



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 28, 2019
Location of overflow: 5392 COLDSTREAM WAY Powder Springs, GA 30127
This overflow resulted from: DEBRIS
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: Mill Creek # 1
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 190 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Mar 28, 2019, 7:30 AM
The overflow was stopped at: Mar 28, 2019, 9:05 AM

Corrective action taken to reduce effects of the overflow include the following:
Unstopped the blockage with jet machine. Cleaned and spread lime around the spill area.

Field Observation:
Upon arrival, the crew observed a grey stain around manhole in an area of 5'x 25' that flowed into creek.

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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