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'Monster squad,' residents, earn 27th Tawes awards

By Richard J. McIntire

A group of Eastern Shore students known as the "Monster Squad" and a local band of small town citizens shared top honors at the 27th annual Tawes Awards for a Clean Environment, presented recently in the Blue Heron Center at Quiet Waters Park in Annapolis. The Woodson Middle School in Somerset County and the Mt. Savage Historic Society and Beautification Committee won in the youth and adult categories respectively.

The Tawes Award is an environmental recognition program sponsored by the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) and the Maryland Petroleum Council (MPC) in the name of late Maryland Governor J. Millard Tawes, who was also the state's first secretary of the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). The award is

open to any individual, civic, community, or non-profit entity that has demonstrated outstanding efforts to enhance Maryland's environment over a period of time or with a single project.

"Government can't do it all," said MDE Acting Secretary Kendl P. Philbrick. "The people who are here today are on the front lines of cleaning up Maryland. They rolled up their sleeves and got to work and set an

More than 1,000 rental units to be made lead safe

By Richard J. McIntire

More than 1,000 rental apartments in suburban Maryland will undergo lead hazard reduction treatments, reducing the threat of lead paint poison. Under a settlement agreement between the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) and



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MDE Acting Secretary Kendl P. Philbrick, third from left, and Drew Cobb, of the Maryland Petroleum Council, second from left, congratulate Tawes Awardees, the Mt. Savage Historic Society.

example for all of us who want to see real accomplishments, like planting trees, See TAWES, Page 7

Northwest Park Associates, a large regional property owner, 140 rental apartments in Prince George's County and 873 rental apartments in Montgomery County will undergo risk reduction treatment over the next two years.

"These enforcement settle-

ments emphasize our message to landlords not to ignore the hazards of lead paint poisoning and the role they play in reducing that risk," said MDE Acting Secretary Kendl P. Philbrick. "MDE is continuing to focus its resources to vigorously en-

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Maryland Rock earns agency mining award

The Maryland Department of Environment (MDE) presented its annual non-coal surface mine reclamation award to Maryland Rock Industries recently. The award was presented at an Earth Day quarry open house held April 26, hosted by the Arundel Corporation, a subsidiary of Maryland Rock.

MDE presents the annual reclamation award to the company that demonstrates outstanding efforts in reclaiming surface mined land in a timely and innovative manner.

Maryland Rock won the award for its efforts at the Clark Green Acres tract located on Breton Bay in St. Mary's county. The site was a 374 acre sand and gravel operation. Extensive historical surveys were done prior to mining and several areas had to be avoided to protect historical Native American artifacts. The site is highlighted now by several deep water ponds used

by ducks, geese and fish. Bald eagles have also been spotted in the area and sometimes use the ponds as a hunting area for fish. Former wash plant settling ponds were reconfigured to create non-tidal wetlands as were some of the drainage ways. Open land areas are mowed for hay by local farmers.

In presenting the award, Ed Larrimore, MDE's Bureau of Mines Program Manager, said Maryland Rock sets a good example for mining companies across the state to follow.

Maryland Rock has won both state and national awards for other sites in St. Mary's county in the past. At the national level, the Clark Green Acres site has also received an honorable mention from the Interstate Mining Compact Commission for reclamation achievements.

Arundel Corporation hosts the open house annually at its Havre

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Fumes shown to raise youth asthma risk

Pollution from heavy traffic can make children more susceptible to asthma, wheezing and coughs, scientists said recently.

Teams of researchers from Taiwan and Germany have shown that chemicals in vehicle exhausts lead to an increased risk of respiratory disorders in children living in heavy traffic areas.

"Our results support the increasingly popular hypothesis that exposure to traffic pollution modifies children's susceptibility to allergens," said Yueliang Leon Guo of the National Cheng Kung University in Taiwan.

The Taiwanese scientists

compared air pollution levels and cases of allergic rhinitis, or hayfever, in a study that involving 800 Taiwanese schools.

They discovered that boys exposed to high levels of traffic pollution had a 16 percent higher risk of hayfever, which is linked to the development of asthma, while girls a 17 percent increase.

"While more boys than girls seem to suffer from allergic rhinitis in the general population, traffic pollution seems to have the same impact on both sexes," Guo added.

In a separate study in the European Respiratory Journal, Thomas Nicolai, of University Children's Hospital in Munich,

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Baltimore hotels join in 'green' hotel pilot

By Laura Armstrong

The Maryland Department of the Environment, in partnership with the environmental certification organization, Green Seal, recently completed a pilot project with five hotels in the Baltimore Harbor area. Participating hotels received a comprehensive assessment of their facility and information on the potential costs savings and environmental benefits of improved technologies, products and procedures for hotels. The five participating properties were the Admiral Fell Inn, Holiday Inn Inner Harbor, Renaissance Harborplace Hotel, Sheraton Inner Harbor, Tremont Plaza Suites Hotel.

The assessments at the Baltimore hotels addressed the economic costs and potential envi-

ronmental impacts of the properties' major mechanical systems (HVAC, lighting, water) and procurement policies for equipment, paper products, and cleaning supplies based on Green Seal's Environmental Standard for Lodging Properties (<http://www.greenseal.org/standards/lodgingproperties.htm>). To date, two properties, the Admiral Fell Inn and the Tremont Plaza Suites Hotel, have expressed interest in obtaining Green Seal certification.

In addition to helping reduce operating costs, certification as a green hotel can increase revenue from environmentally conscious travelers and those from institutions with a green travel or meeting policy. As MDE Acting Secretary Kendl Philbrick noted, "This project



Mark Petruzzi of Green Seal reviews cleaning products with Bill Anderson, Chief Engineer at the Sheraton Inner Harbor.

has offered an opportunity to recognize the successful measures already in place at these five hotels. We hope it will also provide motivation to other lodging properties throughout Maryland to consider "green" initiatives that benefit both their bottom-line and the environment."

For more information on the

Baltimore Green Hotel Project and environmental lodging, please contact Laura Armstrong, MDE Pollution Prevention Coordinator, (410) 537-4119, larmsong@mde.state.md.us, or Mark Petruzzi, Green Seal VP Certification, at (410) 349-0404, mpetruzzi@greenseal.org

New database collects stormwater projects, other info

By Sekhoane Job Rathbe

A new database from the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) will provide civil engineering professionals and those interested in stormwater management access to a catalog of completed projects. The statewide Maryland urban stormwater implementation data report is expected to become publicly available this month on MDE's website, www.mde.state.md.us.

The compilation of the Maryland stormwater database stems from a requirement in Code of Maryland Regulation that requires each county or municipality to submit to MDE a form advising completion of each stormwater management practice within 45 days of the project's final installation. The notice of construction comple-

tion forms are known to practitioners as a "NOCC."

In 1990, stormwater implementation in jurisdictions with populations of at least 100,000 became subject to the federally mandated National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) stormwater program. Under this program, the department must issue separate municipal storm sewer system permits that require localities to control pollutant discharges from medium to large storm drain systems. Because the NPDES municipal stormwater programs generate large data reports, the affected jurisdictions have opted to replace the aforementioned NOCC reports with annual computerized data tables.

MDE has integrated all data from submitted NOCC reports and annual computerized data

tables into one file – the stormwater projects implementation database, which currently contains approximately 23,000 records for the period from 1985 to 2002.

The database contains attributes of structural devices and management practices designed to temporarily store or treat stormwater runoff for the purpose of mitigating flooding and reducing land-to-stream pollution (particularly sediment, phosphorus, and nitrogen).

"Until now, the primary user of this data has been the Maryland Department of Natural Resources' modeling group, who reconfigure them as input data for the Chesapeake Bay Program Watershed-Water Quality model," said Richard Eskin, deputy director of MDE's Technical & Regulatory Services

Administration. "In the last year, two prospective users have expressed interest in incorporating the stormwater data in their studies."

For instance, in recent months MDE staff used the database to develop Total Maximum Daily Loads (TMDL) to estimate the maximum amount of a pollutant that could discharge into a water body without violating mandated water quality standards. And the West Nile Interagency Group has utilized the information in the preliminary phase of a surveillance study that includes the identification of possible mosquito breeding sites in Maryland.

The database includes four relevant items: stormwater project sites; project completion dates; land acres served by a

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'Water—Use it Wisely' campaign gets underway

The Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG), in partnership with area water utilities, the Maryland Department of the Environment, the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, and the United States Environmental Protection Agency launched the first regional campaign to promote year round wise water use on May 20.

Using materials developed through the national "Water, Use It Wisely®" the campaign encourages residents and businesses across the region to use water wisely by demonstrating simple wise water use practices in and around homes and businesses. Campaign media include broadcast, theater, and transit advertising and public service announcements, as well as public school education and community outreach efforts.

At the launch, elementary and middle school students from the District of Columbia and Alexandria, Va. joined Wise Water

Use partners (currently 34 organizations including area water utilities, commissions, and authorities; COG, local governments; the State of Maryland; Commonwealth of Virginia; and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency) at a model home in Prince George's County to demonstrate various water saving practices. Examples of the water savings tips exhibited today and promoted in the campaign include:

- Turn off the water while you brush your teeth and save up to 4 gallons per minute.
- Use a broom instead of a hose to clean your driveway and sidewalk and save up to 80 gallons of water every time.
- Use a hose nozzle and turn off the water when you wash your car and save more than 100 gallons

Supervisor Penelope Gross and Chair of COG's Water Supply Task Force stated, "The campaign was designed to be
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MDENVIRONMENT PHOTO BY RICHARD MCINTIRE
MDE Water Supply Program Chief Saeid Kasraei, second row center, participates in the Water-Use it Wisely press conference.

Hybrid cars added to MDE's vehicle fleet

By Bob Maddox

The Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) recently updated its vehicle fleet with two gasoline-electric hybrid passenger cars. The purchase of the 2003 Honda Civic hybrids are in keeping with MDE's mission of pollution prevention and protecting air quality because gasoline-electric hybrids are fuel efficient, low emission vehicles. Major sources of air pollution include mobile sources, e.g. cars and trucks, and the fuels used to power them. Cars that are fuel-efficient produce fewer emissions.

The Civic hybrid is an ultra-low

emissions vehicle that gets an estimated 47 miles per gallon from a combination electric motor and gasoline engine. The battery pack, which powers the electric motor, is self-sufficient and recharges itself automatically when decelerating through regenerative braking, as well as when cruising. In other words, the battery never needs to be plugged in for recharging.

Government agencies are required under the federal Energy Policy Act to make 75 percent of new fleet purchases be alternative fuel vehicles. In part, this requirement is intended to reduce reliance on

foreign oil.

"Although gasoline-electric hybrids are not covered under the Energy Policy Act because they use gasoline, these vehicles are consistent with

MDE's philosophy of promoting advanced vehicle technology that reduces emissions and fuel consumption," said Tim Shepherd of MDE's Mobile Sources Control Program.



MDENVIRONMENT PHOTO BY RICHARD MCINTIRE
One of MDE's new hybrid vehicles, right, awaits use. It is parked next to one of the agency's compressed natural gas cars that is also cleaner for the air than gasoline powered automobiles.



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Agency, coalition kick-off lead week

State and local officials renewed their pledge to battle the dangers of lead at kick-off ceremonies for the 16th Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Week, held June 2-9 in Maryland. The event took place June 2 at Edmondson/West Side High School in Baltimore. The theme of this year's Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Week was "Investigate...When You Rent or Renovate." The simple message urges parents, renters and property owners to "check for lead" before selecting a home to rent or buy, especially if the property was built before 1950. Clockwise from the top: MDE Waste Management Administration Director Jonas Jacobsen and Coalition to End Childhood Lead Poisoning Executive Director Ruth Ann Norton make remarks during the press conference; a citizen hears about lead from sources other than paint; workers from Maryland General Hospital conduct adult health screenings; a grandmother receives information from the Coalition to End Childhood Lead Poisoning; an animated character gives a big hug to one of the many daycare children who attended the event.



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stormwater project; and stormwater project types. The latter data item, stormwater project types, consists mostly of artificial wetlands (shallow marshes), dry ponds, infiltration basins, infiltration trenches, porous pavements, sand filters, oil/grit separators, roadside swales, and underground storage facilities. The definitions and specific functions of these structures and practices – collectively called “urban stormwater best management practices” (BMPs) – will also be posted on the website.



Bio-retention stormwater projects like the one above are cataloged in a new MDE database accessible on the web. The landscape is designed such that stormwater runoff collects in shallow depressions before filtering through fabricated planting soil media.

Maryland grower receives society's award

Gary Mangum, co-owner of Bell Nursery in Burtonsville has been awarded the first *Paul Ecke, Jr. Commercial Award* for the highest standards of excellence in commercial horticulture and his contribution to the bet-

terment of gardening practices everywhere.

“Gary Mangum is an innovative leader in the field of commercial horticulture,” said Katy Moss Warner, President of the American Horticulture Society.

“Over the years he has developed unique programs that create environmental efficiencies in the workplace, stimulate economic growth among Maryland farmers and raise the bar on
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Meeting looks at 'greening' hospitality industry

Environmental lodging, which incorporates energy-efficiency, environmental management, and natural resource stewardship, is a growth sector for the hospitality industry. In the mid-Atlantic region, states are responding to the increased demand by developing programs to identify and certify hotels, bed and breakfasts, resorts, and conference centers that promote resource-efficient operations.

Attracting business, saving money and protecting the environment will be part of business education sessions being held July 16-17 at the Airlie Conference Center in Warrenton, Virginia. Learn from leading pro-
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Germany, and his team compared traffic density and exposure to pollutants and health records of nearly 4,000 children.

Youngsters living within 50 yards of roads where more than 33,000 vehicles passed by each day were almost twice as likely to suffer from asthma than other children.

“High vehicle traffic was associated with asthma, cough and wheeze, and in children additionally exposed to environmental tobacco smoke, with allergic sensation,” Nicolai said in the report.

Certain fish species on verge of collapse

Industrial fishing fleets have systematically stripped 90 percent of the giant tuna, swordfish, marlin and other big fish from the world's oceans, according to a new study that suggests the

virtual collapse of these stocks.

Fishing fleets are competing for the remnants of the biggest fish in the oceans, concludes a 10-year research project reported recently in an issue of the science journal *Nature*.

“Fishermen used to go out and catch these phenomenally big fish,” said Ransom A. Myers, fisheries biologist at Dalhousie University in Halifax, Nova Scotia. “But they cannot find them anymore. There're not there. We ate them.”

