NOTICE TO TIDAL WETLAND APPLICANTS

Certain projects involving tidal wetlands licenses and permits require that a description of the proposed project be published in a local newspaper. This advertisement is necessary to fulfill legal public notice requirements. Projects that require public notice include but are not limited to the following:

- New Bulkheads greater than 300 feet long and 10 feet channelward of the mean high water line.
- Stone revetments greater than 500 feet long and 10 feet channelward of the mean high water line.
- Marsh creation projects greater than 500 feet long and 35 feet channelward of the mean high water line.
- Dredging projects that have a surface area greater than 1,500 square feet or result in the removal of more than 100 cubic yards of material.
- Jetties, breakwaters, and groins.
- All marina creation and expansion projects.

The Water and Science Administration will advertise the project for you. However, as the applicant for the project you are responsible for paying the publishing costs. Please be aware that if Public Notice is required, the Applicant will receive an invoice from MDE for the publication fee. For your convenience, MDE now accepts electronic invoice payments. The invoice will include online payment instructions. In order for this process of public notice to occur, your approval is necessary prior to publishing. Please complete the form on the back of this page and return it to the Water and Science Administration with your application so that your proposed project may be advertised without delay. Please make sure to sign the form. Processing of your application cannot continue until a signed form is received.

Please call the Tidal Wetlands Division at (410) 537-3837 if you have any questions. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.
PUBLIC NOTICE BILLING APPROVAL FORM

I agree to pay all expenses associated with the publishing of a public notice for the wetland application of

__________________________________________ which is dated ______________________________

(Applicant’s Name)

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Applicant/Agent Signature

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Printed Name of Signee

Applicant will be invoiced by MDE for the publication fee. As a convenience, MDE now accepts electronic invoice payments. The invoice will include instructions for online payment.

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Please provide the names and mailing addresses of the adjacent property owners:

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