



## COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM

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# Press Release

## Information on Sewer Overflow

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Pursuant to the rules and Regulations for Water Quality Control, Chapter 391-3-6-05, the Georgia Environmental Protection division now requires all publicly owned wastewater treatment works that discharge to the waters of the State to provide information on sewer overflows to local media contacts as part of ongoing, comprehensive public education and awareness efforts.

A wastewater overflow occurred on: March 27, 2019  
Location of overflow: 2675 CUMBERLAND PKWY ATLANTA, GA 30339  
This overflow resulted from: DEBRIS  
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: Tributary to Camp Bert Adams Creek  
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 4,500 Gallons  
The Water System was notified at: Mar 27, 2019, 9:20 AM  
The overflow was stopped at: Mar 27, 2019, 1:05 PM

Corrective action taken to reduce effects of the overflow include the following:

Used jet machine to unstop the mainline blockage. Removed solid debris. Cleaned and placed lime out at spill locations.

### Field Observation:

Upon arrival there was no smell. Found manhole spilling through the lid, and gray water pooled up about 25 ft next to the manhole. After flushing manhole #121-G006 it unstopped and backed up out of the same manhole. Some of the sewage went into the creek but the creek had good flow and cleared up quickly.

For more information on this notification or the local Cobb County Water, System Maintenance Program, contact our System Maintenance Division, Monday - Friday. 8am to 5pm at 770/419-6351.

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