

## COBB COUNTY WATER SYSTEM

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## **Press Release**

## Information on Sewer Overflow

Cobb County, GA - Apr 8, 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 7, 2025

Location of overflow: 181 KINGS ROW, MARIETTTA, GA 30067

This overflow resulted from: RAGS

Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: TRIBUTARY TO SOPE CREEK

The volume of the overflow was

estimated at:

380 Gallons

The Water System was notified at:

Apr 7, 2025, 11:00 AM

The overflow was stopped at:

Apr 7, 2025, 11:30 AM

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

The crew used the jet machine to unstop the sewer line. Due to heavy rainfall, the crew was unable to use lime or enzymes on the affected area.

## Field Observation:

Upon arrival, the crew observed MH# 105-P014 spilling with the lid secured. The escaping sewage left an uncolored path, entering into a storm drain that empties into a tributary to Sope 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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