August 5, 2024

Northern Bay P.O. Box 469 Rising Sun, MD 21911 Attn: Michael R. Estes

RE: BGE Granite Replacement Project

(Granite Gate Station to Parallel Drive) Stormwater Management Variance

Patapsco River and Gwynns Falls Watersheds

Project I.D. M210038

Tracking Number: 01-24-4159 04-24-4160

Dear Michael Estes;

This office has reviewed the information submitted and finds that a stormwater management variance can be granted for this project under Section 33-4-113 (a) (2) of Title 4 of the Baltimore County Code. Section 33-4-113 (a) (2) allows a stormwater management variance to be granted if there are exceptional circumstances such that strict adherence to the provisions of the design standards would result in unreasonable hardship or practical difficulty and not fulfill the intent of the regulations.

This project is for the excavation and installation of approximately 16,711 linear feet of 30" Over High Pressure (OHP) gas main by cut and cover and directional bore. The total limit of disturbance is approximately 1,192,488 square feet or 27.38 acres. The existing cover conditions will be re-established once the replacement gas main is installed. Although the disturbed area is in excess of 5,000 square feet, there will be no increase in impervious area or runoff resulting from the project.

Please contact Ella Kaplan, E.I.T. at 410-887-3768 should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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Kritty Udhin, P.E., Manager Stormwater Management

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