

**MARYLAND WATER INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION  
 QUALIFICATION FOR DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITY STATUS BASED ON  
 MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME/POVERTY LEVEL/UNEMPLOYMENT/POPULATION DECLINE  
 OR MDE ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE TRACKING TOOL (See Footnotes 1 - 6)  
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| COUNTY/MUNICIPALITY       | MHIC <sup>1</sup> | Qualified MHIC <sup>1</sup> | % Poverty Level in Last 12 Months <sup>2</sup> | Qualified Poverty % <sup>2</sup> | % Civilian Labor Force Unemployment Rate <sup>3</sup> | Qualified Unemployment Rate <sup>3</sup> | % Change in Estimated Population <sup>4</sup> | Qualified Change in Estimated Population <sup>4</sup> | Qualified DAC <sup>5</sup> | MDE's Environmental Justice Tracking Tool Score <sup>6</sup> |
|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|--|
| <b>Allegany County</b>    | \$51,090          | ✓                           | 9.3%   | ✓                                | 6.9%  | ✓  | -1.2%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Barton town               | \$60,250          | ✓                           | 10.4%  | ✓                                | 23.9%   | ✓  | -1.7%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Cumberland city           | \$43,699          | ✓                           | 14.4%  | ✓                                | 9.2%  | ✓  | -1.6%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Frostburg city            | \$44,327          | ✓                           | 13.7%  | ✓                                | 8.1%  | ✓  | -1.0%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Lonaconing town           | \$46,125          | ✓                           | 12.9%  | ✓                                | 5.2%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Luke town                 | \$40,750          | ✓                           | 55.6%  | ✓                                | 38.7%   | ✓  | -1.2%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Midland town              | \$48,750          | ✓                           | 24.9%  | ✓                                | 8.0%  | ✓  | -1.6%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Westernport town          | \$46,288          | ✓                           | 10.7%  | ✓                                | 9.0%  | ✓  | -1.8%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Anne Arundel</b>       | \$108,048         |                             | 3.9%   |                                  | 4.4%  |  | 0.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Annapolis city            | \$92,026          |                             | 8.0%   | ✓                                | 5.1%  |  | -0.4%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Highland Beach town       | \$125,000         |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 0.0%  |  | 0.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Baltimore City</b>     | \$54,124          | ✓                           | 15.3%  | ✓                                | 7.4%  | ✓  | -2.7%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Baltimore County</b>   | \$81,846          |                             | 6.2%   |                                  | 5.3%  |  | -1.0%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Calvert County</b>     | \$120,295         |                             | 2.8%   |                                  | 2.9%  |  | 1.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chesapeake Beach town     | \$120,194         |                             | 3.9%   |                                  | 1.1%  |  | 2.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| North Beach town          | \$71,932          | ✓                           | 3.3%   |                                  | 17.4%   | ✓  | 1.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Caroline County</b>    | \$63,027          | ✓                           | 9.5%   | ✓                                | 5.1%  |  | 0.4%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Denton town               | \$52,876          | ✓                           | 15.1%  | ✓                                | 9.5%  | ✓  | 1.7%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Federalsburg town         | \$31,532          | ✓                           | 26.7%  | ✓                                | 6.4%  |  | -1.0%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Goldsboro town            | \$47,917          | ✓                           | 28.6%  | ✓                                | 0.0%  |  | 0.9%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Greensboro town           | \$41,667          | ✓                           | 21.1%  | ✓                                | 7.5%  | ✓  | -0.5%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Henderson town            | \$85,114          |                             | 15.6%  | ✓                                | 0.0%  |  | -0.6%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hillsboro town            | \$62,917          | ✓                           | 18.5%  | ✓                                | 2.4%  |  | -0.8%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Marydel town              | \$35,938          | ✓                           | 26.3%  | ✓                                | 9.1%  | ✓  | -0.6%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Preston town              | \$63,750          | ✓                           | 3.7%   |                                  | 2.2%  |  | 0.1%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Ridgely town              | \$60,000          | ✓                           | 12.7%  | ✓                                | 7.0%  | ✓  | -0.5%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Templeville town          | No data           |                             | 37.5%  | ✓                                | 0.0%  |  | 0.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Carroll County</b>     | \$104,708         |                             | 3.5%   |                                  | 3.2%  |  | 1.