecological site. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 3w. Irrigated land capability classification is 3w. This soil meets hydric criteria.

Component: Hurlock, undrained (38%)

The Hurlock, undrained component makes up 38 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 2 percent. This component is on flats, uplands. The parent material consists of Loamy fluviomarine sediments fluviomarine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is moderate. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is occasionally ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 5 inches (depth from the mineral surface is 3 inches) during January, February, March, April. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 68 percent. Below this thin organic horizon the organic matter content is about 2 percent.

This component is in the F149AY090NJ Coastal Plain Hardwood Swamp ecological site. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 5w. This soil meets hydric criteria.

Component: Mullica, drained (5%)

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Component: Klej (5%)

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Component: Hammonton (5%)

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Component: Woodstown (5%)

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Map Unit: LO--Longmarsh and Indiantown soils, frequently flooded

Component: Longmarsh (43%)

The Longmarsh component makes up 43 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 1 percent. This component is on flood plains, coastal plains. The parent material consists of loamy alluvium. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is very poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is moderate. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is frequently flooded. It is frequently ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 5 inches (depth from the mineral surface is 3 inches) during January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 68 percent. Below this thin organic horizon the organic matter content is about 13 percent. This component is in the R149AY060DE Wet Alluvial Floodplain ecological site. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 5w. This soil meets hydric criteria.

Component: Indiantown (37%)

The Indiantown component makes up 37 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 1 percent. This component is on flood plains, coastal plains. The parent material consists of loamy alluvium. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is very poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is high. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is frequently flooded. It is frequently ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 5 inches (depth from the mineral surface is 3 inches) during January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 68 percent. Below this thin organic horizon the organic matter content is about 12 percent. This component is in the R149AY060DE Wet Alluvial Floodplain ecological site. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 5w. This soil meets hydric criteria.

Component: Zekiah (10%)

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Component: Klej (5%)

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Component: Manahawkin (5%)

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Map Unit: RuB--Runclint loamy sand, 2 to 5 percent slopes

Component: Runclint (75%)

The Runclint component makes up 75 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 2 to 5 percent. This component is on knolls, uplands. The parent material consists of sandy eolian deposits and/or fluviomarine sediments. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is excessively drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is low. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 45 inches during January. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 1 percent. This component is in the F153DY170NJ Sandy, Excessively Drained Upland ecological site. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 4s. Irrigated land capability



classification is 3s. This soil does not meet hydric criteria.

Component: Evesboro (10%)

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Component: Galloway (5%)

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Component: Hurlock, drained (5%)

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Component: Klej (5%)

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Map Unit: W--Water

Component: Water (100%)

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Data Source Information

Soil Survey Area: Wicomico County, Maryland

Survey Area Data: Version 18, Sep 12, 2023

Soils Inventory Report

Tract	Land Unit	Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres	Percent
6012	HQ	HvA	Hurlock sandy loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	3.1	46%
6012	HQ	LO	Longmarsh and Indiantown soils, frequently flooded	3.4	51%
6012	HQ	RuB	Runclint loamy sand, 2 to 5 percent slopes	0.2	3%
6012	HQ	W	Water	0.0	0%
Total				6.7	100%
Grand Total				6.7	100%

