Gloucester County Chesapeake Bay Preservation and Erosion Commission Meeting:

Notice is hereby given of a Gloucester County Chesapeake Bay Preservation and Erosion Commission hearing to be held Wednesday September 10, 2025, immediately following the Wetlands Board meeting, which begins at 6:30pm. The meeting will be held in the Colonial Courthouse, Court Circle - Gloucester, Virginia. All interested parties are invited to attend the meeting and express their views on these matters. Citizen comments may also be submitted prior to the public hearing by two different methods:

An online form is available on the County's website at: www.gloucesterva.gov/citizencomment. Please follow the instructions on the form to indicate your comments are for this specific public hearing.

Comments may be submitted by US Mail to County Administration, ATTN: PUBLIC HEARING, 6489 Main Street, Gloucester, VA 23061. Any mailed comments must include your name, your magisterial district, and the title of this public hearing clearly printed at the top, and all such comments must be received by the scheduled date of this hearing. Please type or print all comments legibly.

Comments submitted through one of these methods prior to the scheduled public hearings must be received by the County, no later than close of business on September 10, 2025, will be read during the public hearing.

"Form letters," consisting of communications which are verbatim duplicates (other than the identifying information of the author/submitter) of one or more other communications received by the County pertaining to the matter to be considered at the public hearing or public comment period, shall be read only once per letter, along with the list of persons submitting the same comments pursuant to such "form letter".

The following applications seeking a buffer modification to the required 100-foot resource protection area will be heard by the Chesapeake Bay Preservation & Erosion Commission:

CBPEC 25-16 – Stephen Barrs seeking authorization for encroachment into the 100' buffer for construction of a driveway extension, detached garage, patio, and walkways at Tax Map 51-231 in Gloucester County, Virginia.

CBPEC 25-17 – Gordon West Jr. seeking authorization for encroachment into the 100' buffer for an after-the-fact 14' x 30' shed at Tax Map 47-31 in Gloucester County, Virginia.

CBPEC 25-19 – Donna Garrett seeking authorization for encroachment into the 100' buffer to build a multi-tiered retaining wall at Tax Map 37A(1)-13 in Gloucester County, Virginia.

Interested parties are invited to attend the meetings. Applications may be reviewed in the Environmental Programs Office, 6489 Main Street – Suite 235, during regular business hours.

Walter Priest, Chairman Gloucester County Wetlands Board Chesapeake Bay Preservation & Erosion Commission