

PUBLIC NOTICE
NEW MAIDEN HIGH SCHOOL

NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that CATAWBA COUNTY SCHOOLS has applied to the North Carolina Division of Water Quality for an Isolated Wetlands Permit pursuant to Environmental Management Commission rules in 15A NCAC 2H .1300. The activity for which this Permit is sought is 0.077 acre of isolated wetlands and 313 feet of isolated streams to construct the NEW MAIDEN HIGH SCHOOL in Catawba County near the town of Maiden. Compensatory mitigation for these impacts is proposed to obtain mitigation credits through payment to the NC Ecosystem Enhancement Program. Stormwater from this site is to be treated through on-site bio-retention areas and detention basins.

The public is invited to comment in writing to the Division of Water Quality on the above-mentioned application by March 31, 2005. Comments shall be sent to the N.C. Division of Water Quality, 401 Oversight and Express Permits Unit, 2321 Crabtree Blvd., Raleigh, NC, 27604, Attn: Cyndi Karoly (Phone 919-733-1786, FAX: 919-733-6893). A copy of the application is on file at the DWQ Mooresville Regional Office at 919 North Main St., Mooresville, North Carolina, 28115 (Mooresville Regional Office phone 704-663-1699, FAX 704-663-6040) during normal business hours and may be inspected by the public.

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Date: March 3, 2005