

State of Maryland

2016 Prior Authorization Fact Sheet

(1) Senate Sponsor	(2) House Sponsor	(3) Project Name
Sen. Mathias	Del. Otto	Bending Water Park
(4) Jurisdiction		(5) Contact Information
Somerset County		Name: Mike Hinman Email: james.mathias@senate.state.md.us Phone:
(6) Legislator Request		
Extend the grant termination date from June 1, 2015, to June 1, 2018.		
(7a) Original Senate Bond Bill		(8a) Original House Bond Bill
		hb1007 of 2008
(7b) Senate Chapter		(8b) House Chapter
		Ch. 336 Item: ZA02(BU)
(7c) Senate Prior Authorization		(8c) House Prior Authorization
(9) In your own words, please describe in detail the project's background and your need for a prior authorization.		
(10) If you are requesting an extension of the date upon which evidence of a matching fund must be presented to the Board of Public Works, please explain the need for the extension. When do you expect to raise the requisite amount of matching funds, if at all?		
(11) If you are requesting a modification of the type of matching funds (e.g., real property, in-kind contributions, or prior funds expended) that can be used to meet your match, or are requesting the matching fund requirement be changed from an equal match to unequal match or removed altogether, please explain why the change is necessary.		
(12) If you are requesting an extension of the date upon which the bond funds must be expended or encumbered by the Board of Public Works, please explain the need for an extension. When do you expect to expend or encumber the funds?		
An extension is being requested due to the death of the Accohannock Tribe's Chief. The Accohannock's operate and own Bending Water Park and need additional time to secure financial records and contracts for the construction of the kitchen building and other qualifying projects on the property. An extension until June 2017 by which bond funds must be expended is being requested. The matching fund requirement has been met.		
(13) If you are requesting to use the funds for another purpose or to expand the scope of the project, please explain the reason and need for the change.		

(14) If you are requesting to modify the name of the grantee organization, add another grantee organization, or remove a grantee organization, please explain the reason and need for the change. If applicable, do those organizations being added or removed as grantee consent to the change?

(15) If this is an emergency bill, please explain the need for such action.