



June 1, 2025

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, June 30, 2025.

Water Supply Program - (410) 537-3590

County: Baltimore City

BC2025G004/01: Amtrak has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 26,400 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 35,100 gpd in the month of maximum use to lower the groundwater level to facilitate the construction of a new Amtrak bridge over West Mulberry Street. The water will be withdrawn from 16 well points in the James Run Gneiss formation. The project is located in the 2300 Block of West Mulberry Street, Baltimore City, Maryland.

BC2025G005/01: Amtrak has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 42,400 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 72,700 gpd in the month of maximum use to facilitate the excavation of material for construction of retaining walls and concrete slab to support the future railbed of the Frederick Douglas tunnel. The water will be withdrawn from 81 well points in the James Run Gneiss formation. The project is located west of the 800 block of Brice Street at West Lafayette Avenue, Baltimore City, Maryland.

County: Carroll

CL2024G002/01: Schott Nursery, L.L.C. has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 33,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and a maximum monthly use of 150,000 gpd from up to six wells in the New Oxford Formation for irrigation of nursery stock. The project is located at 2932 Basehores Mill Road, Taneytown, Carroll County, Maryland.

County: Dorchester

DO2011G015/04: J. Edward Powell has applied to increase an existing appropriation from an annual average of 66,500 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 282,100 gpd during the month of maximum use, to 120,000 gpd and 540,000 gpd, respectively, for crop irrigation. Water will be withdrawn from three existing wells, all in the Frederica aquifer. The project is located at 3662 Warwick Road, one mile northwest of Secretary, Dorchester County, Maryland.

County: Kent

KE2025G004/01: Rich Levels Grain, Inc. has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 180,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 1,100,000 (gpd) during the month of maximum use for crop irrigation. Water will be withdrawn from four wells in the Monmouth aquifer. The project is located at 33960 Sassafra Caldwell Road, Galena, Kent County, Maryland.



County: Queen Annes

QA2000G036/03: Long Valley Dairy, LP has applied to increase an existing allocation from an annual average of 18,100 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 22,000 (gpd) during the month of maximum use, to an annual average of 44,400 gpd and an average of 60,700 gpd during the month of maximum use. Water will be withdrawn from two wells in the Piney Point formation and used for a dairy farm operation. The project is located at 1230 Bridgetown Road, Henderson, Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

QA2008G018/04: Town of Queenstown has applied to add another well to an existing appropriation from the Matawan aquifer. The existing permit allows for a withdrawal of 70,000 gallons of ground water per day (gpd) and 100,000 gpd in the month of maximum use. The water is used as a municipal supply for the town. There is no change to this permit except to provide a strategically redundant water source to the municipal distribution system. The project is located at 305 Del Rhodes Avenue, at Lot 1 Cell Tower on Friels Road, and Tax map 51H, Parcel 40, Lot 1, Del Rhodes Ave, Queenstown, Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

County: Worcester

WO2025G007/01: Town of Ocean City, Maryland - Department of Public Works has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 385,000 gallons of groundwater per day (gpd) and an average of 765,000 (gpd) during the month of maximum use for construction dewatering. Water will be withdrawn from up to eight wells in the Columbia aquifer. The project is located at the Ocean City Wastewater Treatment plant at 6405 Seabay Drive, Ocean City, Worcester County, Maryland.