



Pohick Creek entering Pohick Bay, Fairfax County, Virginia. Freshwater tidal marshes with naturally-occurring wooded levees border Pohick Creek where it flows into Pohick Bay. The bay is tributary to the Potomac River on the landward side of the Atlantic Coastal Plain. Five km upstream, Pohick Creek crosses granite outcrops which mark the Fall Line, above which it drains about 65 square km of weathered Piedmont terrain. The view is to the southeast; Fort Belvoir on the left and Pohick Bay Regional Park on the right. Bald eagles are common within this area. (Photo taken 11 Sept. 92 by Cyril Galvin, Coastal Engineer, Box 623, Springfield, Virginia, 22150 USA).