

STATE OF MARYLAND
DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT
WATER AND SCIENCE ADMINISTRATION

WATER APPROPRIATION AND USE PERMIT

Permit Number: CO1996G004(04)
Effective Date: October 15, 2018
Expiration Date: September 30, 2030
First Appropriation: April 1, 1996




SHORE SAND AND GRAVEL, LLC

Hereinafter referred to as the "Permittee", is authorized by the Water and Science Administration, hereinafter referred to as the "Administration" pursuant to the provisions of Title 5 of the Environment Article, Annotated Code of Maryland (2013 replacement volume) as amended, to appropriate and use waters of the State subject to the following conditions:

1. Allocation - The water withdrawal granted by this permit is limited to:
 - A daily average of 2,170,000 gallons on a yearly basis and
 - A daily average of 3,520,000 gallons for the month of maximum use.
2. Use - The water is to be used for a sand and gravel wash operation at the Bridgetown pit.
3. Source - The water shall be taken from one pond in the Columbia aquifer.
4. Location - The point(s) of withdrawal shall be located at 15890 Oakland Road, on the west side of Oakland Road (Rt-312) approximately 0.7-mile northeast of its junction with Ruthsburg Bridgetown Road, Bridgetown, Caroline County, Maryland.

5. Right of Entry - The Permittee shall allow authorized representatives of the Administration access to the Permittee's facility to conduct inspections and evaluations necessary to assure compliance with the conditions of this permit. The Permittee shall provide such assistance as may be necessary to effectively and safely conduct such inspections and evaluations.
6. Permit Review - The Permittee will be queried every three years (triennial review) regarding water use under the terms and conditions of this permit. Failure to return the triennial review query will result in suspension or revocation of this permit.
7. Permit Renewal - This permit will expire on the date indicated on the first page of this permit. In order to renew the permit the Permittee shall file a renewal application with the Administration no later than 45 days prior to the expiration.
8. Permit Suspension or Revocation - This permit may be suspended or revoked by the Administration upon violation of the conditions of this permit, or upon violation of any regulation promulgated pursuant to Title 5 of the Environment Article, Annotated Code of Maryland (2013 Replacement Volume) as amended.
9. Change of Operations - Any anticipated change in appropriation which may result in a new or different use, quantity, source, or place of use of water shall be reported to the Administration by the Permittee by submission of a new application.
10. Additional Permit Conditions - The Administration may at anytime (including triennial permit review or when a change application is submitted) revise any condition of this permit or add additional conditions concerning the character, amount, means and manner of the appropriation or use, which may be necessary to properly protect, control and manage the water resources of the State. Condition revisions and additions will be accomplished by issuance of a revised permit.
11. Drought Period Emergency Restrictions - If the Administration determines that a drought period or emergency exists, the Permittee may be required under the Department's direction to stop or reduce water use. Any cessation or reduction of water use must continue for the duration of the drought period or emergency, or until the Administration directs the Permittee that water use under standard permit conditions may be resumed.
12. Non-Transferable - This permit is non-transferable. A new owner may acquire authorization to continue this appropriation by filing a new application with the Administration. Authorization will be accomplished by issuance of a new permit.

13. Flow Measurement - The Permittee shall measure all water used by a method which accurately reflects the quantity withdrawn.
14. Withdrawal Reports - The Permittee shall submit to the Administration, semi-annually (July-December, no later than January 31st and January-June, no later than July 31st), pumping records. These records shall show the total quantity of water withdrawn each month under this permit.
15. Permit Supersession - This permit supersedes the Appropriation and Use granted by the following prior permit(s) issued to:
SHORE SAND AND GRAVEL, LLC effective on September 1, 2006 (CO1996G004 (03))


Saïd Kasraei
Administrator
Water Supply Program

10/12/2018
Date



Maryland
Department of
the Environment

Larry Hogan, Governor
Boyd K. Rutherford, Lt. Governor
Ben Grumbles, Secretary
Horacio Tablada, Deputy Secretary

October 12, 2018

CERTIFIED MAIL – 7016 0340 0000 5594 1087
Return Receipt Requested

Shore Sand and Gravel, LLC
PO Box 2000
Gambrills MD 21054

RE: State Water Appropriation and Use Permit No. CO1996G004(04)

Dear Mr. Vilece:

Enclosed is your State Water Appropriation and Use Permit. The Permittee is responsible for complying with all permit conditions. Accordingly, you are advised to carefully read the Permit and become thoroughly familiar with its requirements.

A semi-annual Water Withdrawal Report is required by this permit. Forms for making this report will be mailed to you in June and December of each year and shall be submitted to this office by the following July and January respectively. If you have any questions, please contact this office at (410) 537-3590.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Robert Peoples".

Robert Peoples
Water Supply Program

cc: Caroline County Health Department