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MEMORANDUM

To: Development Community and the General Public

From: Leonard W. Walinski, LEHS
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Re: Start of the Fall 2023 and 2024 Wet Season Soil Testing

Date: October 4, 2023

The Harford County Health Department, Bureau of Environmental Health will begin accepting Fall 2023/2024 Wet Season Soil Testing Applications on November 1, 2023. Once observed water table levels in the Department's network of groundwater monitoring wells indicate "Wet Season" conditions, this office will contact the applicant to schedule the soil test.

This office strongly recommends that wet season percolation applications be submitted as soon as possible. Depending on the volume of applications received and the possibility of lower than normal water table levels near the end of a typical wet season, applications received later in the season are sometimes not able to be scheduled in the current wet season.

The start and ending date of the wet season will be based, whenever possible, on real time monitoring well data. The application must be completely filled out with a site plan provided if applicable. All incomplete applications will be returned.

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