



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: November 4, 2024
Location of overflow: 3134 TWIN LAKES DR NE MARIETTA, GA 30062
ROOTS
This overflow resulted from:
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO PINEY GROVE CREEK
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 1,300 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Nov 4, 2024, 9:00 AM
The overflow was stopped at: Nov 4, 2024, 10:05 AM

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

After using the jet machine to unstop the sewer line, the crew cleaned and spread lime on the affected area.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, the crew observed a 4-inch clean-out spilling with an unsecured lid. The crew then investigated the area and discovered MH# 192-K092 spilling with a secured lid. The sewage escaping the manhole left a 70-foot by 3-foot trail, entering a tributary to Piney Grove Creek. After alleviating the sewer line, the crew observed a 10-foot by 5-foot gray discoloration in the water. During their time on-site, no fish kills were observed.

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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