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Howard County Department of Recreation and Parks headquarters stormwater quality improvements to begin

ELLICOTT CITY, MD – A Howard County construction project to provide stormwater quality treatment to the Howard County Department of Recreation and Parks headquarters at 7120 Oakland Mills Road in Columbia is expected to begin on or about Saturday, April 2. The project will involve construction of a water quality facility comprised of a sand filter and forebay. The sand filter will capture, temporarily store and pass untreated stormwater runoff through a bed of sand. The filtered runoff will then be returned to the conveyance system or infiltrate into the underlying soil. Modifications and additions to the onsite storm drain system will also be constructed. Weather permitting, the project is expected to be completed by mid-June.

Vehicular traffic, pedestrian traffic and parking access will not be interrupted in the vicinity of the project.

For questions or concerns about Capital Project D-1160, contact Lisa Brightwell, Public Works Customer Service, at 410-313-3440 or by email to publicworks@howardcountymd.gov.

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