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**Governor Larry Hogan Appoints Bowie Employee Tiffany Wright  
as Member of the Patuxent River Commission**

On July 14, 2022, Governor Larry Hogan appointed Tiffany Wright as a member of the Patuxent River Commission for a term to expire September 30, 2025.

The Patuxent River Commission aims to protect, enhance, and restore the natural wildlife and environmental resources that the river provides.

Tiffany Wright is currently employed as a Watershed Manager in the City of Bowie Department of Planning and Sustainability. She is a graduate of Coastal Carolina University, holding a bachelor's degree in Marine Science.

Since joining the City in 2009, Tiffany has completed many major assignments and initiatives, such as starting the City's stream team program, implementing a new tree planting program for residents (Plant One Tree on Us), helping to draft the City's first Sustainability Plan, and more.

In addition to her watershed manager duties, Tiffany assists the Emergency Operations Center and is the delegated authority to act on behalf of the Department Director upon activation of the City's Continuity of Operations Plan. She is also co-author and publisher of the annual State of the Environment Report, produces multi-media outreach material such as the Welcome to Your Watershed webinar, gives presentations at local schools and frequently assists the Chesapeake Bay Trust with reviewing their grant applications.

"Tiffany's many years of managing local stream clean ups, public education, forest cover expansion efforts and habitat restoration make her a perfect addition to this important Statewide Commission," says Joe Meinert, Director of the Planning and Sustainability Department for the City of Bowie.

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