

MDEStat Meeting

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Table 1: Discharge Permits Extended More Than Ten Years

Facility	Orig. Exp. Year
Hampstead WWTP	1995
Vindex	2000
Potomac WWTP	2002
GenOn Faulkner	2002
GenOn Westland	2000

**Table 2: MDE Dam Safety –
Partial List of Condition Descriptions**

Condition Assessment	Description
Unknown	Dam has not been recently inspected by Dam Safety
Poor	Poorly maintained, erosion, sinkholes, settlement, cracking, small trees, animal burrows, etc. Drain gates inoperable. Maintenance work is needed
Very Poor	Poorly maintained, obvious signs of distress, seepage, erosion, sinkholes, cracks, slumping, trees, debris, animal burrows, etc.
Unacceptable	Dam is in unsafe condition, poorly maintained, shows signs of distress, or is in imminent danger of failure
Unsafe (Imminent Danger)	Imminent danger of failure; poorly maintained, obvious signs of distress, seepage, erosion, sinkholes, cracks, slumping, trees, debris, animal burrows, etc.
Unsafe (Inadequate Spillway)	Inadequate spillway capacity (dam cannot pass the current design storm, PMF or 1/2 PMF). Dam may otherwise be in good or excellent condition
Unsafe (Pool Restricted)	Dam is in unsafe condition and pool has been drained or lowered
Unsafe (Poor Condition)	Poorly maintained, obvious signs of distress, seepage, erosion, sinkholes, cracks, slumping, trees, debris, animal burrows, etc.
Unsafe (Temporarily Drained)	Drain gate has been opened fully and there is normally no water impounded

Table 3: Pending Wetlands Applications

	1/31/2011		1/11/2012		1/22/2013					
	Total Pending	Percent Overdue	Total Pending	Percent Overdue	Total Pending	Number Overdue	Percent Overdue	Active Applications Only		
								Pending	Number Overdue	Percent Overdue
Nontidal	847	49%	521	39%	381	148	39%	221	32	14%
Tidal	734	58%	207	22%	195	31	16%	186	24	13%
Totals Reported by WMA	1,581	53%	728	34%	576	179	31%	407	56	14%

Table 4: Active, Long-Term and Inactive Pending Wetlands Projects: 1/22/2013 Status (Continued on next slide)

PROJECT CLASSIFICATION	PENDING PROJECTS		
	NONTIDAL	TIDAL	TOTALS
Active	221	186	407
Long-Term	22	1	23
Inactive	138	8	146
TOTALS	381	195	576



Table 4: Active, Long-Term and Inactive Pending Wetlands Projects: 1/22/2013 Status (Continue on next slide)

PROJECT CLASSIFICATION	PENDING LONG-TERM PROJECTS		
	NONTIDAL	TIDAL	TOTALS
Aquaculture	0	0	0
Highway	3	0	3
Other	6	0	6
Local	1	0	1
Utility-Energy	2	0	2
Technical processing issue	3	1	4
Federal	2	0	2
State	5	0	5
TOTALS	22	1	23



Table 4: Active, Long-Term and Inactive Pending Wetlands Projects: 1/22/2013 Status

PROJECT CLASSIFICATION	PENDING INACTIVE PROJECTS		
	NONTIDAL	TIDAL	TOTALS
Attorney General Coordination	5	1	6
Compliance	5	0	5
Federal	15	2	17
Legal	0	4	4
Local	12	0	12
Utility-Energy	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
State	10	0	10
Technical Processing Issues	91	1	92
TOTALS	138	8	146

Table 5: Application Integration Project Status as of 1/29/13

A. Application Type	B. Number of Applicants Requiring Notification	C. Number of Applicants Notified	D. Number of Responses Received	E. Number of Applications Reclassified as LT Projects	F. Number of Applications Reclassified as Inactive Projects	G. Number of Applications Denied Due to no Response to the Letter
Tidal	1	1	1	1	0	0
Nontidal	72	63	36	1	7	2
Waterway Construction	71	58	45	0	43	18
TOTAL	144	122	82	2	50	20



Table 6: In-Lieu Fee Regulations Promulgation Schedule

DATE	ACTION
04/10/13	Submit proposed regulation package to the Office of the Secretary for 14-day review and approval.
04/25/13	Submit proposed regulations package to Division of State Documents for AELR 15-day review
05/13/13	Submit proposed regulations package to Division of State Documents
05/31/13	Proposed action on regulations published in the Maryland Register
06/12/13	Public Hearing on proposed regulations package
07/01/13	End of comment period for proposed regulations package
07/02/13 – 07/16/13	Address comments and prepare regulation package for final publication
07/17/13	Submit final regulations package to Division of State Documents
07/26/13	Final action on regulations published in the Maryland Register
08/05/13	Effective date of regulations

