



## COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM

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# Press Release

## Information on Sewer Overflow

Cobb County, GA - Apr 3, 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: April 3, 2025  
Location of overflow: 212 RIVERSIDE PKWY, AUSTELL, GA 30168  
This overflow resulted from: RAGS  
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO CHATTAHOOCHEE RIVER  
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 170 Gallons  
The Water System was notified at: Apr 3, 2025, 8:37 AM  
The overflow was stopped at: Apr 3, 2025, 10:00 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 spread lime on the affected area.

Field Observation:

Dispatch received a call for 171 Twin Hill Rd. Upon arrival, the crew observed MH# 223-B029 spilling with a secured lid. The escaping sewage left a 1-foot by 50-foot trail, entering into a tributary to the Chattahoochee River. No discoloration or fish kills were found during the time on-site.

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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