ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION PUBLIC NOTICE WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

April 15, 2021 City of Atlanta
Notice Issue Date City/County

May 17, 2021
Notice Close Date

BV-060-21-02
Control Number

Streambank Stabilization/860 Meredith Drive

GPS Coordinates: 33.805, -84.404

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 (404) 656-4157 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)}: A

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

Applicant proposes to impact 95 linear feet (1,427 ft²) of stream buffer in three separate areas along an intermittent tributary to Tanyard Branch. The slope within the stream buffer will be repaired by construction of a Filtrex Living Wall. Compost socks are filled and installed along the affected area, then built up to stabilize and repair the unstable slope. The Filtrexx wall include geogrid reinforcement between each Filtrexx sock. Re-vegetation along the buffer will include species of Silky Dogwood, Mountain Laurel, Piedmont Azalea, and Wild Hydrangea. Project is located at 860 Meredith Dr. within the city limits of Atlanta.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Mr. Charles de Coquet &

Ms. Maria De La Guardia

860 Meredith Dr.

Atlanta, Georgia 30318

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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