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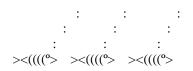
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Subject: regional stormwater management ponds

Hi John and Matt.

In response to your question concerning the County's regional stormwater management program approved by the BOS in 1989, we have reviewed our documentation of the original approval of the County's Bay Act program that occurred in 1993. Marlene Hale, an engineer, was the County's liaison at the time, and our records show that she considered the stormwater program as part of her review of the CB program. Our Board's subsequent approval of the County's program incorporated the regional stormwater management program. Having said that, given the changes in land use over the years, we support the County's initiative to review the placement of BMPs within the RPA through the public exception process, however it is not required. Our Board's approval of the County regional stormwater management program differs from the Phase I modification that other counties have had to undergo (e.g. Chesterfield and Henrico), because those programs were initiated after CBLAB approval of their original Ches Bay programs. As Fairfax County completes watershed management plans, they should be submitted for review and approval by our Board. Hope this clarification helps. Heather Mackey



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