Myers' study, with Dalhousie University colleague Boris Worm, is the third in a series of recent scientific papers challenging the notion that the oceans are so resilient they can provide an inexhaustible supply of fish to feed the world.

The first study, by Jeremy Jackson of the Scripps Institu-

tion of Oceanography in San Diego, looked at the decline of many ocean species over several centuries and documented how it set in motion the collapse of kelp forests and coral reefs.

The second study, by Daniel Pauly of the University of British Columbia, focused on how the worldwide catch of all seafood has been on the decline since the late 1980s, as evidenced by the ever-dwindling catches of an expanding global fishing fleet.

Myers' study focused on the demise of what was once considered “the blue frontier,” caused by the introduction of industrial fishing in the years immediately after World War II. It was then that most of the biggest fish were pulled from the sea, never to rebound because of continuing fishing pressure. The

loss of these fish presents a considerable problem for fishery managers from the 192 nations that signed a declaration last year at a United Nations summit to restore fish to healthy levels by 2015.

Pauly said the new study shows that in most places, fisheries managers are arriving too late. He likens the situation to saving a forest after harvesting has taken place. Yet tuna industry scientists immediately challenged the study's conclusions, saying they were simplistic and inconsistent with other data.

In the study, Myers and Worm analyzed 47 years of detailed fishing records kept by the Japanese long-lining fleet, in which ships unfurl baited hooks from lines that stretch up to 50 miles.

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removing debris and preventing erosion.”

Over 90, sixth grade students, known as the Monster Squad Team, at Woodson Middle School, worked together for a school beautification and public education project. The Monster Squad Team, led by Jessica Simone, Lisa Dize, Jean Adams and John Robertson, established a partnership with the Chesapeake Bay Trust, the City of Crisfield’s Police Department and Public Works to clean debris from a quarter mile of tidal ditches surrounding their school, planted native trees along a tidal ditch’s edging to prevent erosion and participated in an environmental education program aboard *The Lady Maryland*. As part of a public awareness campaign, the Monster Squad’s posters were displayed in several Crisfield businesses.

The Mt. Savage Historic Society and Beautification Committee of Allegany County won in the adult category. They earned the award for their efforts in taking the initiative to solve an environmental problem and turn the project into a sustained

community-wide effort to beautify and preserve their immediate environment.

In 1995, as a result of complaints of trash and debris in the scenic Jennings Run trout stream area, the committee organized a one-day cleanup event involving students. Since the initial cleanup, Mt. Savage has organized and conducted annual stream and roadside cleanup events without municipal employee resources. The small, unincorporated community regularly brings together volunteers, organizations, students and businesses in cleanup, beautification and fundraising efforts. They have also expanded their cleanup efforts to include household trash pickup to minimize illegal dumping.

The Runner-up in the youth category was the Whittier Elementary School in Frederick County, led by first grade teacher Deborah Thackston. The school’s 600 students motivated the community, involved neighboring schools and challenged business to pledge financial support to their recycling efforts that netted nearly 2,000 pounds of alu-



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MDE Acting Secretary Kendl P. Philbrick, third from right, and Drew Cobb, of the Maryland Petroleum Council, second from left, congratulate Tawes Awardees, students from Woodson Middle School in Crisfield.

minum. Students donated the money generated by the recycling project to the Frederick County Earth & Space Science Lab Expansion Project. Their achievement was based on working together to help others and learning to be good citizens and stewards of the environment.

The Runner-up in the adult category was Doug Hutzell of Washington County, who is employed by MDE.

Hutzell was recognized for his years of preserving and protecting Maryland’s waterways and the environment on his own time. In 1995, as the Conservation Representative for the Antietam Fly Anglers, Hutzell organized a

clean up of Beaver Creek, a tributary of Antietam Creek in Washington County. Since the initial clean up, he has organized additional cleanups which reduced stream erosion, removed trash and log-jams from Beaver Creek. His most significant project is the rehabilitation of the Barr Meadow portion of Beaver Creek. Hutzell’s efforts on the Barr Meadow project are a model for other stream conservation groups.

A panel of judges chooses the Tawes Award winners and runners-up. For more information on the Tawes Award for a Clean Environment, please call (410) 269-1850 or MDE’s Office of Communications at (410) 631-3003.

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used year round regardless of drought conditions. By providing and practicing simple ways to save water, citizens of the region can help support efforts to efficiently manage regional water resources and supplies.”

Following the Drought of 1999, area officials questioned the region’s ability to effectively communicate and coordinate its drought response, and its ability to meet the growing demands upon regional water supplies. To address those concerns, COG’s Board of Directors established a Water Supply Task Force. The regional Wise Wa-

ter Use Campaign grew out of the coordinated regional drought response and awareness plan developed by the Task Force.

The “Water, Use It Wisely®” campaign was created originally for communities in Arizona. Research in that area indicated that consumers already knew why they should conserve water, but needed to know a variety of ways in which to do it. Beginning with one Arizona jurisdiction and a small pool of money, the campaign spread quickly to other cities. In two years, it ballooned to a full-scale advertising and community re-

lations success, with ultimate investments of more than one-third of a million dollars. In addition to the metropolitan Washington region, the campaign has been adopted in such areas as Seattle, Washington, North Carolina, and the Hampton Roads, Virginia.

Market research conducted in the Washington region supported use of the “Water, Use It Wisely®” materials. Each jurisdiction/utility can participate to the level that suits it individually, while demonstrating a regionally united and coordinated effort. Because water supply and

reasons for saving water can vary greatly depending on location, even for neighboring utilities, campaign materials focus on everyday tips that can help residents and businesses change their behaviors and attitudes about using water wastefully.

Campaign materials will continue to be developed and distributed in the coming years, with new ads in additional languages that can reach different target populations. Sometime next fall, the campaign will expand to education-based efforts in area elementary and middle schools.

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force the state's lead laws. At the same time, MDE values the role responsive property owners play in reaching compliance. "

The comprehensive settlement agreement resolves a notice of violation that MDE issued against Northwest Park Associates as a result of the presence of a lead poisoned child in one of its Prince George's County units, located in the 100 block of Southampton Drive. The child resided in a unit where lead hazards were present and recorded a blood lead level of 30 micrograms per deciliter. Blood lead levels greater than 10 micrograms per deciliter are considered to be an elevated level by the Centers for Disease Control. MDE was notified of the impact to the child as a result of blood lead testing from another source.

State lead laws require that all rental properties built before 1950 be registered with MDE and comply with certain risk reduction treatments. The treatments are required whenever there is tenant turnover, upon receipt of notice that a property has chipping, peeling, flaking paint or that a child with an elevated blood lead level resides in the dwelling unit. Property owners also have to insure that

50 percent of their rental units have been brought into compliance with the risk reduction standards regardless of whether there was turnover or other triggering event.

As part of the settlement agreement, Northwest Park agreed to voluntarily bring the 873 rental apartments in Montgomery County, which were built after 1949, into compliance with the lead free standard in exchange for a reduction in its civil penalty that could have reached \$100,000.

This settlement is another example of MDE's enforcement strategy to encourage landlords to exceed minimum state lead hazard reduction standards to make properties safer for families. Maryland's Lead Poisoning Prevention Program is proud to report that with this settlement, more than 5,000 dwelling units have been required to meet risk reduction treatment standards.

