

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

2019 Legislative Session

Legislative Day No. 07

Resolution No. 60-2019

INTRODUCED BY: The President of the Council at the request of the County Executive

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE WICOMICO COUNTY WATER AND SEWER PLAN TO PROVIDE FOR THE WITHDRAWAL OF WATER FROM THE MANOKIN ACQUIFER BY WELL NO. 5 TO SERVE THE CITY OF FRUITLAND AND TO INCREASE THE AVERAGE PRODUCTION (MGD), MAX PEAK FLOW (MGD), AND STORAGE CAPACITY (MGD).

WHEREAS, Title 9, Subtitle 5 of the *Environment Article*, of the Annotated Code of Maryland, requires the County to adopt a comprehensive plan dealing with water supply and sewerage systems, establishes the procedures governing the preparation and adoption of said plan, and provides for amendments and revisions thereto; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has received an application from the City of Fruitland for an amendment to the Wicomico County Water and Sewer Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works has provided the notices required by Title 9, Section 9-503 of the *Environment Article* of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and has submitted the County plan, revision, or amendment to each official planning agency that has jurisdiction in the County, including any comprehensive planning agency with areawide jurisdiction, for review and comment within a 30-day period for consistency with planning programs for the area; and

WHEREAS, the County Council conducted a public hearing on April 2, 2019, and received public comment thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Council of Wicomico County, Maryland, that Section 3.3.2 and Tables 4 and 6 of the Wicomico County Water and Sewer Plan, as adopted and as amended, is to provide that Well No. 5 shall withdraw water from the Manokin Aquifer to serve the City of Fruitland, and to increase the average production (MGD), max peak flow (MGD), and storage capacity (MGD) as shown on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that within five (5) working days of the adoption of this Resolution, it shall be transmitted by the County Council Administrator to the County Executive for his approval.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect on the day it is approved by the County Executive.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon the effective date of this Resolution, it shall be submitted to the Maryland Department of the Environment.

DONE at Salisbury, Maryland, this 2nd day of April 2019.

ATTEST:

COUNTY COUNCIL OF
WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

Laura Hurley
Laura Hurley, Council Administrator

John T. Cannon
John T. Cannon, Council President

Executed and presented to the County Executive for approval this 8th day of April, 2019 at 11:45 a.m./p.m.

Laura Hurley
Laura Hurley, Council Administrator

BY THE EXECUTIVE:
Approved: this 9th day of April, 2019.

ATTEST:

R. Wayne Strausburg
R. Wayne Strausburg,
Director of Administration

Bob Culver
Bob Culver,
County Executive

CERTIFICATION

THIS RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED ADOPTED WITH AMENDMENTS _____ FAILED _____ WITHDRAWN _____ BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL ON April 2nd, 2019

CERTIFIED BY Laura Hurley
LAURA HURLEY, COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR