

HOUSE BILL 649

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By: **Prince George's County Delegation**

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County – Clean Water Program – Report**

3 **PG 404–15**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Prince George's County Department of Environmental
5 Resources to prepare a certain report on the county funding plan established for the
6 Clean Water Program of Prince George's County; requiring the report to include
7 certain information relating to the collection and use of program funds and certain
8 recommendations concerning residential fee structures under the program;
9 requiring the Department to submit the report to the Prince George's County
10 Delegation by a certain date; defining a certain term; and generally relating to the
11 Clean Water Program of Prince George's County.

12 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
13 That:

14 (a) In this section, "program" means the Clean Water Program of Prince George's
15 County.

16 (b) The Prince George's County Department of Environmental Resources shall
17 prepare a report on the county funding plan established for the program.

18 (c) The report prepared under subsection (b) of this section shall include:

19 (1) the total amount and sources of funding for the program;

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

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1 (2) the amount of stormwater remediation fees collected from different
2 categories of property in Prince George's County;

3 (3) standards for determining fee reductions and modifications for property
4 owners under the program;

5 (4) the number of property owners applying for fee reductions or
6 modifications and the number of property owners receiving fee reductions or modifications;

7 (5) the number, types, and amounts of rebates provided to property owners
8 under the program;

9 (6) the amount and status of uncollected stormwater remediation fees and
10 a description of methods for collecting overdue fees;

11 (7) the amount and status of penalties levied and remedies pursued for
12 overdue fees;

13 (8) the number of new jobs and green local businesses created in Prince
14 George's County with program funds;

15 (9) the restoration efforts funded by the program; and

16 (10) recommendations on whether there is a need to change residential fee
17 structures under the program, including the status of and participation in the Alternative
18 Compliance Program.

19 (d) On or before July 1, 2016, the Prince George's County Department of
20 Environmental Resources shall submit the report prepared under this section to the Prince
21 George's County Delegation in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article.

22 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
23 1, 2015.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.