

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LA PLATA
Resolution No. 08-11

Introduced By: Mayor Roy G. Hale

Date Introduced: August 26, 2008

Amendments Adopted:

Date Adopted: August 26, 2008

Date Effective: August 26, 2008

1 A RESOLUTION concerning

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3 **Port Tobacco River Watershed Restoration Action Strategy**

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5 **FOR** the purpose of adopting the Port Tobacco River Watershed Restoration Action Strategy (June
6 20, 2007), subject to a certain condition.

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10 **WHEREAS**, a Port Tobacco River Watershed Restoration Action Strategy (“WRAS”) dated
11 June 20, 2007 was prepared for, and subsequently approved by the Charles County Commissioners on
12 July 31, 2007, pursuant to Commissioners Resolution 07-57; and

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14 **WHEREAS**, the purpose of the WRAS is to provide planning and fiscal estimates to guide
15 the restoration of the Port Tobacco Watershed, which includes lands that lie within the corporate
16 limits of the Town of La Plata; and

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18 **WHEREAS**, representatives of the Town of La Plata participated on the Steering Committee
19 that oversaw the preparation of the WRAS; and

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21 **WHEREAS**, the La Plata Planning Commission has recommended that the Town Council
22 endorse the WRAS; and

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24 **WHEREAS**, the Council of the Town of La Plata concurs that the WRAS generally provides
25 a reasonable roadmap for restoring water quality and reducing environmental degradation in the Port
26 Tobacco Watershed; and

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28 **WHEREAS**, the Town of La Plata has a long-standing policy not to extend its public sewer

29 system outside the Town's corporate limits; and
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32 **WHEREAS**, the Town Council’s endorsement of the WRAS should not be construed as a
33 commitment on the part of the Town to extend the Town’s public sewer system outside the Town’s
34 corporate limits in order to implement any of the strategies in the WRAS.
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36 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF**
37 **LA PLATA** that the Town Council endorses the WRAS, except that this endorsement is not a
38 commitment, and does not constitute an obligation, on the part of the Town of La Plata to extend the
39 Town’s public sewer system outside the Town’s corporate limits in order to implement any of the
40 strategies in the WRAS.
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42 **ADOPTED AND APPROVED** by the Council of the Town of La Plata on August 26, 2008.

SEAL:

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LA PLATA

Roy G. Hale, Mayor

James Goldsmith, Councilman

Scot D. Lucas, Councilman

ATTEST:

Paretta D. Mudd, Councilwoman

Judith T. Frazier, Town Clerk
Date_____

Vic E. Newman, Councilman