

## 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: January 31, 2021

Location of overflow: 171 BLUE SKY DR NE, MARIETTA, GA 30068

This overflow resulted from: SOLIDS

Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO SOPE CREEK

The volume of the overflow was

estimated at:

210 Gallons

The Water System was notified at: Jan 31, 2021, 10:31 AM
The overflow was stopped at: Jan 31, 2021, 12:15 PM

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

Used jet machine to clear blockage from the main line and cleaned the affected area with water.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, crew observed manhole #104-Y085 spilling and running into the curb with no visible solids. The sewage left a  $2' \times 6'$  spill area in the road as it ran from the curb into the storm drain, and then 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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## **For Immediate Release**