

WATERWAY IMPROVEMENT FUND – FY 25

Natural Resources Article, Section 8-707(c)(2)

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July 22, 2025

The Honorable Guy Guzzone, Chair
Senate Budget & Taxation Committee
3 West Miller Senate Office Building
Annapolis, MD 21401

The Honorable Ben Barnes, Chair
House Appropriations Committee
Room 121 House Office Building
Annapolis, MD 21401

Re: Submission of the FY25 Waterway Improvement Fund Annual Report

- Agency: Maryland Department of Natural Resources
- Fund Source: State Waterway Improvement Fund
- Report Authority: § 8-707(c)(2) of the Natural Resources Article (MSAR #7157)

Dear Honorable Chairs:

In accordance with § 8 - 707(c)(2) of the Natural Resources Article, please accept the Waterway Improvement Fund Annual Report for FY25 as required by the Maryland Department of Legislative Services. This report identifies the planned work to be funded with Waterway Improvement Funds for FY25.

If you would like any additional information, please feel free to contact Lydia McPherson, Director, Legislative and Constituent Services at 410-260-8113 or Lydia.mcpherson1@maryland.gov.

Sincerely,

Josh Kurtz
Secretary

Attachments

cc: Sarah Albert, Department of Legislative Services (5 copies)
Lydia McPherson

Annual Report for State Waterway Improvement Fund

Approved FY2025 State Waterway Improvement Fund Capital Project List

County	Name & Mailing Address of Applicant	Corporation Responsible	Project Location	Project Description	Grant Type	Grant Amount
Anne Arundel	City of Annapolis Duke of Gloucester Street Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	City of Annapolis 399 Chester Ave Annapolis, MD 21401	City of Annapolis Fourth Street End Public Boating Access Improvements	LG	\$175,000
Anne Arundel	Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works 2662 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	Churchton and Franklin Manor Rd Churchton, MD 20733	Broadwater Creek Site 1 Structures Beneficial Use Shoreline Dredged Material Placement	MFDG	\$450,000
Anne Arundel	City of Annapolis Duke of Gloucester Street Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	City of Annapolis City 1 Dock Street Annapolis, MD 21401	City of Annapolis City Dock Power Pedestal Upgrades	LG	\$250,000
Anne Arundel	City of Annapolis Duke of Gloucester Street Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	5 Shipwright St Annapolis, MD 21401	City of Annapolis Shipwright Street End Public Boating Access Improvements	LG	\$175,000
Anne Arundel	Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works 2662 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	1097 Rodgers Rd. Churchton, MD	Broadwater Creek Dredging	MFDG	\$457,000
Anne Arundel	Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works 2662 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	Cedar Drive Deale MD 20751	Parker Creek Dredging	MFDG	\$277,500
Anne Arundel	Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works 2662 Riva Road Annapolis, MD 21401	N/A	Broadwater Point Rd Churchton, MD 20733	Carrs Creek Dredging	MFDG	\$200,000

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Baltimore	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	7400 Graces Quarters Rd. Middle River, MD 21220	Gunpowder Falls State Park Dundee Creek Marina Improvements	SP	\$500,000
Baltimore	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	7400 Graces Quarters Rd. Middle River, MD 21220	Gunpowder Falls State Park Dundee Creek Marina Dredging (Eng)	SP	\$200,000
Baltimore	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	7400 Graces Quarters Rd. Middle River, MD 21220	Gunpowder Falls State Park Hammerman Boat Ramp Replacement	SP	\$200,000
Baltimore	State of Maryland Department of Natural Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	7400 Graces Quarters Rd. Middle River 21220	Gunpowder Falls State Park Dundee Creek Marina Services Building Replacement (Eng)	SP	\$800,000
Baltimore	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	7400 Graces Quarters Rd. Middle River, MD 21220	Gunpowder Falls State Park Dundee Creek Marina DMP Rehabilitation	SP	\$750,000
Baltimore City	Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City 401 East Fayette Street, 6th Floor Baltimore City, MD 21202	N/A	Baltimore City Fire Department 1407 Key Hwy Baltimore MD 21202	Shallow Water safety vessel	MFFR	\$50,000
Calvert	Town of North Beach PO Box 99 North Beach, MD 20714	N/A	9023 Bay Avenue North Beach, MD 20714	North Beach Pier Boating Area- Repairs & Upgrades	LG	\$50,000
Caroline	Caroline County Commissioners 109 Market Street Denton, MD 21629	N/A	Choptank Marina 21843 Water Street Preston, MD 21655	Choptank Marina Seawall and Marina restoration and reconfiguration	MF	\$1,353,000