The settlement was announced on the third day of Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Week in Maryland, which ran though June 9. Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Week is comprised of week-long activities across the state to raise awareness and highlight what parents and property own-

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de Grace quarry. The event typically draws between 2,000 and 3,000 visitors. In addition to the open house, Arundel is active in the local school system and has constructed a wetlands park that is open to the school systems in Harford County for outdoor education.

Arundel Corporation was also honored at that time for community outreach and good neighbor policies for its Havre de Grace quarry operations.

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product quality making him a natural recipient of this award."

Mangum has been responsible for many innovative pro-

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ponents, practitioners, and technical experts in the environmental lodging field, hear case studies, and participate in a hands-on look at actual operations and potential improvements to the host conference center. For general



MDENVIRONMENT PHOTO BY RICHARD MCINTIRE

Resident wins mower

Nick Laughton, of the Living Classrooms Foundation, receives his raffle prize from MDE Public Participation Coordinator Robert Maddox, left. Laughton entered the Clean Air Partners raffle at the Ozone Action Days Kick-off Festival held in Baltimore May 2. The prize is a Black and Decker electric mulching mower - an environmentally-friendly alternative to gasoline powered lawn equipment.

ers can do to prevent lead poisoning.

"Throughout the year, MDE's Lead Poisoning Prevention Program assists local health departments with case management of lead poisoned children and locally based outreach and education," Philbrick added. "State and local agencies, parents, health care providers, home owners and rental property owners all have a role to play in eliminating childhood

lead poisoning."

A complete list of Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Week events and tips can be found on MDE's Lead Line at www.mde.state.md.us/health/lead, or on the Coalition to End Childhood Lead Poisoning's website at www.leadsafe.org. For more information on childhood lead poisoning and its prevention call (800) 776-2706 or (800) 370-LEAD (5323).

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grams for Bell over the years. One of particular acclaim is the Bell Nursery Grower Network, a program to make use of under-

used land. Mangum identifies landowners that use greenhouses to finish crops exclusively for Bell's distribution.

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This educational event is organized by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, the Pollution Prevention Programs of the Mid-Atlantic States and the Virginia Housing and the Environment Network.



Enforcement & Compliance Notes

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Air & Radiation Management Administration

Unilever Home and Personal Care, U.S.A. – Baltimore City--On April 15, MDE issued a Notice of Assessed Penalty to Unilever in the amount of \$25,000. Unilever operates a soap and liquid detergent manufacturing plant in east Baltimore. An inspection conducted by MDE found that Unilever violated its permit by failing to perform any of the required visible emissions observations for a period of 14 months. **Status:** Unilever has 30 days to request a hearing on the Assessed Penalty. (Reference #AQCP 02-14A)

University of Maryland Medical Systems (UMMS) Radiation Oncology – Baltimore City--On April 21, MDE issued a Complaint and Administrative Penalty of \$1,000 against UMMS Radiation Oncology for a misadministration that occurred in 2002. UMMS Radiation Oncology treated the wrong patient with a doctor's prescription of radiation. Root cause and corrective actions have been completed. **Status:** UMMS has 30 days to request a hearing on the Administrative Penalty. (Reference #RHP 02-20)

Charles Pasqualini, D.D.S. – Cecil County--On May 1, MDE issued a Complaint, Order, and

Administrative Penalty of \$1,000 against Dr. Pasqualini for failure to renew the registration of the radiation machines at his dental facility. **Status:** Dr. Pasqualini has 10 days to appeal the Order and 30 days to request a hearing on the Administrative Penalty. (Reference #RHP 02-18)

William Strahan, D.D.S. – Montgomery County--On May 1st, MDE issued a Complaint, Order, and Administrative Penalty of \$11,000 against Dr. Strahan for failure to resolve violations cited during a routine dental facility inspection. **Status:** Dr. Strahan has 10 days to appeal the Order and 30 days to request a hearing on the Administrative Penalty. (Reference #RHP 02-19)

J. C. Darling Plumbing & Heating – Caroline County--On May 2, MDE issued a Notice of Assessed Civil Penalty in the amount of \$2,000 to Darling Plumbing. Darling violated air quality regulations by conducting open burning without obtaining a permit, burning waste wood materials from an off-site location and by creating dense smoke that caused a nuisance for nearby residents. **Status:** Darling has 30 days to request a hearing on the Assessed Penalty. (Reference #AQCP 02-48A)

B&J Auto Salvage and Elwood's Auto Exchange – Washington County--On

May 6, MDE issued a Notice of Proposed Civil Penalty in the amount of \$10,000 to B&J Auto Salvage and Elwood's Auto Exchange. These two auto salvage yards, co-owned by the same individuals, are charged with violating open burning regulations at the two sites. The violations include burning without a permit, creating a nuisance and air pollution, burning materials that produce dense smoke, and burning off-site materials. **Status:** B&J/Elwood's has 10 days to request a meeting on the Proposed Penalty. (Reference #AQCP 02-42A)

Mirant Mid-Atlantic – Prince George's County--On May 8, MDE finalized a Consent Order with Mirant to settle air pollution violations at its Chalk Point electrical generating station. The violations were determined by a particulate stack test which showed an exceedance of applicable particulate emissions limits. Mirant determined that the cause of the violations was malfunctioning air damper linkages. Mirant made the repairs and a retest demonstrated compliance. The settlement includes a \$20,000 penalty. **Status:** Case Closed. (Reference #AQCP 011-200300001)

Homestead Mobile Estates – Cecil County--On May 9, MDE issued an Assessed Civil Penalty in the amount of \$4,500 to Homestead Mobile Estates for open burning violations. Homestead operates a mobile home park near Port Deposit. The facility violated air quality regulations on

two occasions by conducting open burning without obtaining an open burning permit and by burning materials that create dense smoke when burned, creating a nuisance and causing air pollution. **Status:** Homestead has 30 days to request a hearing on the Assessed Penalty. (Reference #AQCP 02-40A)

Waste Management Administration

Ronald Rozankowski, Jr. - 8 affected properties – Baltimore City - Ronald Rozankowski, Jr. was issued a Complaint, Order and \$35,000 combined civil penalties (3 separate penalties) on April 16 for violating Maryland's Lead Laws by failing to register pre-1950 rental units and to obtain risk reduction certificates of lead inspection compliance. **Status:** Ronald Rozankowski, Jr. has 10 days to request a hearing on the Complaint and Order and 30 days to request a hearing on the penalty. (Reference Nos.02-30-5797, 02-30-5798, 02-30-5799)

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WISE OIL & FUEL, INC. - 10264 River Landing Road, Denton, MD 21629. (2003-OPT-4063) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

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CARROLL INDEPENDENT FUEL CO.-OLD WESTMINSTER PIKE - 509 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD 21157. (2003-OPT-5965) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

FLICK'S TRUCK REPAIR, INC. - 7860 Kabik Court, Unit D, Woodbine, MD 21797. (TR8164) An air permit to construct for one paint spray booth

MILLER ASPHALT PRODUCTS, INC. - 2803 Dede Road, Finksburg, MD 21048. (2003-OPT-3338) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

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TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR - 211 High Street, New Windsor, MD 21776. (03-1079) Water permit to construct an elevated water storage tank at Rowe Road and Garland Acres Drive

