

the Motor Vehicle Administration.

\* Not signed by the Governor.

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No. 83 \*

(House Joint Resolution 111)

A HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION concerning

The Primitive Area at Point Lookout State Park

FOR the purpose of requesting the Department of Natural Resources to develop and recommend an environmental and recreational plan for the land referred to by Point Lookout State Park, as the "Primitive Area".

WHEREAS, The "Primitive Area" of Point Lookout State Park holds significant environmental and recreational importance for the populace of the State; and

WHEREAS, This "Primitive Area" would be threatened, both environmentally and as a camping area, if new channels were cut across it or if it were mismanaged as a recreational area; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Natural Resources is responsible for the preservation, enhancement, development and use of waterfront resources in Maryland including the management of resources affecting the Chesapeake Bay; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That this Body considers it in the best interest of the State to have the Department of Natural Resources to study; the problems of cutting another channel across "The Primitive Area"; the cost and advisability of repairing the existing channel and opening it to marine traffic between Lake Conoy and the Potomac River; the cost and advisability of opening, repairing and improving campsites in the area that have been closed to campers; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Department of Natural Resources be requested by a copy of this Resolution to report its findings [[and recommendations]] to the 1976 Session of the General Assembly of Maryland.

\* Not signed by the Governor.

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