

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
PUBLIC ADVISORY
WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

April 9, 2015
Advisory Issue Date

Clayton County
City/County

May 11, 2015
Advisory Close Date

BV-031-15-01
Control Number

Flint River Road Improvements
Activity

This advisory is issued to inform the public of a receipt of an Application for a variance submitted pursuant to a state environmental Law. The public is invited to comment during the 30-day period on the proposed activity. Since the EPD has no authority to zone property or determine land use, only those comments addressing environmental issues related to air, water, and land protection will be considered in the application review process. Written comments should be submitted to: Program Manager, NonPoint Source Program, Erosion and Sedimentation Control, 2 MLK Jr., Dr., SW Suite 1152 East, Atlanta, Georgia 30354

Type of Permit Application: Variance to encroach within the 25-foot State waters buffer.

Applicable Law: Georgia Erosion and Sedimentation Act O.C.G.A. 12-7-1 et seq.

Applicable Rules: Erosion and Sedimentation Control Chapter 391-3-7

Basis under which variance shall be considered {391-3-7.05 (2)(A-J)}: A & H

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

Applicant proposes to impact a total of 1,950 linear ft. (33,309 ft²) of stream and buffers along Pond 1, Pond 2, Intermittent Stream 3, Pond 4, Intermittent Stream 5 and Perennial Stream 7 that are tributaries to the Flint River to conduct road widening and drainage improvements. There are 1,033 linear ft. (11,569 ft²) of impact applied for under criteria "a" and 917 linear ft. (21,740 ft²) under criteria "h". The project begins at Kenwood Dr. and continues west along Flint River Rd. to Kendrick Rd. for a distance of 1.17 mile.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant:

Mr. Keith Rohling
Clayton County Transportation and Development
7960 McDonough St.
Jonesboro, Georgia 30236

Summary of Rules Requirements for Variance Application:

The application for a variance must include an Erosion and Sediment Control Plan with control measures based on sound conservation and engineering practices which meet or exceed the standards in the "Manual for Erosion and Sediment Control in Georgia" and which will minimize erosion and deposition of sediments on adjacent lands or into State waters.

For Additional Information Contact:

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