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hampstead town            | \$80,385          |                             | 5.4%   |                                  | 7.2%  | ✓  | 1.6%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Manchester town           | \$97,000          |                             | 4.3%   |                                  | 1.0%  |  | 1.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Mount Airy town           | \$136,250         |                             | 1.9%   |                                  | 1.8%  |  | 1.5%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| New Windsor town          | \$99,022          |                             | 11.8%  | ✓                                | 5.3%  |  | 1.2%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Sykesville town           | \$120,083         |                             | 2.4%   |                                  | 1.0%  |  | 1.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Taneytown city            | \$75,167          |                             | 6.8%   |                                  | 4.3%  |  | 1.5%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Union Bridge town         | \$60,250          | ✓                           | 14.7%  | ✓                                | 0.9%  |  | 0.8%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Westminster city          | \$65,816          | ✓                           | 9.8%   | ✓                                | 5.0%  |  | 1.3%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Cecil County</b>       | \$81,817          |                             | 6.9%   | ✓                                | 5.4%  |  | 1.2%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Cecilton town             | \$86,563          |                             | 9.2%   | ✓                                | 4.9%  |  | 0.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Charlestown town          | \$82,188          |                             | 2.8%   |                                  | 4.8%  |  | 1.2%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chesapeake City town      | \$58,958          | ✓                           | 13.3%  | ✓                                | 5.2%  |  | 0.8%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Elkton town               | \$57,682          | ✓                           | 16.5%  | ✓                                | 7.2%  | ✓  | 0.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| North East town           | \$76,250          |                             | 11.3%  | ✓                                | 5.0%  |  | 1.2%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Perryville town           | \$75,491          |                             | 4.4%   |                                  | 3.7%  |  | 1.3%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Port Deposit town         | \$50,833          | ✓                           | 30.2%  | ✓                                | 0.7%  |  | 0.8%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Rising Sun town           | \$75,735          |                             | 3.6%   |                                  | 5.2%  |  | 0.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Charles County</b>     | \$107,808         |                             | 4.2%   |                                  | 4.9%  |  | 2.1%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Indian Head town          | \$73,204          |                             | 8.7%   | ✓                                | 3.6%  |  | 3.3%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| La Plata town             | \$108,043         |                             | 1.8%   |                                  | 2.6%  |  | 5.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Port Tobacco Village town | No data           |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 0.0%  |  | 0.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Dorchester County</b>  | \$55,652          | ✓                           | 9.4%   | ✓                                | 5.9%  |  | 0.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Brookview town            | \$65,833          | ✓                           | 10.0%  | ✓                                | 0.0%  |  | 0.0%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Cambridge city            | \$40,094          | ✓                           | 16.9%  | ✓                                | 8.1%  | ✓  | 0.3%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Church Creek town         | \$40,417          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 8.3%  | ✓  | 0.0%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| East New Market town      | \$56,250          | ✓                           | 10.5%  | ✓                                | 0.6%  |  | 0.8%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Eldorado town             | \$45,000          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 2.9%  |  | 0.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Galestown town            | \$36,563          | ✓                           | 27.6%  | ✓                                | 8.3%  | ✓  | 0.0%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hurlock town              | \$62,292          | ✓                           | 8.3%   | ✓                                | 9.5%  | ✓  | 0.4%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Secretary town            | \$70,288          | ✓                           | 6.5%   |                                  | 4.4%  |  | 0.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Vienna town               | \$77,813          |                             | 7.4%   | ✓                                | 0.0%  |  | 0.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Frederick County</b>   | \$106,129         |                             | 4.5%   |                                  | 4.2%  |  | 5.7%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Brunswick city            | \$96,659          |                             | 5.4%   |                                  | 7.4%  | ✓  | 5.8%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Burkittsville town        | \$64,375          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 14.3%   | ✓  | 5.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |

