ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION PUBLIC NOTICE WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

October 29, 2020 Notice Issue Date

November 30, 2020 Notice Close Date Forsyth County City / County

BV-058-20-04 Control Number

<u>Forsyth County Department of Water & Sewer</u> <u>Kendrick Lift Station Phaseout and Sanitary Sewer System Improvements</u> <u>Kendrick Lane, Cumming, GA 30041</u> (GPS Coordinates: 34.142205, -84.126979)

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 SW, Suite 418 West, Atlanta, GA 30334. Please contact Ms. Arnettia Murphy at (404) 656-4147 or email 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 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SW, Suite 1462 East, Atlanta, GA 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)}: (d)

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

The proposed project will consist of removing the existing lift station and abandoning-in-place and/or removing the existing sanitary sewer lines and installing approximately 286 linear feet of new 8" Ø DIP and PVC sanitary sewer lines and associated manholes along Kendrick Lane in Forsyth County. All disturbed areas will be returned to original grade and stabilized with mulching and permanent vegetation and all open-cut trenches will be backfilled and restored to current conditions to the extent practicable. Construction activities will result in approximately 50 linear feet total (233 square feet total) of buffer disturbances along an unnamed perennial stream, a tributary to Daves Creek in the *Upper Chattahoochee Watershed*.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant:

Tim Perkins, Director Forsyth County Department Water & Sewer 110 East Main Street, Suite 150 Cumming, GA 30040

Summary of Rules Requirements for Variance Application:

The application for a variance must include an approved 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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