

# *Water quality grant is announced*

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CHESTERTOWN — Bob

Parks called it “a big deal.”

On Tuesday, the Chester River Association executive director told Commissioners Roy Crow, William Pickrum and Ron Fithian that a state 2010 Trust Fund grant worth \$2 million has been awarded for water quality improvements here.

The grant involves a number of agencies and organizations, all aiming to find a way to reduce nonpoint source pollution in Morgan and Radcliffe creeks.

“I’m not sure of the exact amount of money yet, but it’s about \$1 million a year over two years for the middle Chester,” he said. The projects involve cover crops, using switchgrass as a buffer plant, high-tech farming

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