



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: December 14, 2019
Location of overflow: 3860 CREEK HOLLOW WAY, Marietta, GA 30062
This overflow resulted from: GREASE
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: Tributary to Sweat Mountain Creek.
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 290 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Dec 14, 2019, 5:20 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Dec 14, 2019, 7:45 PM

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

Unstopped the blockage with jet machine, cleaned and limed spill area.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, found manhole #404-K153 spilling. The crew observed a light grey stain around the manhole in an area of 5 ft X 20 ft.

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.

For Immediate Release