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| Emmitsburg town               | \$71,583          | ✓                           | 1.6%   |                                  | 4.4%  |  | 5.6%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Frederick city                | \$82,563          |                             | 7.6%   | ✓                                | 5.1%  |  | 5.1%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Middletown town               | \$141,793         |                             | 2.1%   |                                  | 3.8%  |  | 6.1%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Myersville town               | \$130,833         |                             | 3.8%   |                                  | 0.3%  |  | 6.2%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| New Market town               | \$175,982         |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 3.1%  |  | 5.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Rosemont village              | \$102,500         |                             | 1.0%   |                                  | 1.4%  |  | 5.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Thurmont town                 | \$82,098          |                             | 5.3%   |                                  | 3.7%  |  | 6.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Walkersville town             | \$114,340         |                             | 1.6%   |                                  | 1.1%  |  | 6.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Woodsboro town                | \$123,333         |                             | 1.0%   |                                  | 2.2%  |  | 5.9%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Garrett County</b>         | <b>\$58,011</b>   | <b>✓</b>                    | <b>5.5%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>4.1%</b>   |  | <b>-0.8%</b>                                  |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Accident town                 | \$57,500          | ✓                           | 11.3%  | ✓                                | 1.7%  |  | -0.6%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Deer Park town                | \$42,589          | ✓                           | 14.0%  | ✓                                | 11.7%   | ✓  | -0.7%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Friendsville town             | \$39,083          | ✓                           | 14.4%  | ✓                                | 3.4%  |  | -1.1%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Grantsville town              | \$35,417          | ✓                           | 17.2%  | ✓                                | 2.5%  |  | -0.7%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Kitzmilller town              | \$43,300          | ✓                           | 15.9%  | ✓                                | 25.8%   | ✓  | -1.3%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Loch Lynn Heights town        | \$52,500          | ✓                           | 4.8%   |                                  | 8.1%  | ✓  | -1.0%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Mountain Lake Park town       | \$51,438          | ✓                           | 5.8%   |                                  | 8.8%  | ✓  | -0.8%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Oakland town                  | \$59,250          | ✓                           | 9.4%   | ✓                                | 1.3%  |  | -1.0%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Harford County</b>         | <b>\$98,495</b>   |                             | <b>4.2%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>4.1%</b>   |  | <b>1.1%</b>                                   |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Aberdeen city                 | \$70,885          | ✓                           | 10.8%  | ✓                                | 4.0%  |  | 3.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Bel Air town                  | \$64,036          | ✓                           | 9.8%   | ✓                                | 4.8%  |  | -0.6%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Havre de Grace city           | \$86,576          |                             | 4.5%   |                                  | 2.7%  |  | 1.3%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Howard County</b>          | <b>\$129,549</b>  |                             | <b>4.0%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>3.8%</b>   |  | <b>0.9%</b>                                   |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| <b>Kent County</b>            | <b>\$64,451</b>   | <b>✓</b>                    | <b>6.9%</b>                                    | <b>✓</b>                         | <b>4.0%</b>   |  | <b>0.7%</b>                                   |   | <b>DAC</b>                 | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Betterton town                | \$73,750          |                             | 6.1%   |                                  | 14.4%   | ✓  | -0.3%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chestertown town              | \$44,665          | ✓                           | 15.6%  | ✓                                | 4.8%  |  | 0.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Galena town                   | \$76,250          |                             | 6.2%   |                                  | 1.7%  |  | -0.2%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Millington town               | \$50,938          | ✓                           | 17.1%  | ✓                                | 4.1%  |  | -0.2%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Rock Hall town                | \$50,714          | ✓                           | 14.3%  | ✓                                | 5.9%  |  | -0.1%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Montgomery County</b>      | <b>\$117,345</b>  |                             | <b>4.8%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>4.9%</b>   |  | <b>-0.9%</b>                                  |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Barnesville town              | no data           |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 0.0%  |  | -1.4%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Brookeville town              | \$173,750         |                             | 6.0%   |                                  | 2.0%  |  | -1.2%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chevy Chase town              | \$250,000+        |                             | 2.3%   |                                  | 3.4%  |  | -1.6%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chevy Chase Section 5 village | \$250,000+        |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 0.4%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chevy Chase Section 3 village | \$250,000+        |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 1.1%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chevy Chase View town         | \$250,000+        |                             | 2.2%   |                                  | 1.4%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Chevy Chase Village town      | \$250,000+        |                             | 0.3%   |                                  | 1.8%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Gaithersburg city             | \$98,089          |                             | 7.4%   | ✓                                | 6.0%  |  | -1.0%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Garrett Park town             | \$241,875         |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 3.8%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Glen Echo town                | \$131,250         |                             | 1.4%   |                                  | 0.0%  |  | -1.4%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Kensington town               | \$132,132         |                             | 3.4%   |                                  | 5.3%  |  | -1.4%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Laytonsville town             | \$168,250         |                             | 7.8%   | ✓                                | 3.7%  |  | -1.0%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Martin's Additions village    | 250000+           |                             | 2.4%   |                                  | 1.7%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Poolesville town              | \$201,607         |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 4.0%  |  | -0.9%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Rockville city                | \$116,031         |                             | 5.1%   |                                  | 3.6%  |  | -0.3%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Somersettown                  | \$250,000+        |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 0.6%  |  | -1.3%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Takoma Park city              | \$86,644          |                             | 3.6%   |                                  | 4.5%  |  | -1.3%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Washington Grove town         | \$122,386         |                             | 1.2%   |                                  | 4.6%  |  | -1.4%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Prince George's County</b> | <b>\$91,124</b>   |                             | <b>6.0%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>6.8%</b>   | <b>✓</b>                                 | <b>-2.1%</b>                                  | <b>✓</b>  | <b>DAC</b>                 | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Berwyn Heights town           | \$120,662         |                             | 1.4%   |                                  | 5.2%  |  | -2.3%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Bladensburg town              | \$54,208          | ✓                           | 4.0%   |                                  | 13.5%   | ✓  | -2.2%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Bowie city                    | \$127,029         |                             | 1.7%   |                                  | 4.8%  |  | -2.0%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Brentwood town                | \$71,645          | ✓                           | 10.8%  | ✓                                | 7.5%  | ✓  | -2.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Capitol Heights town          | \$85,104          |                             | 9.5%   | ✓                                | 7.4%  | ✓  | -2.2%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Cheverly town                 | \$106,732         |                             | 6.8%   |                                  | 6.9%  | ✓  | -2.4%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| College Park city             | \$69,736          | ✓                           | 4.9%   |                                  | 5.8%  |  | -1.6%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Colmar Manor town             | \$90,000          |                             | 3.4%   |                                  | 6.6%  | ✓  | -2.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Cottage City town             | \$59,922          | ✓                           | 6.7%   |                                  | 5.5%  |  | -2.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| District Heights city         | \$69,099          | ✓                           | 10.5%  | ✓                                | 12.7%   | ✓  | -2.3%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Eagle Harbor town             | \$68,646          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 0.0%  |  | -1.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Edmonston town                | \$78,750          |                             | 10.5%  | ✓                                | 7.8%  | ✓  | -2.4%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Fairmount Heights town        | \$68,375          | ✓                           | 21.0%  | ✓                                | 9.8%  | ✓  | -2.2%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Forest Heights town           | \$86,922          |                             | 3.6%   |                                  | 12.9%   | ✓  | -2.4%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Glenarden city                | \$91,467          |                             | 3.4%   |                                  | 4.8%  |  | -2.1%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Greenbelt city                | \$75,832          |                             | 11.1%  | ✓                                | 7.4%  | ✓  | -2.3%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hyattsville city              | \$84,763          |                             | 5.5%   |                                  | 3.2%  |  | -2.4%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Landover Hills town           | \$82,083          |                             | 4.1%   |                                  | 11.5%   | ✓  | -2.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |

