

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION & SUSTAINABILITY

Interoffice Memo

TO: Lisa Bledsoe
Stream Restoration East
Watershed Restoration Section of EPS

FROM: Vincent J. Gardina /signed/
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DATE: November 17, 2015

SUBJECT: LONG QUARTER BRANCH AT SHETLAND HILLS DRIVE
STREAM RESTORATION
Stormwater Management Variance
Loch Raven Watershed
EPS Project ID: M150174
Tracking Number: 03-15-2108

This office has reviewed the information submitted and finds that a stormwater management variance can be granted for this project under Section 33-4-113 (a) (2) of Title 4 of the Baltimore County Code. This section of the regulations allows a stormwater management variance to be granted if there are exceptional circumstances such that strict adherence to the provisions of this article would result in unreasonable hardship or practical difficulty and not fulfill the intent of the regulations.

This project is for the restoration of Long Quarter Branch stream. The existing cover conditions will be re-established once the restoration is completed. Although the disturbed area is in excess of 5,000 square feet, there will be no increase in impervious area or runoff as a result of this project.

Please contact Michael P. Doyle of my staff at 410-887-3768 should you have any questions.

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