

which will provide enjoyment for the general public through a setting of natural solitude (Natural Resources Article, secs. 8-401 to 8-404).

UPPER POTOMAC RIVER COMMISSION

Chairman: John J. McMullen, Jr., 1977

Allegheny County Representative: William L. Geppert, 1975

Garrett County Representative: John Adams, Jr., 1979

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The Upper Potomac River Commission, established in 1935, consists of three members appointed for six-year terms. The Governor appoints the Chairman, the Commissioners of Allegheny County appoint a second member, and the Commissioners of Garrett County appoint a third. The Commission has jurisdiction over the water resources of Allegheny County and of Election District Number 4 (Bloomington) in Garrett County. In July, 1953, the Commission took charge of the Savage River Dam, erected by the Army Corps of Engineers (Acts 1935, chap. 409; Acts 1936, chap. 143; Acts 1947, chap. 165).

MARYLAND ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST

Chairman: George S. Wills, 1977

Vice Chairman: Mrs. Thomas B. Eastman, 1976

Treasurer: Charles R. Anderson, 1976

Secretary: Richard W. Emory, Jr., 1974

Ex officio members: Marvin Mandel, Governor of Maryland; Julian Lapidés, designate of William S. James, President of the Senate; John Hanson Briscoe, Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Trustees: Jeanette Leath, 1974; Mrs. J. M. P. Wright, 1974; John E. Clark, 1975; Lucile Roeder, 1975; Charles E. Wise, Jr., 1975; K. King Burnett, 1976; Mrs. T. Hughlett Henry, Jr., 1977; Milton Kaufmann, 1977.

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The Maryland Environmental Trust was created by Chapter 648, Acts of 1967, to conserve, improve, stimulate and perpetuate the aesthetic, natural health, scenic and cultural qualities of the Maryland environment. The Trust is also to encourage the people of the State to do so and to promote the continuing interest in and study in such matters.

The Trust consists of fifteen trustees of whom twelve were originally appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate for terms varying from one to four years. As the initial terms expired, the trustees elected the successors for four year terms. The Governor, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates serve as ex officio members. The Commission selects its own officers, the Director of the Trust, and other employees as may be necessary.

The Trust absorbed and expanded the functions and activities of the Governor's Committee to Keep Maryland Beautiful (Natural Resources Article, secs. 3-201 to 3-211).

Appropriations	1973	1974
General Funds	\$47,693	\$52,589
Staff: 3.		