

March 1, 2024

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 Sunday, March 31, 2024.

Water Supply Program - (410) 537-3590

County: Caroline

CO2023G009/01: Hubbard Family Limited Partnership has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 27,500 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and a maximum monthly use of 166,000 gpd from one well in the Columbia aquifer for crop irrigation. The project is located on the north side of Bloomery Road, 0.2 mile southeast of its junction with Todd Road, Federalsburg, Caroline County, Maryland.

CO2024G001/01: Michael Ryan Swann has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 41,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and a maximum monthly use of 247,000 gpd from three wells in the Columbia aquifer for crop irrigation. The project is located at 6156 Federalsburg Hwy., Federalsburg, Caroline County, Maryland.

CO2024G002/01: Mark Jones has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 74,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and a maximum monthly use of 450,000 gpd from two wells in the Columbia aquifer for crop irrigation. The project is located on the south side of Knife Box Road, 1-mile north of its intersection with Burrsville Road, Caroline County, Maryland

CO2024G003/01: Mark S. Callahan has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 63,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and a maximum monthly use of 385,000 gpd from three wells in the unconfined Calvert Formation (Columbia aquifer) for crop irrigation. The project is located between the south side of East Belle Street and north of Ridgely Road, Ridgely, Caroline County, Maryland.

County: Carroll

CL2024G001/01: Town of Mount Airy has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 100,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 120,000 gpd during the month of maximum use for a community water system. Water will be withdrawn from one well in the Marburg Schist formation. The project is located at 405 Center Street, Mount Airy, Carroll County, Maryland.

County: Dorchester

DO2011S013/02: Harding Family Limited Partnership has applied to increase an existing allocation from an annual average of 231,500 gallons of surface water per day (gpd) and a maximum daily withdrawal of 2,304,000 gallons, to an annual average of 300,000 gpd and a maximum daily withdrawal of 2,304,000 gallons for crop irrigation. The water will be withdrawn from one new and one existing intake, both on Otter Pond Branch, a tributary to the Chicamacomico River. The project is located at 4554 New Bridge Road, Vienna, Dorchester County, Maryland.

County: Kent

KE2023G001/01: Bayer Research and Development Services, LLC has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 105,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 640,000 (gpd) during the month of maximum use for crop irrigation. Water will be withdrawn from one well in the Magothy aquifer. The project is located at 32545 Galena-Sassafras Road, Galena, Kent County, Maryland.

County: Worcester

WO2023G004/01: Bunting & Murray Construction, Corp. has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 257,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 342,000 gpd in the month of maximum use. Water will be taken from one pond excavated in the Columbia aquifer and will be used for hydraulic dredging at a sand and gravel mine. The project is located on the south side of Blueberry Road, southwest of the intersection of Ebenezer Road and Tull Road, Whaleysville, Worcester County, Maryland.