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Mr. Jeffery Bossart
IHDNSWC
Building D-327, 101 Strauss Avenue
Indian Head, MD 20640

Project: 01-NT-0317/200165174
Indian Head Town Gut Landfill Capping,

Dear Mr. Bossart:

The Nontidal Wetlands and Waterways Division has reviewed your application to impact 18,700 sf of emergent nontidal wetlands and 36,300 sf of regulated buffer in order to cap an abandoned land fill. Since the project temporarily impacts the wetlands, we have determined that it qualifies for a Letter of Authorization and a Category III/A MDSPGP and WQC.

Prior to issuance of any authorizations, the Division must receive two copies of the full sized grading plans for the complete and entire project that clearly show:

1. The wetland and buffer boundaries;
2. The limits of disturbance;
3. Sediment controls that adequately protect aquatic resources;
4. Existing and proposed conditions; and
5. A plan that adequately restores 18,700 sf of emergent nontidal wetlands to the appropriate vegetated condition, grades, elevations, and hydrological conditions.

In the interim, the Division will advertise the project description on the State subscription list. We will notify you if any adverse comments are received so that they may be addressed. Be sure to reference the assigned tracking numbers on your resubmittal. Please contact me at 410-414-2400 or at jcole@toad.net if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Judy Broersma-Cole
Wetlands Specialist

cc: Corps – Richie Bulavinetz
Sediment and Stormwater – Jim Tracy