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CERTIFIED MAIL/ELECTRONIC MAIL

Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access
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Re: Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access, AI# 142706, 20SR2432, MDR002432
Notice of Violation, Information Request
[Response Requested within 14 days]

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Maryland Department of the Environment, Water and Science Administration, Compliance Program (Department) is providing this Notice of Violation regarding the Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access located at 3201 Hubbard Rd in Prince George's, Maryland (Site). A review of the Department's records indicates that Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access has not completed the Chesapeake Bay Restoration requirement under the 12-SW General Permit No. 12SR2432 (Permit). Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access is required to comply with Part III.A of the 20-SW General Permit, Chesapeake Bay Restoration Requirements, and must select, design, install, and implement restoration of 20% of the untreated impervious surface area at the Site or equivalent control measures for the reduction of nutrients. The Site was required to complete restoration by 6/9/2019, and the Department has not received information regarding the completion of the required restoration. If the Chesapeake Bay Restoration requirement has been completed at Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access, please provide proof of completion to the Department as soon as possible.

Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access remains liable for the failure to complete the required Chesapeake Bay Restoration by 6/9/2019. If the Site cannot meet compliance on its property, water quality credits may be available in the credit purchasing region where the Site is located. The Department will consider the Site to be in compliance with the Chesapeake Bay Restoration requirement for the time periods that Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access is able to obtain credits retroactively through Maryland's Water Quality Trading (WQT) Program. Please be advised that the Department may pursue a formal enforcement action if Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access is unable to obtain the WQT credits for the full period of noncompliance.

Please be advised that the Water Quality Trading market is subject to annual variability, and does not absolve Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access of the obligation to comply with the conditions of the Permit. Furthermore, if Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access chooses to continue to utilize the WQT Program to satisfy the Chesapeake Bay Restoration requirement of the

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Permit, please be advised that Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access will need to purchase credits yearly, until sufficient restoration practices are implemented to satisfy the requirement. Please refer to the Department's Industrial Stormwater FAQs regarding purchasing credits on the Department's WQT webpage:

https://mde.maryland.gov/programs/water/WQT/Pages/WQT_Purchasing_Credits.aspx. For additional assistance, please contact the WQT Program at mde.wqtrading@maryland.gov.

The Department requests that Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access submit a written status update regarding Transdev Services, Inc. - WMATA Metro Access's efforts to comply with the Chesapeake Bay Restoration requirement, including any plan to purchase WQT credits from 6/9/2019 through the present within **fourteen (14) days** for the Department's consideration. If you fail or elect not to make contact, the Department will proceed with initiating a formal enforcement action.

Any questions regarding the new 20-SW General Permit should be directed to the Maryland Department of the Environment, Water and Science Administration, to either Paul Hlavinka (email paul.hlavinka@maryland.gov) or Casey Leach (email casey.leach@maryland.gov), or by telephone at 410-537-3323 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Thank you for your cooperation towards the resolution of this matter. If you have any questions regarding this information request, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Arno Laud, Deputy Program Manager, Compliance Program at (410) 537-3510 or by email at mde.wsaenforcement@maryland.gov.

Sincerely,



Andrew Gosden, Program Manager
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