



Doing Business in Dorchester County Resources & Private Contractors

Whether you're new to the area, a longtime resident, or an established business owner, doing business in Dorchester may require you to contact county offices or service providers. The following outlines frequently requested contact information for county offices and links to municipal and private utility, communication and service contractors.

County Administration & Council www.DoCoGoNet.com

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District 1
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District 2
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wnichols@docogonet.com

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District 4
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Jeremy Goldman, County Manager
County Office Building
Court Lane
Cambridge, Maryland 21613
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jgoldman@docogonet.com

Dorchester County Government Offices

Finance & Tax

Tax Rates

Corporate Income Tax (2017) none 8.25%
Base – federal taxable income

Personal Income Tax (2017) 2.62% 2.0%-
5.75% *

Base – federal adjusted gross income
*Graduated rate peaking at 5.75% on
taxable income over \$300,000

Sales & Use Tax (2017) none 6.0%
Exempt – sales for resale; manufacturer's
purchase of raw materials; manufacturing
machinery and equipment; purchases of
materials and equipment used in R&D and
testing of finished products; purchases of
computer programs for reproduction or
incorporation into another computer
program for resale

Real Property Tax (FY 18) \$0.974 \$0.112
Effective rate per \$100 of assessed value
In an incorporated area, the county rate
may vary and a municipal rate will also
apply

Business Personal Property Tax (FY 18)
none

No county personal property tax on
ordinary business property \$2.44/\$100
applicable to utility operating property only
In an incorporated area, a municipal rate
will also apply; municipal exemptions may
be available

Permits, Inspections & Licensing

Dorchester County Planning & Zoning
501 Court Lane, Room 111
Cambridge, Maryland. 21613
(410) 228-3234 (Planning & Zoning)
(410) 228-9636 (Permits)
(410) 228-1563 (Fax)
Hours: M-F 8:00-4:30
Permits: 9:00-3:30

Dorchester County Health Department
3 East Cedar Street
Cambridge, MD 21613
(410) 228-3223
(410)-228-9319
Hours: M-F 8:00- 5:00

Department of Public Works

Highways Division

Brain Chester
5435 Handley Road
Cambridge, MD 21613
Phone (410) 228-2920
Fax (410) 228-9516
bchester@docogonet.com

Solid Waste Division

John Cooney, Landfill Manager
jcooney@docogonet.com

Maintenance Division

Ryan White, Director of Public Works
Phone (410) 228-2920
rwhite@docogonet.com

Airport Division

Amber Hulseley, Airport Manager
Cambridge-Dorchester Regional Airport
5263 Bucktown Road
Cambridge, MD 21613
Phone (410) 228-4571
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Engineering

Greg LeBlanc, County Engineer
5435 Handley Road
Cambridge, MD 21613
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Utilities

Electricity

[Choptank Electric Cooperative](#)
[Delmarva Power](#)

Telecommunications

[Bay Country Communications](#)
[Comcast](#)
[Delmarva Wi-Fi](#)
[Hughes Net](#)
[Verizon Maryland](#)

Municipal Trash/Waste & Recycling

[Chessie Environmental](#)
[Chesapeake Waste](#)
[Municipal Waste](#)
[County Recycling](#)
[Solid Waste/Landfill](#)

Water & Sewer

Municipal Utilities Commission
Gary Newcomb, Manager
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Cambridge, MD 21613
Phone: (410) 228-5440
www.choosecambridge.com