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PRINCE GEORGE'S PARISH, FREDERICK COUNTY

[A PETITION, UNDATED, BUT APPARENTLY OF THIS PERIOD, FROM THE VESTRY, CHURCHWARDENS, AND FREEHOLDERS OF PRINCE GEORGE'S PARISH, PRAYING THE PASSAGE OF AN ACT TO DIVIDE THE PARISH.]

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To his Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esq.<sup>r</sup> Governer and Commander in Chief in and over the Province of Mary Land and the Hon.<sup>ble</sup> the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly

The Petition of the Vestry men Church Wardens & freeholders of Prince Georges Parish in Fred.<sup>k</sup> County humbly Sheweth—That the said Parrish is so Extensive which makes it so Inconvenient that the Chief or Gratest part of the Inhabitants thereof, Can but verry Seldom Repair to Public Worship to the Great Discouragement of Religion and virtue, and we therefore take leave, as the Said Parrish is now Very Sufficient to Support two Ministers, to pray your Hon.<sup>rs</sup> will make an Act to divide the Said Parrish by a line Drawn from the lower falls of Potomack, to Will.<sup>m</sup> Richardson Bridge that Crosses Patuxent River by said Richardsons Dwelling Plantation or at any other Place your Hon.<sup>rs</sup> In your grater Wisdom may think more Convenient and your Petitioners in Duty Bound Will Pray.  
Sign'd by the Vestry men & Church Wardens

Vestrymen Viz. <sup>t</sup>	Church Wardens
Nathan Magruder	William Fee
Robert Owen	Edward Gaither
James White	
Samuell Magruder	
Lau <sup>ce</sup> Owen	
William Lee	
Hezekiah Magruder	

Zadock Magruder  
James Beall Sr.

John Madox  
Alex Jackson