



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: July 18, 2019
Location of overflow: 1901 McCullom Pkwy, Kennesaw Ga 30144
This overflow resulted from: STRUCTURAL
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: Tributary to Noonday creek
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 3280 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Jul 18, 2019, 2:30 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Jul 18, 2019, 5:15 PM

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

The spill was contained to the excavation at 5:15PM. The crew replaced 6' of 8" clay main with 8" pvc.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, a sinkhole was found with sewer escaping from pipe and flowing into a nearby waterway . No solids found.

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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