



COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM

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Press Release

Information on Sewer Overflow

Cobb County, GA - Jul 13, 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: July 12, 2020
Location of overflow: 2656 FOREST GLEN DR, MARIETTA, GA 30066
This overflow resulted from: ROOTS
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRICKUM CREEK TRIBUTARY
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 70 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Jul 12, 2020, 3:57 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Jul 12, 2020, 4:34 PM
Corrective action taken to reduce effects of the overflow include the following:
Used jet machine to clear blockage from main line. Cleaned and spread lime around spill area.
Field Observation:
Upon arrival, found manhole 322-E200 discharging sewage with lid in place. Sewage ran from manhole to creek, leaving a 2' X 10' spill area.
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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