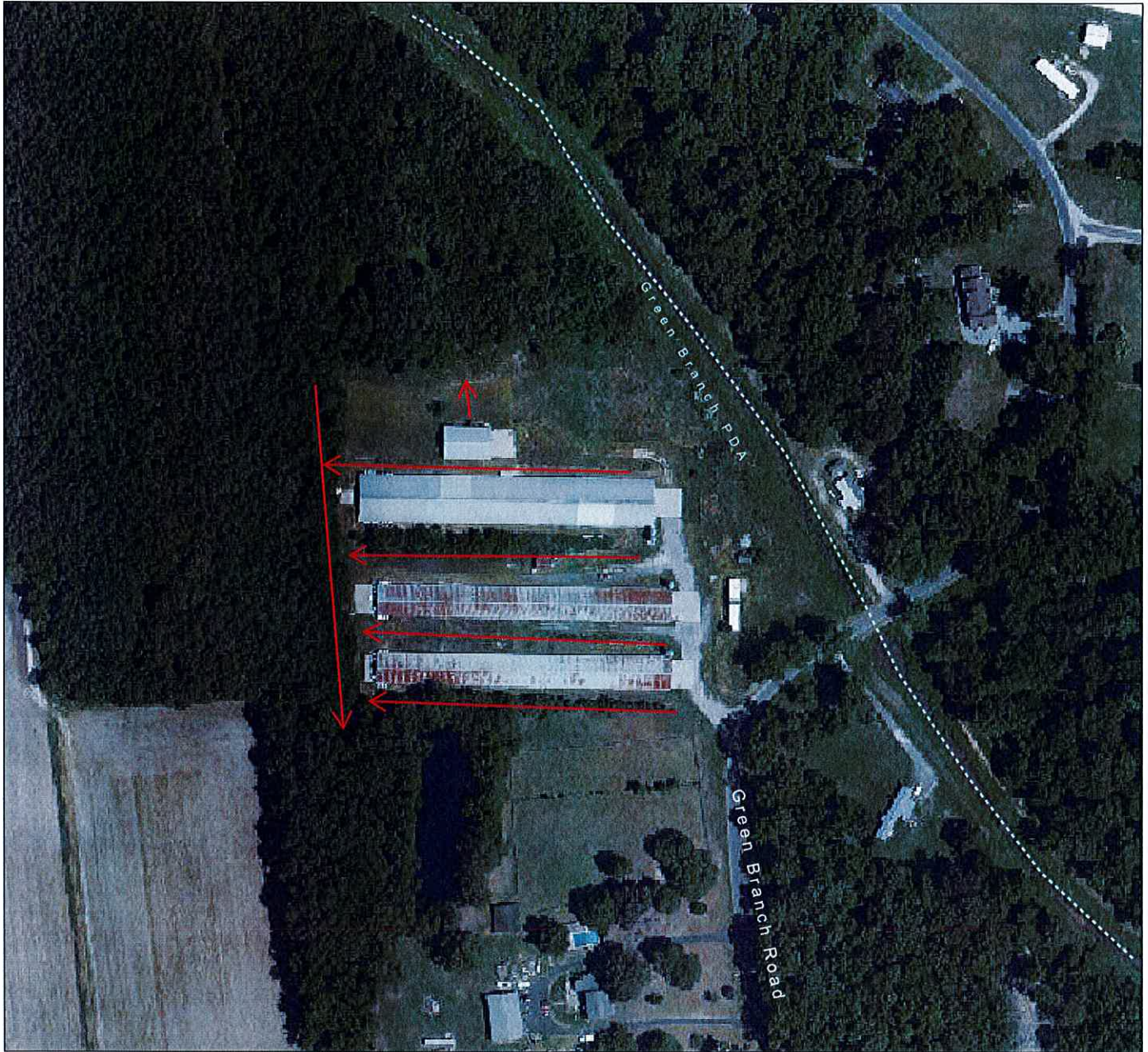
Water Conveyance Map

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Poultry Litter Quantity Estimate

Name: Jason Powell Tract / Farm: 6012 Date: 9/25/2024
 Houses Included: 3 Bird Type: Broiler
 Average Bird Market Weight (lbs): 4
 A. Years between total cleanouts: Yr. next total cleanout: 2027
 Yr. last total cleanout: 2015
 = Years in cleanout cycle: 12
 B. Total # of birds per flock (for all houses on this cleanout cycle): 82,000
 C. Flocks per year: 6
 D. Number of flocks per cleanout cycle (A x C): 72
 E. Estimated tons of cake/crust per 1000 birds per flock: * 0.2
 F. Estimated tons of litter + cake/crust per 1000 birds per flock: * 0.9005
 G. Tons cake/crust produced per flock (B x E/1000): 16
 H. Tons cake/crust produced per cycle (G x D): 1,181
 I. Tons litter + cake/crust produced per cycle (B x D x F/1000): 5,317
 J. Tons of litter produced per cycle (less cakeout/crustout) (I-H): 4,136
 K. Tons of litter produced per year (less cakeout/crustout) (J/A): 345
 L. Tons of litter + cake/crust produced per year (I/A): 443

* 2007 Delmarva Poultry Litter Production Estimates, George W. Malone, University of Delaware, Georgetown Delaware.

Quantity of Poultry Litter, Cake/Crust Available per Year

	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
	Tons of litter remaining in the house from last year (N-P) + (R-S)	Total tons of litter present in the house + (M, this year)	% of partial or total litter to be removed this year in excess of cakeout/crustout (enter % of N removed)	Tons of litter removed this year (N x O)/100	Flocks this year	*** Tons Cake/Crust Produced this Year (Q x G)	Tons Cake/Crust removed this Year	Tons litter + cake/crust removed this year (P + S)
Year	year)	year)	removed)	O)/100	year	Year (Q x G)	Year	year (P + S)
2016	0	345	30	103	6	98	98	201
2017	242	586	30	176	6	98	98	274
2018	411	755	30	227	6	98	98	325
2019	529	874	30	262	6	98	98	360
2020	612	957	30	287	6	98	98	385
2021	670	1015	30	304	6	98	98	402
2022	711	1055	30	317	6	98	98	415
2023	739	1084	30	325	6	98	98	423
2024	759	1104	30	331	6	98	98	429
2025	773	1118	30	335	6	98	98	433
2026	783	1127	30	338	6	98	98	436
2027	790	1134	100	1134	6	98	98	1232
			Total	4139	72	1176	1176	5315

*** Cake/Crust not removed due to windrowing, is added with the litter remaining in the house the following year. Windrowing may likely result in actual quantities of litter being less than the estimates shown here. The actual amount of Cake/Crust removed may also be less than the estimated amounts produced due to improved drinker systems, ventilation, etc.

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