Maryland Department of Natural Resources
Program Open Space (POS) Local Grant

Development & Capital Renewal Application and Project Agreement

POS PROJECT # 8086-1-511
(DNR Use Only)

1. PROJECT INFORMATION: Please fill out all sections of the form completely unless otherwise indicated.

PARK NAME Allegany College of Maryland

PROJECT NAME Wetlands Boardwalk Repair

2. PROJECT LOCATION: Please identify all applicable parcels.

Street Address: 12401 Willowbrook Road MD Legislative District ~~1C~~ 1B

City/Town Cumberland County Allegany Zip Code 21502

County Tax Map 0026 Grid 0012 Parcel 0035 Lot 100003.1

SDAT Account Identifier 22-002619
District-Subdivision-Account Number or Ward-Section-Block-Lot (as applicable)

3. PROJECT DETAILS:

a. Type of project: Development X Capital Renewal X

b. Is this project located in a Priority Funding Area (PFA)? Yes X No

If this project is not in a PFA, does it serve population from more than one PFA? Yes No

c. Is this project constructing an indoor facility? (If 'Yes', please answer the following) Yes No X

i. Is the indoor facility 7,500 square feet or greater? Yes No

ii. If this is an indoor facility and the facility is 7,500 square feet or greater, please acknowledge the following:

iii. The facility will meet the equivalent of LEED Green Building Rating System Silver rating. Initial Here

iv. The facility will incorporate the nonstructural site design practices in the Maryland Stormwater Design Manual in COMAR 26.17.02. Initial Here

d. Is this project located within a Coast Smart Climate Ready Action Boundary? https://mdfloodmaps.net/CRAB/ (If 'Yes', please answer the following) Yes No X

i. Is the total cost of this project $500,000 or greater? Yes No

ii. Does this project include a structure? For the Coast Smart Construction Program, a "structure" is defined as a walled or roofed building; a manufactured home; or a gas or liquid storage tank that is principally above ground. Yes No

iii. If this project is located within a Coast Smart Climate Ready Action Boundary, is $500,000 or greater, and includes a structure, it may be subject to the Coast Smart Siting and Design Criteria. Please review the Coast Smart Construction Program document, and fill out and submit with your application the Coast Smart Project Screening Form in Appendix A: https://dnr.maryland.gov/climateresilience/Documents/2020-Coast-Smart-Program-Document-FINAL.pdf. Note that this form is still required even if the project qualifies for a categorical exemption.

iv. A waiver may be requested from one or more of the specific Siting or Design Criteria. To request a Waiver Consideration, please fill out and submit with your application the Coast Smart Criteria Waiver Form in Appendix B of the Coast Smart Construction Program document: https://dnr.maryland.gov/climateresilience/Documents/2020-Coast-Smart-Program-Document-FINAL.pdf

v. Please acknowledge that the project will meet any Coast Smart Siting and Design Criteria, as applicable. Initial Here

e. Please describe the public access that will be available on the property and note any restrictions or limitations, both prior and subsequent to park development:

The park is open to the public 7 days a week from dawn till dusk.

4. PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Descriptions are written into the agenda item, which is presented to the Maryland Board of Public Works for approval. Please explain the proposed project and be specific. Why is it being done and how does it relate to local recreation needs? Is it a new development, does it build upon an existing facility, or is it a capital renewal project? Provide all of the information that you feel is necessary to explain and justify the project. Attach a separate sheet, if necessary.

· The proposed project will remove the old boardwalk and provide a complete rebuild of structural , decking, and safety components. There is an established trail network and the boardwalk will reintroduce additional access points.

5. PROJECT PERIOD: From: 9/25/2026 Date of Letter of Acknowledgement or Letter of Concurrence (DNR Use Only)

To: 07/01/2027 Estimated Date of Completion (Must be filled in by Applicant)

Please provide a provide a proposed development schedule:

Design Start Date (if applicable) 01/01/2027 Design End Date 02/28/2027

Construction Start Date 04/01/2027 Construction End Date 07/01/2027

6. ITEMIZED DETAILED COST ESTIMATE: Round to the nearest dollar.

ITEM NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
1	Removal old boardwalk	1,500.00
2	Re-Design/ Engineering	1,500.00
3	Constuction of new boardwalk	34,500.00
	TOTAL DEVELOPMENT COSTS:	37,500.00

7. PROJECT FUNDING:

POS FUNDS REQUESTED:	**$**	**25,000**	~~**66**~~ **%**	66.5
PRIOR POS FUNDS APPROVED:	$		%	
LOCAL FUNDS:	$	12,500	~~34~~ %	33.5
OTHER FUNDS:	$		%	(Specify Source/Type)
TOTAL PROJECT COST:	**$**	**37,500**	**100 %**	

8. FEDERAL FUNDS: (check one of the options below)

a. The Applicant certifies that it has received Federal funds for this project. ____

Please indicate type of Federal fund received and amount: ____

b. The Applicant certifies that it has not received Federal funds for this project. X

9. APPLICANT INFORMATION: Note that the Applicant is also the County or Municipality that will be receiving the funding at reimbursement.

