## Department of Planning and Budget 2019 Fiscal Impact Statement

1.	Bill Number:	HB1779		
	House of Origin	Introduced	Substitute	Engrossed
	Second House	In Committee	Substitute	Enrolled

- **2. Patron:** Bloxom
- 3. Committee: Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources
- **4. Title:** Riparian planting ground; assignment eligibility.
- **5. Summary:** Reduces from 205 feet to 105 feet the minimum low-water shore front that makes a landowner eligible to apply for riparian planting grounds assignment by the Commissioner of the Marine Resources Commission. The bill provides that in the Lynnhaven River and its tributaries, the Commissioner shall assign to such land owner only a riparian planting ground that the Commissioner, in his discretion, deems appropriate to encompass as much as one-half acre of ground.
- 6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes. Front Page, HB1700/SB1100
- 7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary, see item 8.
  - 7a. Expenditure Impact: None.

## 7b. Revenue Impact:

Fiscal Year	Dollars	Fund
2019	\$0	General Fund
2020	\$11,228	General Fund
2021	\$11,228	General Fund
2022	\$11,228	General Fund
2023	\$11,228	General Fund
2024	\$11,228	General Fund
2025	\$11,228	General Fund

- **8. Fiscal Implications:** It is anticipated that any expenditure impact on the Marine Resources Commission (MRC) as a result of this bill can be absorbed within existing resources. MRC anticipates a slight growth in general fund revenue based on an expected increase in application, survey, and recording and assignment fees.
- 9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Marine Resources Commission.
- 10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.