Cecil

CHARLESTOWN MARINA - 4 Water Street, Charlestown, MD 21914. (2003-OPT-1214) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

DIXIE LAND OIL CO.,LLC - 1016 Telegraph Road, Rising Sun, MD 21911. (2003-OPV-15903) Oil operations permit for transportation

GIRL SCOUTS OF CENTRAL MARYLAND - 4806 Seton Drive, Baltimore, MD 21215. (03-1059) Sewerage permit to construct sewerage facilities at Camp Shadowbrook, at Shadowbrook Road and Pilottown Road, Conowingo

INDEPENDENCE CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS - 1000 block of Elk Mills Road, Elk Mills, MD 21922. (2003-OPT-15896) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

PRE-MIX INDUSTRIES, INC. - 700 Mountain Hill Road, Perryville, MD 21903. (TR8167) An air permit to construct for one 100-ton rotary dryer w/ control equipment

W.L. GORE & ASSOCIATES, INC. - **CHERRY HILL PLANT** - 2401 Ginnerly Road, P.O. Box 1220, Elkton, MD 21921. (2003-015-00079) Air quality permit to operate

Charles

CHARLES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS - 200 Baltimore Street, La Plata, MD 20646. (03-1073) Sewerage permit to relocate 8" force main along Acton Lane, US 301

MATTAWOMAN WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY - 5310 Hawthorne Road, La Plata, MD 20646. Sewage sludge transportation permit

MONA ENTERPRISES WOODWASTE RECYCLING - 6981 Our Place, Port Tobacco, MD 20677. Natural Wood Waste Permit

PICCOWAXEN MIDDLE SCHOOL WWTP - 12834 Rock Point Road, Newburg, MD 20664. (03DP0636) Surface municipal discharge permit

Dorchester

COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY - 5435 Handley Road, Cambridge, MD 21613. (03-1081) Sewerage permit to construct force mains along Handley Road and old U.S. Route 50

MARINETICS, INC. - 6035 Castle Haven Road, Cambridge, MD 21613. (03DP3447) Surface industrial discharge permit

Frederick

GRIMES SYSTEMS CO., INC. - 5601 Manor Woods Road, Frederick, MD 21703. (TR8124) An air permit to construct for one temporary crusher

JEFFERSON WWTP - Westport Drive & Brockton Drive, North Of Route 180, Jefferson, MD 21755. (03DP0097) Surface municipal discharge permit

LAFARGE-FREDERICK QUARRY - South Street, Frederick, MD 21701. (2003-021-00029) Air quality permit to operate

SITE B MUNICIPAL SANITARY LANDFILL - 9031 Reich's Ford Road, Frederick, MD 21704. Solid waste municipal landfill permit

SPRINGVIEW MOBILE HOME PARK - 6000 Block Jefferson Pike, Frederick, MD 21702. (03DP1036) Surface municipal discharge permit

Garrett

BTC TRUCKING, INC. - 2278 Michael Road, Barton, MD 21521. (2003-023-00094) Air quality permit to operate

GEORGE CREEK, INC. - Westernport, MD (DM-00-111) Insignificant Modification to Permit

METTIKI COAL, LLC. - Table Rock, MD (P-03-02) Letter of Intent to Prospect.

Harford

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, BUILDING A-339 - 4304 Susquehanna Avenue, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005-5001. (TR8110) An air permit to construct for one Peerless 2.056 MMBTU boiler

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, BUILDING A-860 - 4304 Susquehanna Avenue, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005-5001. (TR8111) An air permit to construct for one Peerless boiler 1.43 MMBTU

ARUNDEL CORPORATION - HAVRE DE GRACE - 938 Quarry Road, Havre De Grace, MD 21078. (2003-025-00120) Air quality permit to operate

CITY OF ABERDEEN - 60 North Parke Street, Aberdeen, MD 21001. (03-1076) Sewerage permit to upgrade the sludge dewatering facilities at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds Wastewater Treatment Plant

COLONIAL PIPELINE COMPANY - FOREST HILL - 806 West Jarrettsville Road, Forest Hill, MD 21050. (2003-025-00076) Air quality permit to operate

J.M. HUBER CORPORATION - 907 Revolution Street, Havre de Grace, MD 21078. (TR8117) An air permit to construct for modification to spray dryer system

MAGNESS FARM, HF-16 - 5425 Long Corner Road, Norrisville, MD 21161. Sewage sludge application on agricultural land

MOUNTAIN CHRISTIAN CHURCH - 1824 Mountain Road, Joppa, MD 21085. (03-1063) Water permit to construct a water pumping station at the Mountain Christian Church, Joppa

RICHARD F. WALTER FARM, HF-28 - 140 Darlington Road, Havre De Grace, MD 21078. Sewage sludge application on agricultural land

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Howard

LITTLE PATUXENT WATER RECLAMATION PLANT - 8900 Greenwood Place, Savage, MD 20763. Sewage sludge distribution permit

W.R. GRACE & CO., CONN. - 7500 Grace Drive, Columbia, MD 21044. (TR8165) An air permit to construct for modification to baghouses

WOODMONT ACADEMY - 14196 Frederick Road, Cooksville, MD 21723. (03-1080) Water permit to construct a water treatment plant at Woodmont Academy on Frederick Road

Montgomery

C&D RECOVERY PROCESSING FACILITY - 24220 Frederick Road, Clarksburg, MD 20871. (2003-WPF-0581) Solid waste processing facility permit

FALCON CONSTRUCTION - 15151 South Lawn Lane, Unit G, Rockville, MD 20850. (TR8166) An air permit to construct for one paint spray booth

JBG/SG LAND, LLC, 5301 Wisconsin Avenue, Washington DC 20015. Voluntary Cleanup Program application seeking a No Further Requirements Determination as an inculpable person for the 9.5-acre Lot 2, Danac Technological Park property located at 3 and 5 Choke Cherry Road, Rockville, MD 20850

JIFFY LUBE STORE 1213 - 19520 Walter Johnson Road, Germantown, MD 20874. (2003-OPT-6761) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

JIFFY LUBE STORE 1272 - 5535 Nicholson Lane, Rockville, MD 20852. (2003-OPT-6762) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

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OAKS LANDFILL - 6001 Olney Laytonsville Road, Laytonsville, MD 20882. (TR8126) An air permit to construct for one flare

RITCHIE LAND RECLAMATION LP - 11131 Georgia Avenue, Wheaton, MD 20902. (TR8168) An air permit to construct for one portable crusher

ROCKVILLE CRUSHED STONE - ROCKVILLE - 13900 Piney Meeting-house Road, Rockville, MD 20849. (2003-OPT-3326) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

STERLING AUTO BODY - 8230 Beech Craft Avenue, Gaithersburg, MD 20879. (TR8163) An air permit to construct for one paint spray booth

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION - 14501 Sweitzer Lane, Laurel, MD 20707. (03-1069) Sewerage permit to construct gravity sewers off Riffle Road, 1 mile north of MD Route 28

Prince George's

5401 MARLBORO PIKE VENTURE, LLC, 6067 Clay Spur Court, Centerville, VA 20121. Voluntary Cleanup Program application seeking a No Further Requirements Determination as an inculpable person for the 2.08-acre property located at 5401 Marlboro Pike, District Heights, MD 20747

MITCHELLEVILLE XTRA MART - 3711 Crain Highway, Mitchellville, MD 20716. (TR8118) An air permit to construct for one soil vapor extraction system

NATIONAL PLANT GERMPASM AND BIOTECHNOLOGY LABORATORY - Building 589, BARC / East, Beltsville, MD 20705. (03-1084) Sewerage permit to construct wastewater sterilization pretreatment facility at Powder Mill Road and Springfield Road

ONE PRICE CLEANERS - 4333 St.