APPLICANT: Allegany County Commissioners | APPLICANT'S FEDERAL ID #: 52-6000870

10. LOCAL PROJECT COORDINATOR:

Courtney Jensen	Director Grants & Development	Advancement	Allegany College of Maryland
(Print Name)	(Title)	(Department)	(Organization)

12401 Willowbrook Road	Cumberland	MD	21502
(Mailing Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip)

301-784-5153	301-697-9006	Cjensen2@allegany.edu
(Phone Number)	(Mobile Number)	(Email Address)

11. LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORIZATION:

As the authorized representative of this Political Subdivision, I have read the terms of the "Project Agreement and General Conditions" of the Local Program Open Space (POS) Grants Manual and I agree to perform all work in accordance with the Manual, POS Law and Regulations, all applicable Local, State and Federal statutes and regulations, and with the attachments included herewith and made a part thereof.

(Signature)	David J Caporale (Print Name)	President, BOCC (Title/Organization)	9/22/2026 (Date)

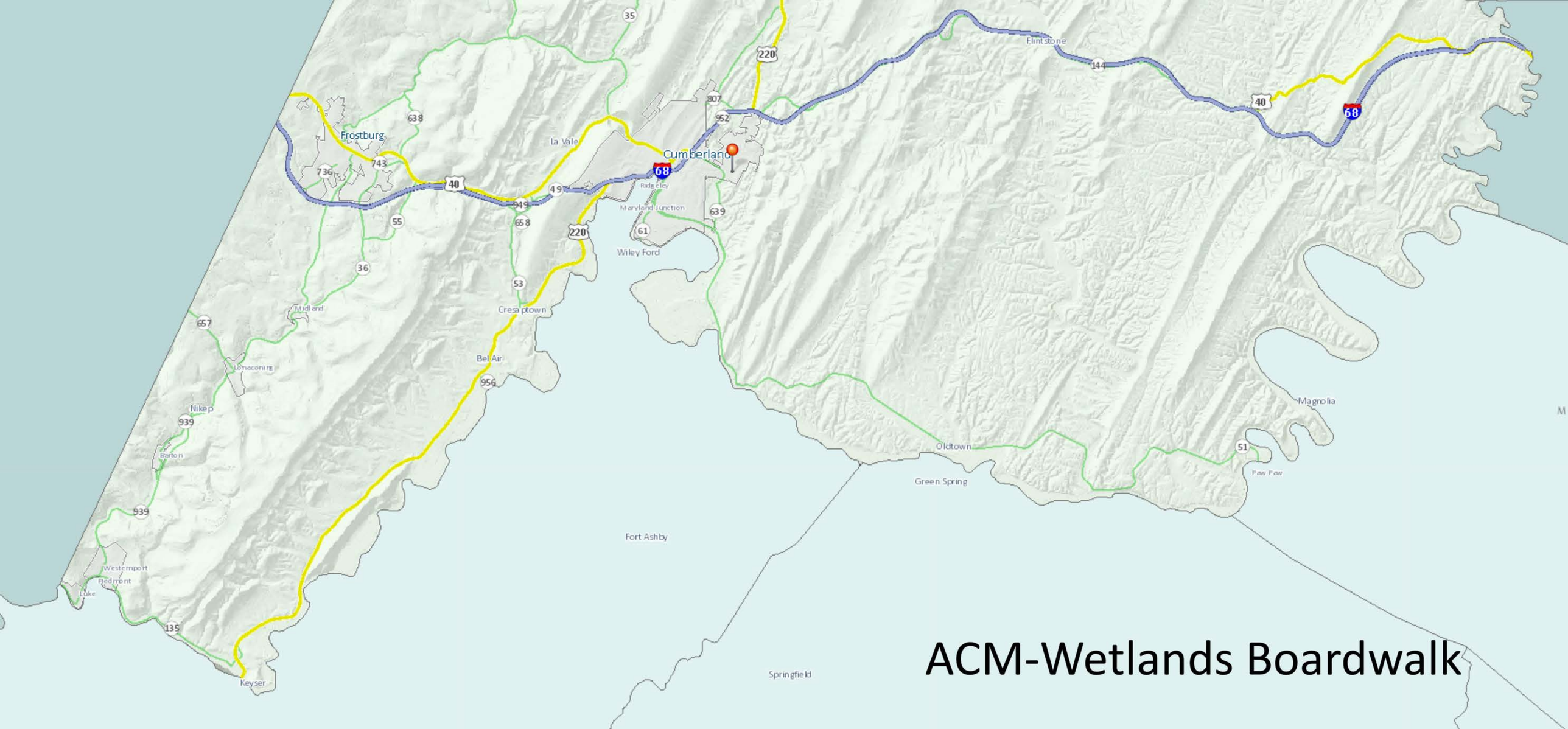
PROGRAM ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW: (DNR Use Only)

ON-SITE INSPECTION: DATE _____ BY _____

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES – PROGRAM OPEN SPACE APPROVAL:

(Signature)	(BPW Approval Date)	(BPW Agenda Item Number)

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ACM-Wetlands Boardwalk

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September 25, 2026

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September 22, 2026

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that the continued development of the ACM's Wetland Boardwalk is consistent with local plans and programs, including the Allegany County Comprehensive Plan. This project updates or replaces amenities at existing facilities and provides additional amenities to meet the needs of the community and general public, which is a goal in the current Allegany County Land Preservation, Parks, and Recreation Plan (2022).

Sincerely,

Andrew Cowan

POS Coordinator

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