



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: September 19, 2019
Location of overflow: 3324 WEATHERTOP WAY NE ROSWELL, GA 30075
This overflow resulted from: GREASE
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: Chimney Lakes #1 (Private)
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 270 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Sep 19, 2019, 7:40 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Sep 19, 2019, 9:55 PM

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

Used jet machine to clear blockage from mainline. Cleaned and spread lime around spill area.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, found manhole #404-B165 discharging sewage with the lid on. Sewage left a gray spill area of about 6' x 6'.

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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