Barnabus Road, Marlow Heights, MD 20743. (TR8132) An air permit to construct for two dry cleaning machines

PHEASANT RUN CLEANERS - 9848 Mallard Drive, Laurel, MD 20708. (TR8158) An air permit to construct for one dry cleaning machine

ROCKHILL SAND & GRAVEL CORPORATION - Silver Spring, MD (82-SP-0127-F) Modification for a surface mine permit located near Route 301 south left on Route 381

U.S. AIR FORCE / 89 CES / CEV - 3479 Fetchet Avenue, Andrews AFB, MD 20762. (03-1072) Sewerage permit to construct a force main along Brandywine and Air Force Road, Brandywine

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION - 14501 Sweitzer Lane, Laurel, MD 20707. (03-1064) Sewerage permit to upgrade sludge facility at the Piscataway Wastewater Treatment Plant

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION - 6600 Crain Highway, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772. (TR8116) An air permit to construct for one diesel generator

WESTPOINT, INC. - 2200 Defense Highway - Suite 101, Crofton, MD 21124. (03-1075) Sewerage permit to construct gravity sewers along Green Creek Terrace and MD Route 450 to serve Nabit Property

Somerset

PERDUE FARMS, INC. - RESEARCH FARM 15 - 11587 Pine Pole Road, Princess Anne, MD 21853. (2003-WIN-0584) Solid waste incinerator permit

PERDUE FARMS, INC. - RESEARCH FARM 17 - 11720 Pine Pole Road, Princess Anne, MD 21853. (2003-WIN-0586) Solid waste incinerator permit

SMITH ISLAND OIL COMPANY - 4040 Evans Dock Road, Ewell, MD 21824. (2003-OPT-2662) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

St. Mary's

MARYLAND ROCK INDUSTRIES - 21475 Abell's Wharf Road, Leonardtown, MD 20650. (2003-OPT-4279) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

Talbot

DOLVIN'S FARM, LLC. - 27999 Oxford Road, Oxford, MD 21654. (03-1058) Sewerage permit to construct wastewater treatment plant and a force main along Wye Mills Road, west of Route 50, at the Preserve at Wye Mills

EASTON UTILITIES COMMISSION POWER PLANT 2 - 8940 Glebe Park Drive, Easton, MD 21601. (2003-OPT-3537) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

Washington

C. WILLIAM HETZER, INC. - Hagerstown, MD (92-SP-0422-A) Modification for a surface mine permit is located I-70 and I-81 Intersection

CLEAR SPRING WTP - Bakers Lane, Clear Spring, MD 21722. (03DP3446) Surface municipal discharge permit

CONOCOCHEAGUE WWTP - 16232 Elliott Parkway, Williamsport, MD 21795. (03DP2563) Major surface municipal discharge permit

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PERDUE FARMS, INC. - TAYLORS TRAIL - 23417 Taylors Trail, Mardela Springs, MD 21837. (2003-WIN-0585) Solid waste incinerator permit

SCHENACKER, PRESTON - 6626 Snow Hill Road, Snow Hill, MD 21867. (03-1083) Sewerage permit to construct a wastewater treatment facility, a pumping station and a force main at the intersection of Brown and Main Street

WICOMICO COUNTY LANDFILL - 6900 Brick Kiln Road, Salisbury, MD 21801. Sewerage sludge disposal permit at landfill

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JOHN'S AUTO BODY REPAIR & TOWING - 9028 Worcester Highway, Berlin, MD 21811. (03DP2474) Groundwater industrial discharge permit

PERDUE FARMS, INC. - HEATHER LANE - 5304 Heather Lane, Pocomoke, MD 21851. (2003-WIN-0583) Solid waste incinerator permit

PERDUE FARMS, INC. - WHITESBURG ROAD - 5603 Whitesburg Road, Pocomoke, MD 21851. (2003-WIN-0587) Solid waste incinerator permit

TYSON FOODS, INC. - BERLIN - 10129 Old Ocean City Boulevard, Berlin, MD 21811. (2003-OPT-3246) Oil

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INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM CORP OF DELAWARE - 505 South Market Street, Wilmington, DE 19801. (2003-OPV-2420) Oil operations permit for transportation

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JPH, LLC, P. O. Box 15467, Baltimore, MD 21220. Voluntary Cleanup Program application seeking a Certificate of Completion as an inculpable person for the 2.30-acre former J&L Industries Site property located at 6923 Ebenezer Road, Chase, MD 21220-1228

LAFARGE - ROSEDALE BLACKTOP - 619 Batavia Farm Road, Baltimore, MD 21237. (2000-OPT-2572A) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

SIGNODE EASTERN OPERATIONS - 4505 North Point Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21219. (TR8134) An air permit to construct for modification to pickling line

SIGNODE EASTERN OPERATIONS - 4505 North Point Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21219. (TR8151) An air permit to construct for modification to coil coating line

Caroline

RICHARD P. & MARY VIRGINIA HAYMAN, CR-112 - 25023 Sunset Road, Greensboro, MD 21639. Sewerage sludge application on agricultural land

WISE OIL & FUEL, INC. - 10264 River Landing Road, Denton, MD 21629. (2003-OPT-4063) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

Carroll

CARROLL INDEPENDENT FUEL CO.-OLD WESTMINSTER PIKE - 509 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD 21157. (2003-OPT-5965) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

FLICK'S TRUCK REPAIR, INC. - 7860 Kabik Court, Unit D, Woodbine, MD 21797. (TR8164) An air permit to construct for one paint spray booth

MILLER ASPHALT PRODUCTS, INC. - 2803 Dede Road, Finksburg, MD 21048. (2003-OPT-3338) Oil operations permit for above ground storage

tank and transportation

PARROTT MATERIALS COMPANY - 611 Hoods Mill Road, Woodbine, MD 21797. (2003-013-00098) Air quality permit to operate

PARROTT MATERIALS COMPANY - 611 Hoods Mill Road, Woodbine, MD 21797. (2002-OPT-3386B) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR - 211 High Street, New Windsor, MD 21776. (03-1079) Water permit to construct an elevated water storage tank at Rowe Road and Garland Acres Drive

Cecil

CHARLESTOWN MARINA - 4 Water Street, Charlestown, MD 21914. (2003-OPT-1214) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

DIXIE LAND OIL CO.,LLC - 1016 Telegraph Road, Rising Sun, MD 21911. (2003-OPV-15903) Oil operations permit for transportation

GIRL SCOUTS OF CENTRAL MARYLAND - 4806 Seton Drive, Baltimore, MD 21215. (03-1059) Sewerage permit to construct sewerage facilities at Camp Shadowbrook, at Shadowbrook Road and Pilottown Road, Conowingo

INDEPENDENCE CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS - 1000 block Of Elk Mills Road, Elk Mills, MD 21922. (2003-OPT-15896) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

