

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
PUBLIC NOTICE
WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

January 27, 2020
Notice Issue Date

McIntosh County
City/County

February 26, 2020
Notice Close Date

CMV-098-19-01
Control Number

Broro River Stabilization-Pursley Residence/1156 Smith St.
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 Costal Marshlands buffer.

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

Applicable Rules: Erosion and Sedimentation Control Chapter 391-3-7.11

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

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

The applicant proposes to impact 100 linear feet (2,500 ft²) of stream buffer along the Broro River to stabilize the streambank with riprap to prevent ongoing erosion. Riprap will be placed 2-feet high and 100-feet long above the jurisdictional coastal marsh boundary line. Additional grading to reduce slopes, grass matting, and plantings of native riparian vegetation will be planted landward above the riprap upon completion of land-disturbance.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Mr. Norman Brundy Pursley, Jr.
3817-A Martinez Blvd.
Augusta, Georgia 30907

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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