



## 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 29, 2019  
Location of overflow: 2604 FAVOR RD, MARIETTA, GA 30060  
This overflow resulted from: SOLIDS  
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: Favor Creek  
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 350 Gallons  
The Water System was notified at: Sep 29, 2019, 7:50 PM  
The overflow was stopped at: Sep 29, 2019, 10:45 PM

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

Unstopped sewer mainline with jet machine, cleaned and spread lime around spill area.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, the crew observed sewer holding inside manhole # 208-Y013 with the lid in place. Manhole #208-Y017 was discharging into Favor Creek. The sewage covered an area of 8' x 50' and left a light grey liquid with no solids or debris.

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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**For Immediate Release**