

# State Of Maryland

## 2021 Bond Initiative Fact Sheet

<b>1. Name Of Project</b>		
American Legion Post No. 47 Dock		
<b>2. Senate Sponsor</b>	<b>3. House Sponsor</b>	
Cassilly	Johnson	
<b>4. Jurisdiction</b> (County or Baltimore City)	<b>5. Requested Amount</b>	
Harford County	\$280,000	
<b>6. Purpose of Bond Initiative</b>		
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of a boat dock at the American Legion Post No. 47		
<b>7. Matching Fund</b>		
Requirements:	Type:	
Grant		
<b>8. Special Provisions</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian	
<b>9. Contact Name and Title</b>	<b>Contact Ph#</b>	<b>Email Address</b>
Delegate Johnson		steve.johnson@house.state.md.us
Senator Cassilly		
<b>10. Description and Purpose of Organization</b> (Limit length to visible area)		
<p>The American Legion strengthens our communities, states and nation with programs and services for our veterans, the military and their families. The Joseph L Davis American Legion Post #47 in Havre de Grace resides in one of the oldest facilities to host an American Legion in the United States. The post is at a gateway to Havre de Grace and backs directly to the Susquehanna. The Post features a small wharf and boat ramp where members and visitors may dock and launch their water vessels. The wharf serves as a conduit for the Post to adhere to and accomplish the missions of, the American Legion's four pillars (i.e. programs supporting Veterans Affairs, National Security, Americanism, Children &amp; Youth)</p>		

**11. Description and Purpose of Project** (Limit length to visible area)

The wharf provides the ability to partner with recreational rehab programs such as Heroes on the Water, provide a permanent location for Liberty Launch (a nonprofit veteran sailing program), be the site for Maryland 100 Miles for Hope campaign raising funds for the Veterans and Children Fdtn, act as a home base for the MD DNR patrol boat and a jumping off point for the Susquehanna Hose Company's water rescue team. The Post will have to cease wharf operation this season for the first time as the piers have become unsafe, the pylons are unset, the dredge is too deep and the bulk head is ready to give way. This funding will allow the Legion to host more boats, continue operations and partnerships with area nonprofits and increase the Post's ability to fundraise. This grant will be used to replace the bulkhead, dredge, reset pylons for both floating docks and all finger piers, and replace rotted board and rusted/brittle hardware.

*Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.*

**12. Estimated Capital Costs**

<b>Acquisition</b>	
<b>Design</b>	
<b>Construction</b>	\$281,000
<b>Equipment</b>	
<b>Total</b>	\$281,000

**13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)**

MDGA Grant	\$280,000
Inkind contributions and fundraising	\$950
<b>Total</b>	\$280,950

<b>14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)</b>			
<b>Begin Design</b>	<b>Complete Design</b>	<b>Begin Construction</b>	<b>Complete Construction</b>
n/a	n/a	ASAP	Sept 2021
<b>15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised</b>		<b>16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site</b>	<b>17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete</b>
3000.00		50,000	estimated to more than double
<b>18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years</b>			
<b>Legislative Session</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	
none			
<b>19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee</b>		<b>Project Address (If Different)</b>	
Joseph L Davis American Legion Post No. 47		501 Saint John St Havre de Grace, MD 21078	
<b>20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located</b>		34A - Harford County	
<b>21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)</b>			
<b>Local Govt.</b>	<b>For Profit</b>	<b>Non Profit</b>	<b>Federal</b>
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<b>22. Grantee Legal Representative</b>		<b>23. If Match Includes Real Property:</b>	
<b>Name:</b>	Jason Robertson, 2nd Vic Commander	<b>Has An Appraisal Been Done?</b>	<b>Yes/No</b>
<b>Phone:</b>	484-459-5683		No
<b>Address:</b>		<b>If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value</b>	
414 Bourbon St. Havre de Grace, MD 21078			

<b>24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site</b>			
<b>Current # of Employees</b>	<b>Projected # of Employees</b>	<b>Current Operating Budget</b>	<b>Projected Operating Budget</b>
0	0	0.00	280950.00
<b>25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)</b>			
<b>A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?</b>			Own
<b>B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?</b>			No
<b>C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?</b>			No
<b>D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:</b>			
<b>Lessee</b>	<b>Terms of Lease</b>	<b>Cost Covered by Lease</b>	<b>Square Footage Leased</b>
<b>E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:</b>			
<b>Name of Leaser</b>	<b>Length of Lease</b>	<b>Options to Renew</b>	
<b>26. Building Square Footage:</b>			
<b>Current Space GSF</b>	87,000 sq		
<b>Space to be Renovated GSF</b>	20,000 sq		
<b>New GSF</b>	it will stay the same		

**27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion**

1994

**28. Comments**

Post #47 is a cornerstone in our community and has been for more than 100years. This past year, the post has: hosted a continual food pantry for area residents in need; provided a facility and received donations for the annual community Thanksgiving feast; honored fallen veterans by leading the community in a Wreaths Across America event and memorial Day ceremonies; partnered with area VSO's MSOs and government organizations to provide veterans, members of the military and their families with necessary resources such as burial plots and information, mental health therapy and activities, housing, Christmas gifts, and personal necessities; have aided myriad community groups, from local schools and youth sports teams to other membership organizations and non profits, in their efforts to fundraise; and have provided our members with a community of their own (comradery is often something service members miss) through functions such as dinners, tournaments and family fun nights. The wharf is a big part of the Post's functions. The repairs needed are far greater than local fundraising can support.

\*\* As a side note: Del. Johnson's name does not appear on #3 as the House sponsor and we were unable to add it.