



## 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: June 24, 2020  
Location of overflow: 4661 HOWELL FARMS DR, ACWORTH, GA 30101  
This overflow resulted from: GREASE  
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO CLARK CREEK  
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 140 Gallons  
The Water System was notified at: Jun 24, 2020, 1:50 PM  
The overflow was stopped at: Jun 24, 2020, 3:00 PM

Corrective action taken to reduce effects of the overflow include the following:  
Used jet machine to unstop main line. Cleaned and sprayed enzyme on spill area.

#### Field Observation:

Upon arrival, found manhole discharging sewage with lid in place. Sewage left a 5' X 30' spill area, running from manhole to creek.

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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