

Virginia Institute of Marine Science

An aerial photograph of the Virginia Institute of Marine Science campus. The campus is situated on a peninsula with a dense forest of green trees in the background. Several large, multi-story buildings with brick and glass facades are visible, along with smaller structures and parking lots. A long pier extends into the water in the foreground, and a small beach area is visible near the water's edge. The water is a deep blue-green color.

**Committee on Administration, Buildings & Grounds
November 17, 2016**

Active Capital Projects

Project	Type	Stage	Total Project Cost (\$ in M)
Research Vessel	Replacement	Draft Contract Issued	\$10.05
Consolidated Scientific Research Facility	New Construction	Construction Underway	\$14.4
Facilities Management Building	Replacement	Archeology Underway – Ready to Bid Construction Contract	\$7.16
Replace Mechanical Systems and Repair Building Exterior – Chesapeake Bay Hall	Replacement	Received Approval to Proceed with Planning	\$14.0
Detailed Planning: Oyster Research Hatchery	Replacement	Awaiting Funding Availability – July 2017	\$18.7

Governor's Capital Budget Requests

Project	Request	Stage	Request Total
Facilities Management Building	Equipment	Archeology Underway – Ready to Bid Construction Contract	\$366,000
Eastern Shore Administration and Education Complex	New Construction and Replacement	Feasibility Study Complete	\$9.1 M

Consolidated Scientific Research Facility





Home to VIMS' Advisory Services Units

- **Programs:** Coastal Economies; Commercial and Recreational Fisheries; Marine Education
- **Centers:** Virginia Sea Grant; Center for Coastal Resources Management



Advisory Services: The Public Face of VIMS

- VIMS is *the* Commonwealth's scientific advisor on natural resources
- Named in 33 sections of the *Code of Virginia*, requiring VIMS to perform advisory service in the following areas:
 - Shoreline and Tidal Wetlands Management
 - Blue Crab Management
 - Oyster Fishery Management
 - Surface Water Management

Questions?

An aerial photograph of a large body of water, likely a river or estuary, showing a massive algal bloom. The water is a deep, dark blue-green color, with swirling patterns and a large, dark, irregular mass in the center. The bloom extends from the foreground towards the horizon. In the foreground, there are patches of land with green vegetation and some white, possibly snow or sand, areas. The sky is blue with scattered white clouds.

Large Algal Bloom – York River
September 2016