



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: August 10, 2026
Location of overflow: 1184 SMITHWELL PT, KENNESAW, GA 30152
This overflow resulted from: GRAVEL
Resulting in a wastewater discharge into: NOONDAY CREEK
The volume of the overflow was estimated at: 890 Gallons
The Water System was notified at: Aug 10, 2026, 8:54 AM
The overflow was stopped at: Aug 10, 2026, 10:15 AM

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

The crew used a jet machine to unstop the blockage and restore flow. The crew then cleaned the area and applied lime. Spill signs were posted in the area.

Field Observation:

Upon arrival the crew observed MH#306-0105 spilling a light grey greasy film combined with semi-solid grease. The sewage spread in a 20ft x 250ft area before spilling into Noonday Creek. No fish kills were observed during the on-site inspection.

For more information on this notification, contact our System Maintenance Division Monday - Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at 770-528-8731.

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