

September 1, 2019

The Water and Science Administration has received the applications listed below. A preliminary review has indicated that the listed projects may be subject to the opportunity for a public hearing once the application is substantially complete. Projects may be significantly altered during the review process. The applications and related information are available for inspection and copying. You may also request written notice of any hearing opportunity by having your name placed on the interested persons list for each project in which you are interested. To inspect the file or to have your name placed on the interested persons list, contact the assigned division at the telephone number indicated below no later than Monday, September 30, 2019.

Water Supply Program - (410) 537-3590

County: Queen Annes

QA2014G005/02: Bridgetown Development Company, LLC has applied to increase an existing appropriation from an annual average of 5,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 15,000 gpd in the month of maximum use to 1,000,000 gpd and 1,400,000 gpd, respectively. Water will be used for a sand and gravel mining operation and is withdrawn from an excavated pond in the Columbia aquifer. The project is located at 201 Bridgetown Road, approximately 0.5 mile south west of Ingleside, Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

County: Talbot

TA2019G002/01: Thomas & Dorothy Gannon have applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 102,500 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average during the month of maximum use of 623,000 gpd for crop irrigation at the Rathell Farm. Water will be withdrawn from six new wells in the Federalsburg aquifer. The project is located west of the junction of Newtown and Newtown Village Roads, Queen Anne, Talbot County, Maryland.

TA2019G003/01: Wye River Farms, LLC has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 166,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average during the month of maximum use of 1,005,000 gpd for crop irrigation. Water will be withdrawn from four new wells in the unconfined Federalsburg aquifer. The project is located at 12720 Wye Landing Lane, Wye Mills, Talbot County, Maryland.

County: Washington

WA2016G003/02: Clearbell Farms LLC has applied to increase an existing appropriation from an annual average of 10,000 gallons of water per day (gpd) and 15,000 gpd in the month of maximum use to an annual average of 16,000 gpd and 24,000 gpd in the month of maximum use for watering livestock and other uses incidental to the operation of a dairy farm. Water will be withdrawn from two existing wells in the Conococheague Formation. The project is located at 12111 Saint Paul Road, Clear Spring, Washington County, Maryland.