ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION PUBLIC NOTICE WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

February 16, 2022 <u>Carrollton/Carroll County</u>

Notice Issue Date City / County

March 18, 2022
Notice Close Date
BV-022-22-03
Control Number

Oak Mountain Championship Golf Club Lot 159 (GPS Coordinates: 33.571913, -85.034342)

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)}: (b) & (g)

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

This project will result in the construction of a single-family home, a driveway for access, and the restoration of the streambank on the property. The home and driveway were designed with minimal buffer disturbance in mind and will result in 175 linear feet (2,242 ft²) of buffer disturbance. The streambank restoration will consist of multitrophic native riparian vegetation the entire length of the stream on the lot, which is 211 linear feet (6,211 ft²). The proposed project will result in 386 total linear feet (8,453 total ft²) of buffer disturbance lasting approximately 5 months located off of Birkdale Boulevard, at an unnamed tributary to Buffalo Creek in the Upper Tallapoosa Watershed.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Ms. Deanna Morrow

4805 West Village Way SE

Apt. 1401

Smyrna, GA 30080

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: Victoria A. Adams, Environmental Specialist

EPD Watershed Protection Branch

NonPoint Source Program

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