

COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM

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Press Release

Information on Sewer Overflow

Cobb County, GA - Jan 9, 2025

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 9, 2025

Location of overflow: 4621 WATERS EDGE LN , ACWORTH, GA 30101

This overflow resulted from: GREASE

Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO CLARK CREEK

The volume of the overflow was

estimated at:

1,560 Gallons

The Water System was notified at: Jan 9, 2025, 8:18 AM
The overflow was stopped at: Jan 9, 2025, 10:40 AM

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

After unstopping the sewer line, the crew spread enzymes on the affected area due to weather conditions.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, the crew observed MH# 544-P402 spilling with a secured lid. The escaping sewage left a 20-foot by 40-foot path that led into a storm drain, which entered a tributary to Clark Creek. During their time on-site, no solids or 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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