



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: October 31, 2020
Location of overflow: 1327 FAIRRIDGE CIR SW, MARIETTA, GA 30008
This overflow resulted from: DEBRIS
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO OLLEY CREEK
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 240 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Oct 31, 2020, 12:00 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Oct 31, 2020, 2:00 PM

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

Used Jet Machine to clear blockage from main line. Clean spilled area and applied lime.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, crew observed sewage escaping manhole. The sewage left a 25' x 25' path of gray stains around manhole and ran into the waterway.

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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