

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
PUBLIC NOTICE
WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

January 25, 2022
Notice Issue Date

City of Chamblee
City/County

February 24, 2022
Notice Close Date

BV-044-21-10
Control Number

Streambank Restoration at Dresden Park
GPS Coordinates: 33.465, -82.111
Activity

This notice 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. Site Plans are available for review and are located in the following EPD office: Watershed Protection Branch 200 Piedmont Avenue, S.W. Suite 418 West Atlanta, Georgia 30334. Please contact Ms. Arnettia Murphy at 470-607-2940 or e-mail arnettia.murphy@dnr.ga.gov to schedule an appointment to review the plans. 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 1462 East, Atlanta, Georgia 30334

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-K)}: B

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

Applicant proposes to impact 877 linear feet (82,215 ft²) of stream buffer along Arrow Creek to perform stream and streambank restoration measures. Impacts include instream placement of a j-hook vane, transverse bar, riffle grade control boulder toe with brush, root wads and cross vanes. Imbricated riprap will be placed on the right bank immediately downstream of the dam for stabilization. The existing 18" HDPE stormwater outfall located near the dam will be replaced with a 24" RCP. A native riparian canopy of vegetation will be replanted upon completion of land-disturbance. The project was identified as the top priority project in the 2018 North Fork Peachtree Creek Watershed Improvement Plan. The project is being funded by Georgia EPD and the EPA through a 319 (h) grant. The project is located within Dresden Park at 2301 Dresden Drive.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Mr. Craig Mims
Director of Public Works
City of Chamblee
3210 Cumberland Drive
Chamblee, Georgia 30341

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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