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**MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**  
**MARYLAND PORT ADMINISTRATION**

# -A Success Story-

## Paul S. Sarbanes Ecosystem Restoration Project at Poplar Island



- Restored an eroded Island from 5-acres to 1,140 acres
- New 575-acre expansion (1,715 total acres)
- Over 69 million cubic yards of capacity
- Habitats include wetlands (777 acres), uplands (828 acres), and quiescent waters (Poplar Harbor and 110 acre open water embayment in expansion)