

Appendix C

Underwater Bay Grasses No-Grow Zones Acreage

Table C-1. Underwater bay grasses no-grow zones acreage by Chesapeake Bay Program segment.

Chesapeake Bay Program Segment Name	CBP Segment	Acres in No-Grow Zones	Reason
Northern Chesapeake Bay	CB1TF	679	1
Upper Chesapeake Bay	CB2OH	1,564	1
Upper Central Chesapeake Bay	CB3MH	4,537	1
Middle Central Chesapeake Bay	CB4MH	14,590	1
Lower Central Chesapeake Bay	CB5MH	5,061	1
Western Lower Chesapeake Bay	CB6PH	3,684	1
Eastern Lower Chesapeake Bay	CB7PH	8,339	1
Mouth of the Chesapeake Bay	CB8PH	1,186	1
Patapsco River	PATMH	5,701	2
Magothy River	MAGMH	199	1
South River	SOUMH	102	1
Rhode River	RHDMH	375	1
West River	WSTMH	132	1
Lower Potomac River	POTMH	19	1
Lower Rappahannock River	RPPMH	395	1
Piankatank River	PIAMH	105	1
Mobjack Bay	MOBPH	635	1
Lower James River	JMSMH	4,312	1
Mouth of the James River	JMSPH	619	1
Western Branch Elizabeth River	WBELI	1,484	2
Southern Branch Elizabeth River	SBELI	2,073	2
Eastern Branch Elizabeth River	EBELI	1,426	2
Lafayette River	LAFMH	1,421	2
Mouth of the Elizabeth River	ELIPH	20,626	2
Northeast River	NORTF	<1	1

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Sassafras River	SASOH	2	1
Eastern Bay	EASMH	134	1
Upper Choptank River	CHOTF	2,200	4
Middle Choptank River	CHOOH	984	4
Mouth of the Choptank River	CHOMH1	37	1
Little Choptank River	LCHMH	6	1
Upper Nanticoke River	NANTF	1,138	3
Wicomico River	WICMH	708	3
Big Annemessex River	BIGMH	4	1
Upper Pocomoke River	POCTF	988	3
Middle Pocomoke River	POCOH	2,466	1
Lower Pocomoke River	POCMH	13,293	1
Tangier Sound	TANMH	6,198	1

Reason Codes:

- 1 – Extreme physical wave energy.
- 2 – Permanent physical alteration to near shore habitat.
- 3 – Natural, extreme coloration of the water.
- 4 – Natural river channelization.