



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 22, 2025
Location of overflow: 3264 MITSY WALK NE, MARIETTA, GA 30068
This overflow resulted from: DEBRIS
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO SEWELL MILL CREEK
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 1,300 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Jan 22, 2025, 10:22 PM
The overflow was stopped at: Jan 22, 2025, 11:27 PM

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

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

Field Observation:

Upon arrival, the crew observed that MH# 103-C041 was holding but not spilling. While the crew was attempting to clear the blockage, the clean-out at the customer's location began to spill with an unsecured lid. The escaping sewage left a 2-foot by 25-foot path, entering a tributary to Sewell Mill Creek. 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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