



Northampton County and the Towns of Belle Haven, Cape Charles, Cheriton, Eastville, Exmore, and Nassawadox

**Water Source Overview**

The major sources are groundwater wells and agricultural ponds.

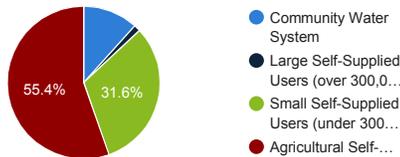
**\*Table 1:** Reported (2010) and projected (2040) water use by system type for Northampton County in MGD

Type	Reported Use 2010 MGD	Projected Use 2040 MGD
Community Water System	0.347	0.693
Large Self-Supplied Users (over 300,000 gal/month)	0.041	0.063
Small Self-Supplied Users (under 300,000 gal/month)	0.940	0.783
Agricultural Self-Supplied Users	1.647	1.647

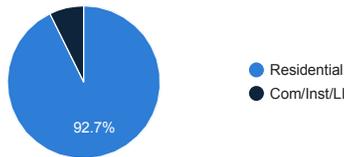
**Water Use by System Type**

Approximately 9,189 people use private groundwater wells for residential water supply. All tables and graphs represent reported water use including Sales to other localities, if applicable.

**\*Figure 1:** Percentage of reported water use by system type in 2010 (No use data shown on graph if less than .01 MGD: Refer to Table 1)



**\*Figure 2:** Disaggregated water use percentages for Community Water Systems in 2010 (No graph shown if no disaggregated use data reported)



**\*Table 2:** Reported (2010) and projected (2040) groundwater and surface water use for Northampton County in MGD

Reported 2010 Groundwater Use (MGD)	Reported 2010 Surface Water Use (MGD)	Projected 2040 Groundwater Use (MGD)	Projected 2040 Surface Water Use (MGD)
1.93	1.05	2.14	1.05

**\*Figure 3:** Northampton County highlighted in the Commonwealth of Virginia



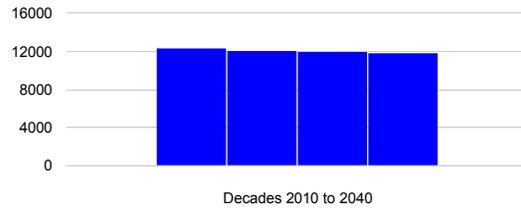
**Projected Water Demand**

Demands are projected to increase slightly through the planning period. Existing water sources are expected to meet projected demands.

**\*Table 3:** Northampton County population projections by decade from 2010 to 2040 (data gathered from VEC projections - 05/20/13)

2010	2020	2030	2040	% Change (2010-2040)
12,389	12,133	11,996	11,896	-8.3%

**\*Figure 4:** Northampton County population projections by decade for 2010, 2020, 2030 & 2040



**\*Table 4 & Figure 5:** Northampton County water demand trends by decade for 2010, 2020, 2030 & 2040 in MGD

Reported Use 2010 MGD	Projected Use 2020 MGD	Projected Use 2030 MGD	Projected Use 2040 MGD	Percent Change (2010-2040)
2.98	3.05	3.12	3.19	7.1%



**Drought Management Practices**

The County and Towns will adopt emergency ordinances when the need arises to implement and enforce the Drought Response and Contingency Plan. (Northampton Regional WSP)