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Mr. Raymond Bahr Maryland Department of the Environment Sediment, Stormwater and Dam Safety Program 1800 Washington Boulevard Baltimore, MD 21230

Dear Mr. Bahr

Please accept these comments on the Tentative Determination to Issue Storm Water Permit (MS4) for Anne Arundel County on behalf of West/Rhode Riverkeeper, Inc.

West/Rhode Riverkeeper adopts and incorporates by reference the comments submitted by Earth Justice on behalf of several conservation organizations.

West/Rhode Riverkeeper also incorporates and adopts by reference the comments of the South River Federation, particularly as they relate to the required use of environmental site design (EDS) and other restoration techniques.

Thank you.

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