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Caroline	Town of Denton 4 N. Second Street Denton, MD 21629	N/A	Crouse Park 3 Crouse Park Lane Denton, MD 21629	Crouse Park Bulkhead Renovation (Eng)	LG	\$25,000
Caroline	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Martinak State Park 137 Deep Shore Rd. Denton, MD 21629	Martinak State Park Access Channel Dredging (Eng)	SP	\$200,000
Caroline	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Tuckahoe State Park 13070 Crouse Mill Rd. Queen Anne, MD 21657	Tuckahoe State Park Boat Ramp Replacement	SP	\$225,000
Caroline	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Martinak State Park 137 Deep Shore Rd. Denton, MD 21629	Martinak State Park DMP Rehabilitation	SP	\$750,000
Charles	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Smallwood State Park Sweden Point Rd. Marbury, MD 20658	Sweden Point Marina Renovations & Improvements	SP	\$1,000,000
Dorchester	Dorchester County 5435 Handley Road Cambridge, MD 21613	N/A	Tylers Cove Marina 2913 Hoopers Island Church Creek, MD 21622	Tylers Cove Marina Improvements Phase 2	LG	\$250,000
Dorchester	Commissioners of Cambridge 410 Academy Street Cambridge MD 21613	N/A	108 Albemarle Ct Cambridge, MD 21613	Jenkins Creek Dredging and Beneficial Use (Eng)	MFDG	\$62,500
Dorchester	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Elliott Island Rd. Vienna, MD 21869	Langrells Island Boat Ramp Replacement & Dredging (Eng)	SP	\$100,000

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Dorchester	Dorchester County 5435 Handley Road Cambridge, MD 21613	N/A	Back Creek Waterfront Hoopers Island Road Fishing Creek, MD 21634	Back Creek Marina Renovation (Eng)	LG	\$50,000
Dorchester	Commissioners of Cambridge 410 Academy Street Cambridge MD 21613	N/A	117 Choptank Terrace Cambridge, MD 21613	Lodgecliffe Canal Dredging and Beneficial Use (Eng)	MFDG	\$37,500
Dorchester	Commissioners of Cambridge 410 Academy Street Cambridge MD 21613	N/A	Trenton Street Cambridge, MD 21613	Trenton Street Boat Ramp Improvements Phase 1	LG	\$250,000
Garrett	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	898 State Park Rd. Swanton, MD 21561	Deep Creek Lake State Park Boat Launch & Parking Lot Improvements (Eng)	SP	\$300,000
Garrett	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	4251 Mt. Zion Rd. Swanton, MD 21561	Jennings Randolph Lake Boat Dock Replacement	SP	\$300,000
Harford	Harford County Department of Recreation & Parks 1809 Fallston Road Fallston, MD 21047	N/A	401 Oakington Rd. Havre de Grace, MD 21078	Swan Harbor Farm DMP Site Remediation (Eng)	DG	\$150,000
Harford	City of Havre de Grace 711 Pennington Avenue Havre de Grace MD, 21078	N/A	352 Commerce Street Havre de Grace, MD 21078	Havre de Grace Yacht Basin Pier Re-decking	LG	\$45,000
Harford	Harford County Department of Recreation & Parks 1809 Fallston Road Fallston, MD 21047	N/A	Mariner Point Park Joppa, MD 21085	Foster Branch Maintenance Dredging (Eng)	MFDG	\$50,000

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Queen Anne's	Queen Anne's County Department of Recreation & Parks 1945 4-H Park Road Centreville, MD 21617	N/A	106 Piney Narrows Road Chester, MD 21619	Kent Narrows Landing Bulkhead Replacement and Repairs (Eng)	LG	\$75,000
Queen Anne's	Queen Anne's County Department of Recreation & Parks 1945 4-H Park Road Centreville, MD 21617	N/A	Long Point Road Marina 701 Long Point Road Grasonville, MD 21638	Muddy Creek Dredging	TDDG	\$350,000
Somerset	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	715 Broadway Crisfield, MD 21817	Somers Cove Marina Bulkhead Replacement and Site Improvements	SP	\$2,000,000
Somerset	Somerset County Department of Public Works 8981 Sign Post Road Westover, MD 21871	N/A	10319 Richard Webster Road Deale, MD 21821	Upper Thorofare Dredging - Deal Island (Eng)	DG	\$100,000
Somerset	City of Crisfield 315 W North Main Street Crisfield, MD 21871	N/A	1201 W. Main Street Crisfield, MD 21817	Crisfield Depot Piers and Walkways Replacement	LG	\$250,000
Somerset	Somerset County Department of Public Works 8981 Sign Post Road Westover, MD 21871	N/A	Tylerton Harbor 21232 Wharf Road Tylerton, MD 21866	Tylerton Harbor Breakwater	DG	\$75,000
Somerset	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Janes Island State Park 26280 Alfred Lawson Drive Crisfield, MD 21817	Janes Island Marina Dredging & DMP Repair	SP	\$500,000