PRE-MIX INDUSTRIES, INC. - 700 Mountain Hill Road, Perryville, MD 21903. (TR8167) An air permit to construct for one 100-ton rotary dryer w/ control equipment

W.L. GORE & ASSOCIATES, INC. - CHERRY HILL PLANT - 2401 GINGERLY ROAD, P.O. Box 1220, Elkton, MD 21921. (2003-015-00079) Air quality permit to operate

Charles

CHARLES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS - 200 Baltimore Street, La Plata, MD 20646. (03-1073) Sewerage

permit to relocate 8" force main along Acton Lane, US 301

MATTAWOMAN WATER POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY - 5310 Hawthorne Road, La Plata, MD 20646. Sewerage sludge transportation permit

MONA ENTERPRISES WOODWASTE RECYCLING - 6981 Our Place, Port Tobacco, MD 20677. Natural Wood waste Permit

PICCOWAXEN MIDDLE SCHOOL WWTP - 12834 Rock Point Road, Newburg, MD 20664. (03DP0636) Surface municipal discharge permit

Dorchester

COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY - 5435 Handley Road, Cambridge, MD 21613. (03-1081) Sewerage permit to construct force mains along Handley Road and old U.S. Route 50

MARINETICS, INC. - 6035 Castle Haven Road, Cambridge, MD 21613. (03DP3447) Surface industrial discharge permit

Frederick

GRIMES SYSTEMS CO., INC. - 5601 Manor Woods Road, Frederick, MD 21703. (TR8124) An air permit to construct for one temporary crusher

JEFFERSON WWTP - Westport Drive & Brockton Drive, North Of Route 180, Jefferson, MD 21755. (03DP0097) Surface municipal discharge permit

LAFARGE-FREDERICK QUARRY - South Street, Frederick, MD 21701. (2003-021-00029) Air quality permit to operate

SITE B MUNICIPAL SANITARY LANDFILL - 9031 Reich's Ford Road, Frederick, MD 21704. Solid waste municipal landfill permit

SPRINGVIEW MOBILE HOME PARK - 6000 Block Jefferson Pike, Frederick, MD 21702. (03DP1036) Surface municipal discharge permit

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For the Record

Garrett

BTC TRUCKING, INC. - 2278 Michael Road, Barton, MD 21521. (2003-023-00094) Air quality permit to operate

GEORGE CREEK, INC. - Westernport, MD (DM-00-111) Insignificant Modification to Permit

METTIKI COAL, LLC. - Table Rock, MD (P-03-02) Letter of Intent to Prospect.

Harford

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, BUILDING A-339 - 4304 Susquehanna Avenue, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005-5001. (TR8110) An air permit to construct for one Peerless 2.056 MMBTU boiler

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, BUILDING A-860 - 4304 Susquehanna Avenue, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005-5001. (TR8111) An air permit to construct for one Peerless boiler 1.43 MMBTU

ARUNDEL CORPORATION - HAVRE DE GRACE - 938 Quarry Road, Havre De Grace, MD 21078. (2003-025-00120) Air quality permit to operate

CITY OF ABERDEEN - 60 North Parke Street, Aberdeen, MD 21001. (03-1076) Sewerage permit to upgrade the sludge dewatering facilities at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds Wastewater Treatment Plant

COLONIAL PIPELINE COMPANY - FOREST HILL - 806 West Jarrettsville Road, Forest Hill, MD 21050. (2003-025-00076) Air quality permit to operate

J.M. HUBER CORPORATION - 907 Revolution Street, Havre de Grace, MD 21078. (TR8117) An air permit to construct for modification to spray dryer system

MAGNESS FARM, HF-16 - 5425 Long Corner Road, Norrisville, MD 21161. Sewage sludge application on agricultural land

MOUNTAIN CHRISTIAN CHURCH - 1824 Mountain Road, Joppa, MD 21085. (03-1063) Water

permit to construct a water pumping station at the Mountain Christian Church, Joppa

RICHARD F. WALTER FARM, HF-28 - 140 Darlington Road, Havre De Grace, MD 21078. Sewage sludge ap-

plication on agricultural land

U.S. ARMY GARRISON ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND - Building 4025A, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD 21005. (TR8156) An air permit to

construct for one bioslurping/bioventing system

Howard

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cent tubes and waste light ballasts without utilizing a hazardous waste manifest nor receiving a CHS Hauler Certificate and vehicle certificate from MDE. **Status:** Lloyd E. Cavey, Jr. has 20 days to submit payment or the matter will be forwarded to the Attorney General's Office.

Rehom, Cithom, Inc., Balhom, Inc. and Balto Properties, LLC - Baltimore City - On May 5, Rehom, Cithom, Inc., Balhom, Inc. and Balto Properties, LLC were issued a Complaint, Order and various combined civil penalties totaling \$30,000 for violating Maryland's Lead Laws by failing to obtain risk reduction certificates of lead inspection compliance and proper tenant notifications. **Status:** Rehom, Cithom, Inc., Balhom, Inc. and Balto Properties, LLC have 10 days to request a hearing on the Complaint and Order and 30 days to request a hearing on the Penalties. (Reference # 2002-30-5495)

Water Management Administration

Anne Arundel County - On May 12, MDE and Anne Arundel County finalized an Administrative Consent Order and Agreement regarding improvements to the Cox Creek Reclamation Facility located on Wagner Station Road in Pasadena. Under the terms of the agreement, Anne Arundel

County has agreed to complete secondary clarifier improvements and undertake best operational efforts to meet total nitrogen loading goals identified in the facility's NPDES permit by February 28, 2007. The agreement also establishes interim performance standards and stipulated penalties for exceedances of those standards and other established permit effluent limits and compliance agreement milestones during periods of construction and actual start-up of clarifier improvements. **Status:** Case closed. (Reference # CO-03-0201).

Town of Hancock, Washington County - On April 30, MDE and the Town of Hancock finalized an Administrative Consent Order regarding improvements to correct an unsafe dam structure at the Hancock Town Dam located on an unnamed tributary of Little Tonoloway Creek north of Creek Road, known as the Kirk Pond. Under the terms of the Consent Order, the Town of Hancock has agreed to submit to MDE for review and approval within 30 days, a Joint Federal/State Application for the Alteration of any Floodplain, Waterway, Tidal or Nontidal Wetland in Maryland, along with a final plan and schedule for construction to permanently breach the dam. The authorized construction to breach the dam must be completed by June 30, 2004. **Status:** Case closed. (Refer-

ence # CO-03-0234).

Town of Hurlock, Dorchester County - On May 12, MDE and the Town of Hurlock finalized an Administrative Consent Order regarding expansion and upgrade of the Hurlock Wastewater Treatment Plant. Under the terms of the Consent Order, the Town of Hurlock has agreed to submit to MDE for review and approval, a finalized time schedule for beginning and completing construction of the plant expansion and Biological Nutrient Reduction ("BNR") upgrade. During the construction and start-up of plant upgrades, the Consent Order establishes interim performance standards for total suspended solids (TSS), biochemical oxygen demand (BOD), fecal coliform and pH permit effluent limits. The Consent Order also establishes stipulated penalties for exceedances of interim performance standards or other established permit limits or for missed compliance schedule milestones. **Status:** Case closed. (Reference #CO-03-0214).