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QUALIFICATION FOR DISADVANTAGED COMMUNITY STATUS BASED ON  
MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME/POVERTY LEVEL/UNEMPLOYMENT/POPULATION DECLINE  
OR MDE ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE TRACKING TOOL (See Footnotes 1 - 6)  
UPDATED NOVEMBER 2023 for FFY2024 IUP**

| COUNTY/MUNICIPALITY        | MHIC <sup>1</sup> | Qualified MHIC <sup>1</sup> | % Poverty Level in Last 12 Months <sup>2</sup> | Qualified Poverty % <sup>2</sup> | % Civilian Labor Force Unemployment Rate <sup>3</sup> | Qualified Unemployment Rate <sup>3</sup> | % Change in Estimated Population <sup>4</sup> | Qualified Change in Estimated Population <sup>4</sup> | Qualified DAC <sup>5</sup> | MDE's Environmental Justice Tracking Tool Score <sup>6</sup> |
|----------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---|--|---|---|----------------------------|--|
| Laurel city                | \$85,615          |                             | 7.8%   | ✓                                | 5.1%  |  | -2.4%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Morningside town           | \$75,357          |                             | 3.9%   |                                  | 10.0%   | ✓  | -2.2%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Mount Rainier city         | \$59,268          | ✓                           | 4.6%   |                                  | 6.7%  | ✓  | -2.5%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| New Carrollton city        | \$73,629          |                             | 5.0%   |                                  | 11.5%   | ✓  | -2.3%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| North Brentwood town       | \$83,462          |                             | 2.3%   |                                  | 7.1%  | ✓  | -2.2%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Riverdale Park town        | \$87,819          |                             | 7.7%   | ✓                                | 4.4%  |  | -2.4%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Seat Pleasant city         | \$51,122          | ✓                           | 19.1%  | ✓                                | 22.8%   | ✓  | -2.3%   | ✓   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| University Park town       | \$159,464         |                             | 0.9%   |                                  | 0.6%  |  | -2.6%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Upper Marlboro town        | \$99,667          |                             | 0.0%   |                                  | 1.2%  |  | -2.1%   | ✓   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Queen Anne's County</b> | <b>\$99,597</b>   |                             | <b>4.1%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>3.9%</b>   |  | <b>3.7%</b>                                   |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Barclay town               | \$49,034          | ✓                           | 21.8%  | ✓                                | 0.0%  |  | 0.5%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Centreville town           | \$94,744          |                             | 2.5%   |                                  | 2.6%  |  | 0.6%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Church Hill town           | \$66,071          | ✓                           | 9.9%   | ✓                                | 2.1%  |  | 0.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Queenstown town            | \$97,083          |                             | 13.6%  | ✓                                | 3.7%  |  | 5.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Sudlersville town          | \$43,250          | ✓                           | 23.5%  | ✓                                | 2.5%  |  | 2.0%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>St. Mary's County</b>   | <b>\$102,859</b>  |                             | <b>6.7%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>4.5%</b>   |  | <b>1.0%</b>                                   |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Leonardtown town           | \$126,472         |                             | 1.9%   |                                  | 3.7%  |  | 7.5%  |   |                            |  |
| <b>Somerset County</b>     | <b>\$48,661</b>   | ✓                           | <b>15.3%</b>                                   | ✓                                | <b>9.6%</b>   | ✓  | <b>-0.3%</b>                                  |   | <b>DAC</b>                 | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Crisfield city             | \$36,146          | ✓                           | 22.1%  | ✓                                | 18.1%   | ✓  | -0.9%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Princess Anne town         | \$37,386          | ✓                           | 19.5%  | ✓                                | 5.1%  |  | 0.9%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Talbot County</b>       | <b>\$79,349</b>   |                             | <b>5.6%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>3.6%</b>   |  | <b>1.1%</b>                                   |   |                            | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Easton town                | \$72,771          | ✓                           | 7.6%   | ✓                                | 2.5%  |  | 1.4%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Oxford town                | \$71,464          | ✓                           | 5.2%   |                                  | 13.6%   | ✓  | -0.2%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Queen Anne town            | \$67,500          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 12.2%   | ✓  | 0.0%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| St. Michaels town          | \$69,057          | ✓                           | 3.4%   |                                  | 8.4%  | ✓  | 1.7%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Trappe town                | \$66,181          | ✓                           | 4.9%   |                                  | 9.7%  | ✓  | 1.1%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Washington County</b>   | <b>\$67,349</b>   | ✓                           | <b>9.9%</b>                                    | ✓                                | <b>5.2%</b>   |  | <b>0.6%</b>                                   |   | <b>DAC</b>                 | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Boonsboro town             | \$105,196         |                             | 7.5%   | ✓                                | 6.6%  | ✓  | 0.3%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Clear Spring town          | \$54,728          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 5.2%  |  | -0.3%   |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Funkstown town             | \$38,235          | ✓                           | 1.9%   |                                  | 8.8%  | ✓  | -0.1%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hagerstown city            | \$42,965          | ✓                           | 22.1%  | ✓                                | 7.5%  | ✓  | 0.3%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hancock town               | \$43,713          | ✓                           | 13.8%  | ✓                                | 4.6%  |  | -0.1%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Keedysville town           | \$124,167         |                             | 1.9%   |                                  | 5.1%  |  | 0.1%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Sharpsburg town            | \$63,068          | ✓                           | 0.0%   |                                  | 2.4%  |  | 0.4%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Smithsburg town            | \$93,295          |                             | 7.0%   | ✓                                | 2.9%  |  | 4.5%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Williamsport town          | \$50,509          | ✓                           | 20.6%  | ✓                                | 6.2%  |  | -0.1%   |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Wicomico County</b>     | <b>\$63,610</b>   | ✓                           | <b>8.4%</b>                                    | ✓                                | <b>8.0%</b>   | ✓  | <b>1.0%</b>                                   |   | <b>DAC</b>                 | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Delmar town                | \$66,987          | ✓                           | 12.4%  | ✓                                | 11.5%   | ✓  | 8.2%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Fruitland city             | \$56,150          | ✓                           | 5.2%   |                                  | 12.7%   | ✓  | 5.7%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Hebron town                | \$61,094          | ✓                           | 14.9%  | ✓                                | 9.9%  | ✓  | 0.2%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Mardela Springs town       | \$85,815          |                             | 4.8%   |                                  | 5.0%  |  | 0.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Pittsville town            | \$63,347          | ✓                           | 6.5%   |                                  | 4.8%  |  | 0.6%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Salisbury city             | \$48,310          | ✓                           | 14.1%  | ✓                                | 10.6%   | ✓  | 0.6%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Sharptown town             | \$73,750          |                             | 1.0%   |                                  | 7.0%  | ✓  | 1.2%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Willards town              | \$65,461          | ✓                           | 16.4%  | ✓                                | 12.8%   | ✓  | 2.1%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>Worcester County</b>    | <b>\$71,262</b>   | ✓                           | <b>6.2%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>6.8%</b>   | ✓  | <b>2.7%</b>                                   |   | <b>DAC</b>                 | <b>See EJ Tracking Tool</b>                                  |
| Berlin town                | \$69,955          | ✓                           | 10.6%  | ✓                                | 5.4%  |  | 4.7%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Newark                     | \$89,315          |                             | 6.6%   |                                  | 0.0%  |  | no data                                       |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Ocean City town            | \$58,563          | ✓                           | 3.5%   |                                  | 3.8%  |  | 1.0%  |   |                            | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Pocomoke City city         | \$45,781          | ✓                           | 7.9%   | ✓                                | 4.0%  |  | 2.5%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| Snow Hill town             | \$50,069          | ✓                           | 19.9%  | ✓                                | 11.1%   | ✓  | 5.5%  |   | DAC                        | See EJ Tracking Tool   |
| <b>MD STATEWIDE</b>        | <b>\$91,431</b>   |                             | <b>6.2%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>5.3%</b>   |  | <b>-0.2%</b>                                  |   |                            |  |
| Qualification Criteria     | <b>\$73,145</b>   |                             | <b>6.8%</b>                                    |                                  | <b>6.4%</b>   |  | <b>-1.2%</b>                                  |   |                            |  |