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Somerset	Somerset County Department of Public Works 8981 Sign Post Road Westover, MD 21871	N/A	4080 Smith Island Road Ewell, MD 21824	Ewell County Dock Repairs (Eng)	LG	\$50,000
Somerset	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Janes Island State Park 26280 Alfred Lawson Drive Crisfield, MD 21817	Janes Island Boat Ramp Repairs and Transient Slip Improvement	SP	\$1,000,000
Somerset	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Janes Island State Park 26280 Alfred Lawson Drive Crisfield, MD 21817	Janes Island State Park Flat Cap Beach Pier Renovation	SP	\$65,000
Somerset	Somerset County Department of Public Works 8981 Sign Post Road Westover, MD 21871	N/A	27151 Champ Wharf Road Champ, MD 21853	St Peters Creek County Dock and Bulkhead Rehabilitation	LG	\$250,000
St. Mary's	Commissioners of St Mary's County 23150 Leonard Hall Drive Leonardtown, MD 20650	N/A	23975 Old Chaptico Wharf Ln. Chaptico, MD 20601	Chaptico Wharf Improvements	LG	\$199,000
St. Mary's	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	11175 Point Lookout Rd. Scotland, MD 20687	Point Lookout SP Marina Services Building Replacement (Eng)	SP	\$800,000
Statewide	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Fishing & Boating Services Tawes State Office Bldg B-2 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Statewide	New Vessel Acquisition for Abandoned Vessel and Debris Removal	ST	\$500,000

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Statewide	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Chesapeake & Coastal Services Tawes State Office Bldg E-2 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Statewide	Maryland Pumpout Grant Program (CVA)	ST	\$155,155
Statewide	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resource Natural Resources Police Tawes State Office Bldg 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Statewide	Maryland NRP Patrol Vessel Package	ST	\$260,000
Statewide	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Chesapeake & Coastal Services Tawes State Office Bldg E-2 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Statewide	Statewide Emergency Maintenance Dredging	ST	\$1,515,845
Statewide	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Chesapeake & Coastal Services Tawes State Office Bldg E-2 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	Statewide	State match for Federal Boating Access and Boating Infrastructure Grants	ST	\$250,000
Talbot	Talbot County Government 11 North Washington Street Easton, MD 21601	N/A	10300 Tuckahoe Landing Rd Easton, MD	New Bridge Landing Improvements (Eng)	LG	\$25,000
Talbot	Talbot County Government 11 North Washington Street Easton, MD 21601	N/A	28900 Skipton Landing Rd Cordova MD 21625	Skipton Landing Reconstruction	LG	\$150,000
Wicomico	Wicomico County Dept of Recreation, Parks, Tourism Wicomico Civic Center 500 Glen Avenue Salisbury, MD 21804	N/A	Nanticoke Harbor 20411 West Harbor Road Nanticoke MD 21840	Nanticoke Harbor Dredging	DG	\$925,000

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Wicomico	Wicomico County Dept of Recreation, Parks, Tourism Wicomico Civic Center 500 Glen Avenue Salisbury, MD 21804	N/A	Cedar Hill Marina 20945 Harbor View Road Bivalve MD 21814	Cedar Hill Boat Ramp Renovation (Eng)	LG	\$60,000
Wicomico	Wicomico County Dept of Recreation, Parks, Tourism Wicomico Civic Center 500 Glen Avenue Salisbury, MD 21804	N/A	2848 Leonards Mill Park Road Salisbury MD 21801	Leonard Mill Park Boat Ramp Replacement (Eng)	LG	\$60,000
Wicomico	Wicomico County Dept of Recreation, Parks, Tourism Wicomico Civic Center 500 Glen Avenue Salisbury, MD 21804	N/A	20945 Harbor View Rd Bivalve, MD 21814	Cedar Hill/Bivalve Channel & Marina Dredging (Eng)	DG	\$50,000
Worcester	Worcester County Department of Public Works 6113 Timmons Road Snow Hill, MD 21863	N/A	400 94th Street Ocean City, MD 21842	Little Salisbury Park Channel Dredging	DG	\$150,000
Worcester	Stockton Volunteer Fire Department 1501 Snow Hill Road Stockton, MD 21683	N/A	1501 Snow Hill Road Stockton, MD 21683	Stockton Volunteer Fire Department Rescue Vessel	MFFR	\$80,000
Worcester	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	3036 Nassawango Rd. Pocomoke City, MD 21851	Pocomoke River State Park Milburn Landing Boat Ramp Replacement	SP	\$125,000
Worcester	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	3461 Worcester Hwy Snow Hill, MD 21863	Pocomoke River State Park - Shad Landing Marina & Boat Ramp Replacement	SP	\$1,000,000

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Worcester	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	7307 Stephen Decatur Hwy Berlin, MD 21811	Assateague State Park Boat Ramp Repairs & Comfort Station Renovations	SP	\$125,000
Worcester	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	3461 Worcester Hwy Snow Hill, MD 21863	Pocomoke River State Park Shad Landing Marina Services Building Renovations (Eng)	SP	\$200,000
Worcester	State of Maryland Department of Natural Resources Engineering & Construction Tawes State Office Bldg D-3 580 Taylor Avenue Annapolis MD 21401	N/A	12917 S. Harbor Rd. Ocean City, MD 21842	DNR NRP Area 1 Marine Facility Bulkhead Replacement	SP	\$500,000
TOTAL						\$21,500,000

Funding Type

SP- Project on State Lands
 LG - 100% State Funded Local Grant
 MF - Matching Fund Grant
 MFFR - Matching Fund Fire Rescue
 MFDG - Matching Fund Dredging Grant
 ST - Statewide
 DG - 100% State Dredging
 TDDG - Tax District Loan Dredging