

# Draft Environmental Impact Statement Public Review and Public Hearings Announcement

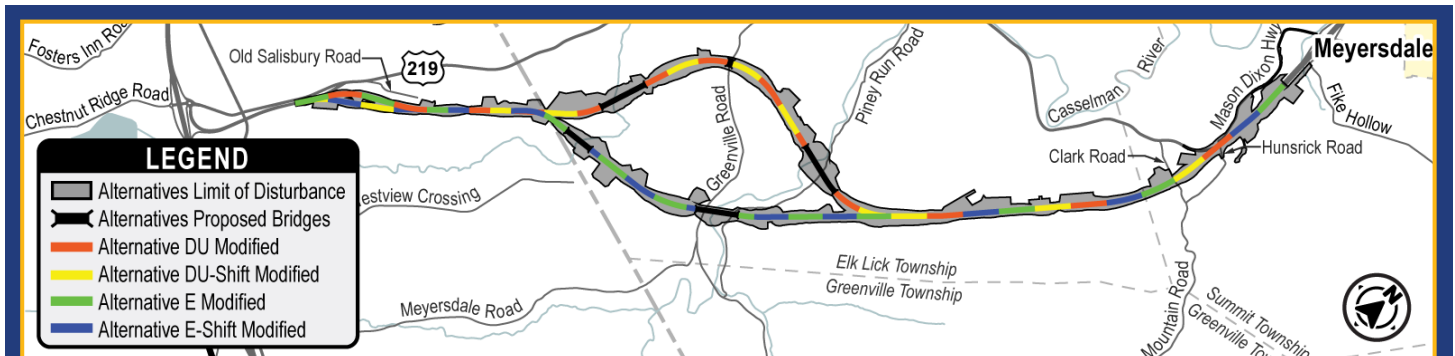
U.S. 219 Meyersdale, PA to Old Salisbury Road, MD

Public Comment Period Open from November 8, 2024 to January 13, 2025

## YOU'RE INVITED

The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) in partnership with the Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA), and in coordination with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) and the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE), invite you to provide feedback on the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) and related permit applications.

Please join us at one of two hearings for the DEIS, the Department of the Army (DA) 404 Permit Application (2014-523), the MDE Nontidal Wetlands and Waterways Permit Application (24-NT-3200), and the MDE Section 401 Water Quality Certification (24-WQC-0043). The details on the hearings can be found below. You may also provide comments in writing as noted on the back of this flyer.



### PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC HEARING Wednesday, December 11, 2024

Salisbury Volunteer Fire Dept. Station 618 Fire Hall  
385 Ord Street, Salisbury, PA 15558  
Open House **4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**  
Presentation/Testimony **5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**  
*This date is reserved for the DEIS and DA 404 Permit Application.*



To join the virtual  
**Pennsylvania** Public Hearing  
+1 443-709-8671  
Conference ID: 742 656 210#

<https://bit.ly/US219-PA-Hearing-Dec11>

### MARYLAND PUBLIC HEARING Thursday, December 12, 2024

Grantsville Volunteer Fire Dept. Social Hall  
178 Springs Road, Grantsville, MD 21536  
Open House **4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**  
Presentation/Testimony **5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**  
*This date is reserved for the DEIS, DA 404 Permit Application,  
MDE Nontidal Wetlands and Waterways Permit Application,  
and the MDE Section 401 Water Quality Certification.*



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## Where to View the DEIS Documents

To review the DEIS during the 45-day Public Comment Period, please visit the project website or at the following local public viewing locations. The website and these locations also have a detailed guide on how to prepare and provide testimony at the public hearings.

<b>Meyersdale Public Library</b> 210 Center Street Meyersdale, PA 15552 Phone: 814-634-0512	<b>Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County - Grantsville Branch</b> 102 Parkview Drive Grantsville, MD 21536 Phone: 301-895-5298	<b>Somerset County Library</b> 6022 Glades Pike, Ste. 120 Somerset, PA 15501 Phone: 814-445-5907	<b>Allegheny County Library System - Frostburg</b> 65 East Main Street Frostburg, MD 21532 Phone: 301-687-0790	<b>Mary S. Biesecker Public Library</b> 230 South Rosina Avenue Somerset, PA 15501 Phone: 814-445-4011
<b>PennDOT District 9-0</b> 1620 North Juniata Street Hollidaysburg, PA 16648 Phone: 814-696-7250	<b>FHWA - Pennsylvania Division</b> 30 North Third Street, Suite 700, Harrisburg, PA 17101 Phone: 717-221-3461	<b>SHA District 6</b> 1251 Vocke Road LaVale, MD 21502 Phone: 301-729-8400	<b>FHWA - Maryland Division</b> George H. Fallon Federal Building Federal Highway Administration 31 Hopkins Plaza, Suite 1520, Baltimore, MD 21201 Phone: 410-962-4440	

<https://www.penndot.pa.gov/US219meyersdalesouth>

## Public Hearing Participation Options

For your convenience, you may attend the hearings in person or online as detailed on the front of this flyer. In addition, a detailed guide on how to prepare your testimony is available on the website and at the locations noted above. There are four options including:

- **Public In-person Verbal Testimony:** Register at the hearing you are attending (5-minute time limit).
- **Public Virtual Verbal Testimony:** Register *no later than December 9, 2024, by 5:00 p.m.* by calling or emailing Brionna Marks, KCI Technologies, as noted below (5-minute time limit). Virtual participants are encouraged to join at 4:45 p.m. either day using the links provided on the front of this flyer.

- **Private Verbal Testimony:** Stenographers will be available from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on a first come first served basis.
- **Written Testimony:** May be submitted any time during the comment period to Brionna Marks, KCI Technologies, as noted below or provided at one of the public hearings.

The material presented at the open house, including an online comment form and other materials will be available on the project website.

The public hearing locations are accessible to persons with disabilities. Any persons having special needs or requiring special aids are requested to contact Brionna Marks, KCI Technologies, **before December 1, 2024**, in order to secure special accommodations.

## Contact Information

**Written Comments Must be Received Before January 13, 2025**

### Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS)

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### U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Specific Comments Contact

Re: DA 404 Permit Application (2014-523)

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Please refer to Permit 2014-523 in all feedback submitted.

### Maryland Department of the Environment Specific Comments

Re: Nontidal Wetlands and Waterways Permit Application (24-NT-3200) and Maryland Section 401 Water Quality Certification (24-WQC-0043)

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Please refer to Permit 24-NT-3200 or Certification 24-WQC-0043 in all feedback submitted.