VIMS Shoreline Permit Application Report # 00-2079

**APPLICANT:** VIRGINIA BEACH FISHING PIER  
**Immediate Waterway:** Atlantic Ocean  
**Locality:** CITY OF VIRGINIA BEACH  
**Purpose:** Commercial Construction, Water Access  
**Application Type:** Subaqueous  
**Site Inspection:** 1/16/01  
**Report Date:** 9/21/01

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| Total Impacts (ft²)                                   | 4455            |                  |
| Total Impacts (Wetlands)                              | 0               |                  |
| Total Impacts (Subaqueous)                            | 4455            |                  |
| Total Impacts (Beach/Dune)                            | 0               |                  |
| Total Built (ft²)                                     | 0               |                  |
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| Total Built (Beach/Dune)                              | 0               |                  |
| Total Fill (ft²)                                      | 0               |                  |
ATTENTION

This assessment is based on biological, chemical, geological, and physical factors affecting the marine environment at and in the vicinity of the proposed activity. Parameters of the marine environment which may influence recreational, commercial, or industrial activities which are dependent on the marine environment are also considered where applicable.

The Virginia Institute of Marine Science (VIMS) is aware that regulatory or administrative bodies who weigh the overall potential public and private benefits and detriments in arriving at decisions must also consider other factors such as economics, aesthetics, zoning, or community desires. INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS REPORT IS, THEREFORE, ONLY THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND MARINE RESOURCES INPUT INTO THE DECISION MAKING PROCESS.

Comments:

We have reviewed this proposal from a marine environmental viewpoint and it is our opinion that the individual and cumulative adverse impacts resulting from this activity will be relatively minimal.

[Signature]
Walter I. Priest, III
Marine Scientist
Hydrologic units represent smaller, isolated watersheds defined by topography and flow direction. These units can be thought of as insulated ecosystems or landscapes within which resources can be managed at a larger scale. The cumulative impact of a project to resources within a hydrologic unit may be significantly greater than the impact to the larger watershed above.
City of Virginia Beach
ATLANTIC OCEAN COASTAL - VIRGINIA BEACH
Atlantic Ocean

Open water

Tidal Marsh Inventory - TMI
- Arrow Arum Pickerelweed
- Black Needlerush
- Brackish Water Mixed
- Cattail
- Freshwater Mixed
- Reed Grass
- Saltbush
- Saltmeadow
- Saltmarsh Cordgrass
- Yellow Pond Lily

Project site

Atlantic Ocean Coastal - Virginia Beach watershed

0 0.5 1 Miles
To Wetlands Board: Please indicate Wetlands Board action on this sheet and return to VIMS

Application Number: 00-2079
Name: Virginia Beach Fishing Pier
Locality: City of Virginia Beach
Waterway: Atlantic Ocean

Please check here if this application was approved as proposed ____
Complete the form below if the application was modified.

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