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. Arnetta Murphy at (404) 656-4157 or e-mail arnetta.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)}: H

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

Applicant proposes to permanently impact 382 linear feet (21,555 ft²) of an unnamed tributary to Walnut Creek with fill. The project proposes to construct an approximately 356,000 ft² warehouse facility with associated parking, access roads and infrastructure on a 35.43-acre site in the City of Braselton. The project site is located on Tom White Road off GA-124/Lewis Braselton Boulevard.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Mr. Hunter Himes
Oakmont Pacolet Acquistions, LLC
3520 Piedmont Road
Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30305

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: Peggy Chambers, Environmental Specialist
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