

Subject: Interim Amendment of the

2015 Master Plan for Water & Sewerage

To: Tom Meunier, Director

Department of Public Works

Thru: Amy Gowan, Director

Department of Planning and Zoning

From: Ed Coleman, Chair

Howard County Planning Board

Date: November 8, 2022

On October 6, 2022, the Planning Board held a public hearing on a proposal to add the Lyhus Property to the inventories of the existing and planned permit discharges and the existing and proposed multi-use community well and surface water supply in the 2015 Water and Sewer Master Plan. The Planning Board considered the technical staff report prepared by the Department of Planning and Zoning (DPZ) and testimony from DPZ and the Department of Public works.

In accordance with County policies and procedures, specifically Section 22.405, the Water and Sewer Master Plan and its amendments are required to be consistent with the General Plan and specifically to support the housing and employment growth projections within the Plan. The Lyhus Property multi-use shared sewerage facility system and multi-use shared water wells are located outside of the Planned Service Area Boundary (PSA) for water and sewer and requires no connection to the PSA. Therefore, the addition of these facilities does not impact PlanHoward 2030's residential or job growth projections.

The Board agreed that the amendment was consistent with the General Plan and voted 5-0 recommending approval.

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