

## **COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM**

**System Maintenance Division** 

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## **Press Release**

## Information on Sewer Overflow

Cobb County, GA - Dec 12, 2024

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: December 12, 2024

Location of overflow: 203 LAKESHORE DR, MARIETTA, GA 30067

This overflow resulted from: GREASE

Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO SOPE CREEK

The volume of the overflow was 5400 Gallons

estimated at:

The Water System was notified at: Dec 12, 2024, 10:45 AM
The overflow was stopped at: Dec 12, 2024, 12:15 PM

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

Used jet machine to clear blockage from line. Cleaned and spread lime and enzymes around spill area.

Field Observation:

Crew found sewage discharging from a 6 inch clean out with the lid off. Sewage ran from clean out down hill to waterway. Spill area was 50 foot by 20 foot, and the water was gray in color.

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**