Water and Sediment Pollution Penalties - Statewide - During the period April 15 - May 15, 2003, MDE collected an additional \$40,650 to the Clean Water Fund in resolution of alleged water pollution violations from eight facilities and \$4,750 to the Sediment Fund in resolution of alleged erosion and sediment control/sediment pollution violations from three facilities.

For the Record

RECLAMATION PLANT - 8900 Greenwood Place, Savage, MD 20763. Sewage sludge distribution permit

W.R. GRACE & CO., CONN. - 7500 Grace Drive, Columbia, MD 21044. (TR8165) An air permit to construct for modification to baghouses

WOODMONT ACADEMY - 14196 Frederick Road, Cooksville, MD 21723. (03-1080) Water permit to construct a water treatment plant at Woodmont Academy on Frederick Road

Montgomery

C&D RECOVERY PROCESSING FACILITY - 24220 Frederick Road, Clarksburg, MD 20871. (2003-WPF-0581) Solid waste processing facility permit

FALCON CONSTRUCTION - 15151 South Lawn Lane, Unit G, Rockville, MD 20850. (TR8166) an air permit to construct for one paint spray booth

JBG/SG LAND, LLC, 5301 Wisconsin Avenue, Washington DC 20015. Voluntary Cleanup Program application seeking a No Further Requirements Determination as an inculpable person for the 9.5-acre Lot 2, Danac Technological Park property located at 3 and 5 Choke Cherry Road, Rockville, MD 20850

JIFFY LUBE STORE 1213 - 19520 Walter Johnson Road, Germantown, MD 20874. (2003-OPT-6761) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

JIFFY LUBE STORE 1272 - 5535 Nicholson Lane, Rockville, MD 20852. (2003-OPT-6762) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

JIFFY LUBE STORE 719 - 8031 Snouffer School Road, Gaithersburg, MD 20879. (2003-OPT-6760) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

JIFFY LUBE STORE 972 - 15121 Frederick Road, Rockville, MD 20850. (2003-OPT-6765) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

OAKS LANDFILL - 6001 Olney

Laytonsville Road, Laytonsville, MD 20882. (TR8126) An air permit to construct for one flare

RITCHIE LAND RECLAMATION LP - 11131 Georgia Avenue, Wheaton, MD 20902. (TR8168) an air permit to construct for one portable crusher

ROCKVILLE CRUSHED STONE - ROCKVILLE - 13900 Piney Meeting-house Road, Rockville, MD 20849. (2003-OPT-3326) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

STERLING AUTO BODY - 8230 Beech Craft Avenue, Gaithersburg, MD 20879. (TR8163) An air permit to construct for one paint spray booth

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION - 14501 Sweitzer Lane, Laurel, MD 20707. (03-1069) Sewerage permit to construct gravity sewers off Riffle Road, 1 mile north of MD Route 28

Prince George's

5401 MARLBORO PIKE VENTURE, LLC, 6067 Clay Spur Court, Centerville, VA 20121. Voluntary Cleanup Program application seeking a No Further Requirements Determination as an inculpable person for the 2.08-acre property located at 5401 Marlboro Pike, District Heights, MD 20747

MITCHELLVILLE XTRA MART - 3711 Crain Highway, Mitchellville, MD 20716. (TR8118) An air permit to construct for one soil vapor extraction system

NATIONAL PLANT GERMLASMA AND BIOTECHNOLOGY LABORATORY - Building 589, BARC / East, Beltsville, MD 20705. (03-1084) Sewerage permit to construct wastewater sterilization pretreatment facility at Powder Mill Road and Springfield Road

ONE PRICE CLEANERS - 4333 St. Barnabus Road, Marlow Heights, MD 20743. (TR8132) An air permit to construct for two dry cleaning machines

PHEASANT RUN CLEANERS - 9848 Mallard Drive, Laurel, MD 20708. (TR8158) An air permit to construct for one dry cleaning machine

ROCKHILL SAND & GRAVEL

CORPORATION - Silver Spring, MD (82-SP-0127-F) Modification for a surface mine permit is located near Route 301 south left on Route 381

U.S. AIR FORCE / 89 CES / CEV - 3479 Fetchet Avenue, Andrews AFB, MD 20762. (03-1072) Sewerage permit to construct a force main along Brandywine and Air Force Road, Brandywine

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION - 14501 Sweitzer Lane, Laurel, MD 20707. (03-1064) Sewerage permit to upgrade sludge facility at the Piscataway Wastewater Treatment Plant

WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION - 6600 Crain Highway, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772. (TR8116) An air permit to construct for one diesel generator

WESTPOINT, INC. - 2200 Defense Highway - Suite 101, Crofton, MD 21124. (03-1075) Sewerage permit to construct gravity sewers along Green Creek Terrace and MD Route 450 to serve Nabit Property

Somerset

PERDUE FARMS, INC. - RESEARCH FARM 15 - 11587 Pine Pole Road, Princess Anne, MD 21853. (2003-WIN-0584) Solid waste incinerator permit

PERDUE FARMS, INC. - RESEARCH FARM 17 - 11720 Pine Pole Road, Princess Anne, MD 21853. (2003-WIN-0586) Solid waste incinerator permit

SMITH ISLAND OIL COMPANY - 4040 Evans Dock Road, Ewell, MD 21824. (2003-OPT-2662) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

St. Mary's

MARYLAND ROCK INDUSTRIES - 21475 Abell's Wharf Road, Leonardtown, MD 20650. (2003-OPT-4279) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

Talbot

DOLVIN'S FARM, LLC. - 27999

Oxford Road, Oxford, MD 21654. (03-1058) Sewerage permit to construct wastewater treatment plant and a force main along Wye Mills Road, west of Route 50, at the Preserve at Wye Mills

EASTON UTILITIES COMMISSION POWER PLANT 2 - 8940 Glebe Park Drive, Easton, MD 21601. (2003-OPT-3537) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

Washington

C. WILLIAM HETZER, INC. - Hagerstown, MD (92-SP-0422-A) Modification for a surface mine permit is located I-70 and I-81 Intersection

CLEAR SPRING WTP - Bakers Lane, Clear Spring, MD 21722. (03DP3446) Surface municipal discharge permit

CONOCOCHEAGUE WWTP - 16232 Elliott Parkway, Williamsport, MD 21795. (03DP2563) Major surface municipal discharge permit

HAPPY HILLS CAMPGROUND - 12617 Seavolt Road, Hancock, MD 21750. Sewage sludge transportation permit

HUNZBERRY BROTHERS, INC. - 21536 Chewsville Road, Smithsburg, MD 21783. (2003-OPT-15785) Oil operations permit for above ground storage tank and transportation

MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION - 18601 Roxbury Road, Hagerstown, MD 21740. Sewage sludge transportation permit

MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION - 18601 Roxbury Road, Hagerstown, MD 21740. Sewage sludge transportation permit

TOWN OF CLEAR SPRING - 146 Cumberland Street, Clear Spring, MD 21722. (03-1077) Water permit to construct a new water treatment plant located at U.S. Route 40 and Harvey Road

WASHINGTON COUNTY WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT - 16232 Elliott Parkway, Williamsport, MD 21795. (03-1062) Sewerage permit to construct force mains along Dogstreet Road at Keedysville