



PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY

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Department of Environmental Resources



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WMD Waste Management Division

3500 Brown Station Road
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To manage the collection, recycling, reduction, and disposal of municipal solid waste in an efficient, cost-effective and safe manner, while complying with all Federal, State and local regulatory requirements.

What We Do

- Provide residential refuse, recycling and yard waste curbside collection
- Operate two convenience drop-off centers for recycling and yard waste
- Provide bulky trash collection that includes appliances, furniture and other large items not collected by your regular trash service
- Operate the Brown Station Road Sanitary Landfill
- Manage the Materials Recycling Facility, including tours
- Oversee the operation of the Household Hazardous Waste Acceptance Site and the Electronics Recycling Acceptance Site
- Manage the Prince George's County Yard Waste Composting Facility, including tours
- Support the educational outreach programs and volunteer efforts of Keep Prince George's County Beautiful

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Welcome to DER

Our mission is to provide animal management, building and property sustainability services, solid waste management, and stormwater management to the County's citizens, residents and businesses in order to provide safe communities and a clean environment.

We take pride in our work and our community relations. As part of our ongoing commitment to excellence in customer service, we have implemented DERcares@co.pg.md.us, an e-mail address that allows citizens to ask questions, lodge complaints or offer accolades.



AMD Animal Management Division

3750 Brown Station Road
Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772
(301) 780-7200

To provide for the health and welfare of the County's animal population through enforcement of the Animal Control Ordinance, resolution of animal-related disputes, and the promotion of adoptions, licensing, spay/neuter, and humane education.

What We Do

- Enforce the County's Animal Control Ordinance
- Issue pet licenses as required by law
- Investigate cases of cruelty to animals
- Operate a shelter for stray and unwanted animals
- Provide an adoption program for animals at the shelter
- Locate and secure stray animals
- Promote the importance of animal safety awareness
- Provide low-cost spay/neuter services

ASD Administrative Services Division

9400 Peppercorn Place
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Largo, Maryland 20774
(301) 883-5950

To manage the fiscal, personnel and technology resources, community/legislative affairs, Boards and Commissions and public outreach activities in furtherance of the Department's overall mission.

What We Do

- Develop and monitor the Operating and Capital Improvement Project budgets
- Implement personnel policies and manage human resources within the Department
- Develop and coordinate diverse informational programs and publications for the community
- Oversee Boards and Commissions
- Contract and Grant Administration
- Provide reliable communications and technical support to the Department
- Analyze legislation
- Investigate and respond to customer complaints/inquiries



ESD Environmental Services Division

9400 Peppercorn Place
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Largo, Maryland 20774
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To promote environmental awareness and community involvement through outreach efforts, planning, development, and implementation of environmental programs that protect our communities and natural resources.

What We Do

- Manage stormwater quality protection programs
- Reduce flood damage by regulating development in floodplain areas
- Restore degraded streams and ponds
- Promote environmental awareness through outreach activities
- Plan, design and construct capital improvement projects for flood control, water quality improvement and environmental enhancement
- Allocate water and sewer service
- Respond to questions and concerns regarding drainage and water quality problems
- Conduct community cleanup programs
- Develop and implement special programs focusing on industrial and residential pollution prevention, and the revitalization of older communities

LID Licenses & Inspections Division

1801 McCormick Drive
Suite 120
Largo, Maryland 20774
(301) 883-3820

To protect the natural and man-made environment in Prince George's County, as well as the safety and welfare of our citizens, by ensuring that businesses and individuals comply with State and County licensing laws, and by enforcing codes and regulations in a fair and professional manner.

What We Do

- Provide oversight of construction activities for residential construction and commercial tenant renovations
- Provide for the inspection, monitoring and compliance of active construction and land development activities
- Provide oversight of the third party inspection process required for new commercial construction
- Perform U&O inspections to verify conformance with Building, Fire and Zoning Code regulations
- Issue licenses and regulate various business activities under the County Code
- Enforce the Building, Electrical, Mechanical and Accessibility Codes, and the Fire Ordinance
- Handle complaints related to construction activities

PRD Permits & Review Division

9400 Peppercorn Place
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(301) 883-5924

To protect the natural and man-made environment by providing technical support to the development community through the review and approval of permits and plans for residential and commercial construction.

What We Do

- Review and approve all permit applications for construction and alterations of residential and commercial buildings
- Provide a one-stop permit approval process to ensure that permits are reviewed in a timely manner
- Provide same day approval for projects that meet the "walk-through" requirements
- Respond to questions and concerns regarding the status and issuance of permits, engineering plans and other issues related to building construction
- Collect fees pertaining to development and permit processing
- Provide document screening for permit application submittals

PSD Property Standards Division

1220 Caraway Court
Suite 1050
Largo, Maryland 20774
(301) 883-6100

To make Prince George's County livable and beautiful by enforcing property maintenance standards and appropriate zoning laws to ensure that communities are free of litter and abandoned vehicles.

What We Do

- Conduct on-site inspections of existing structures to ensure buildings are properly maintained
- Inspect commercial and industrial properties for code violations such as trash and debris, broken windows, and building and parking areas that are in disrepair
- Enforce the Housing Code and the Zoning and Anti-Litter and Weed Ordinances
- Regulate the placement of signs on private property
- Ensure that all residential dwellings are maintained in a safe and secure manner
- Remove abandoned vehicles from public rights-of-way