

APPENDIX I

Buffer Evaluation Form

The Pollution Control Strategy for the Inland Bay Watershed encourages the planting of trees and other plants adjacent to all waters and wetlands. This form may be used to evaluate existing vegetation within the buffer area and may be submitted to Delaware's Department of Agriculture, Forest Service for recommendations to improve the buffer through additional plantings. Please include a site map of the property that includes the water resources and existing buffers.

Subdivision Name and Location: _____

Applicant Name and Contact Information: _____

Water Resources Present: *(Please check the types of water resources currently buffered or to be buffered for this project. Please indicate which resources have buffers.)*

Ditch		Stream	
River		Pond	
Bay		Ocean	
Wetland		Other	
If Other, Explain:			

Summary of Existing Buffers: *(Please complete for each water resource currently buffered)*

Water Resource: _____ **(from list above – ditch, stream, river, etc.)**

Buffer Width (ft)		Buffer Length (ft)	
Tree Species <i>(circle one)</i>	Pine	Hardwood	Mixed
Additional Comments:			

Water Resource: _____ **(from list above – ditch, stream, river, etc.)**

Buffer Width (ft)		Buffer Length (ft)	
Tree Species <i>(circle one)</i>	Pine	Hardwood	Mixed
Additional Comments:			

If more than two buffers will be evaluated, please use multiple forms.
 Please call 302-659-6705 with questions. The completed form may be faxed to 302-697-6245 or e-mailed to Henry.Poole@state.de.us.

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Additional Buffer Planting Recommendations: (To be completed by State Officials)

Reviewer Name: _____

Number of Seedlings		Number of Larger Trees	
Additional Plantings/Comments:			

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