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**Tanker 5
4000-gallon Tanker
5th District VFD
Clarksville, Maryland**

Facts & Figures...

- Tanker 5 is a 4,000-gallon tanker operated by the 5th District Volunteer Fire Department located in Howard County, Maryland.
- The rig is a 1992, Walker Stainless Equipment Co. tanker built on an International chassis and powered by a Cummins diesel motor.
- It has a 1,000 gpm mid-ship mounted pump and carries a 3,000-gallon dump tank.
- Tanker 5 also has a 10-inch rear dump with an attachable chute for dumping off of the side of the vehicle.
- The 5th District VFD protects an affluent rural/suburban area of western Howard County, Maryland.

5th District Tanker 5



This 1992 tanker was one of the first, large capacity water hauling rigs in central Maryland. Its 4,000-gallon capacity still remains today as the largest in the area.

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The rig was built by Walker Stainless and it is outfitted with a 10-inch rear dump and a 5-inch direct fill. These two features allow for quick dumping and quick filling – making this tanker a true water hauling beast.

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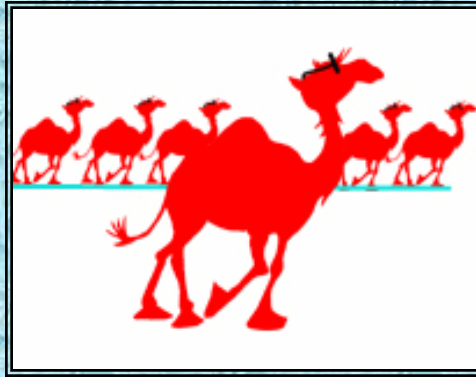


Shown here at a recent water supply drill in nearby Carroll County, Tanker 5 uses its detachable chute to perform a side dump operation.

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In the photo above, Tanker 5 is being filled through a single, 4-inch line at a tanker fill site.



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