<sup>1</sup> MHIC US Census American Community Survey ACS-5Yr (2017 - 2021) at [https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/american\\_community\\_survey/2017-2021ACS.aspx](https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/american_community_survey/2017-2021ACS.aspx). Qualifies If MHIC IS < 80% of MARYLAND MHIC.

<sup>2</sup> % US Family Income Below Poverty Level in Last 12 Months - American Community Survey ACS-5Yr (2017 - 2021) at

[https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/american\\_community\\_survey/2017-2021ACS.aspx](https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/american_community_survey/2017-2021ACS.aspx). Qualifies If % Poorly Level IS > 110% of Maryland % Poverty Level.

<sup>3</sup> % Civilian Labor Force Unemployment Rate - American Community Survey ACS-5Yr (2017 - 2021) at [https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/american\\_community\\_survey/2017-2021ACS.aspx](https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/american_community_survey/2017-2021ACS.aspx). Qualifies If % Unemployment Level IS > 120% of Maryland % Unemployment Level.

<sup>4</sup> % Change in Estimated Population (04/01/20 to 07/01/2022) at [https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/pop\\_estimate/popest-muni.aspx](https://planning.maryland.gov/MSDC/Pages/pop_estimate/popest-muni.aspx), Table 4. Qualifies if % Change in Population IS < -1.2%.

<sup>5</sup> Qualifies as DAC, if entity meets 2 or more of criteria 1-4.

<sup>6</sup> Qualifies as DAC, if 50% or more of project cost or project scope serves, protects, or benefits an Environmental Justice or overburdened community as identified by a Final EJ Score Percentile (Distribution Across Maryland) of 75 or more using MDE's Environmental Justice Tracking Tool at <https://mdewin64.mde.state.md.us/EJ/>.