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April 21, 2014

Re: Notice of Permit Decision
Nontidal Wetlands and Waterways Permit Application
Tracking Number 12-NT-0433/201261660

Dear Property Owner, Public Official, or Interested Person:

After examination and consideration of the documents received and evidence in the application file and record for the proposed extension of an existing 26" natural gas pipeline (Line MB) for approximately 21.1 miles from the Owings Mills Metering and Regulating Station in Baltimore County to the Rutledge Compressor Station in Harford County submitted by NiSource/Columbia Gas Transmission LLC., the Water Management Administration has determined that the application meets the statutory and regulatory criteria necessary for issuance of a Wetlands and Waterway Permit. Copies of the permit and the Summary of the Basis for Decision are enclosed with this permit decision.

This is a final agency determination; there is no further opportunity for administrative review. Any person with standing, who is either the applicant or who participated in the public participation process through the submission of written or oral comments may petition for judicial review in the Circuit Court in the County where the permitted activity is to occur. The petition for judicial review must be filed within 30 days of the publication of the permit decision. Please see the attached Fact Sheet for additional information about the judicial review process.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 410-537-3766.

Sincerely,

Amanda Sigillito, Chief
Nontidal Wetlands Division

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Enclosures

