



COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM

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Press Release

Information on Sewer Overflow

Cobb County, GA - Apr 27, 2020

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: April 26, 2020
Location of overflow: 2019 DONNAS COVE DR, SMYRNA, GA 30080
This overflow resulted from: GREASE
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: THEATER BRANCH
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 560 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Apr 26, 2020, 8:20 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Apr 27, 2020, 12:05 AM

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

Used jet machine to clear blockage from mainline. Sprayed enzymes on spill area.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, found light gray sewage discharging from manhole 202-C003B with lid in place. Spill area was approx 6' x 50' with small debris and gray liquid, running from manhole to nearby water source.

For more information on this notification, contact our System Maintenance Division Monday - Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at 770-419-6351.

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