

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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The Environmental Protection Division (EPD) has reviewed applications and is considering the issuance, modification, or termination of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), Land Application System (LAS), and/or Pretreatment permits, Sludge Management Plans, and/or Industrial Pretreatment Programs to the following applicants, subject to specific pollutant limitations and special conditions.

NPDES, LAS, and Pretreatment permits are valid for a maximum of five years. A new application must be submitted 180 days prior to the expiration date of the existing permit, evaluated by EPD, and the draft permit be placed on public noticed for a prescribed period of time.

For proposed new or expanded NPDES point source discharge permits, an antidegradation analysis is conducted. The analysis evaluates whether allowing lower water quality is necessary to accommodate important economic or social development in the area in which the waters are located. In all cases, existing instream water uses and the level of water quality necessary to protect the existing designated use is maintained and protected.

All municipalities must be in compliance with the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) Service Delivery Strategy (SDS) in order to receive a permit.

EPD issues permits in compliance with the governing regulations and is not involved in local zoning, land use, or property value issues. The issuance or modification of a permit, plan or program does not authorize the facility to violate local ordinances. Please contact your local county or municipal officials for questions or concerns on these issues.

Individual draft permits, applications, supporting documents, and fact sheets are available on EPD's website accessible through the publicly available Georgia EPD Online System (GEOS). A direct link to the draft permit and fact sheet is listed below the individual notice.

For General permits, the draft permit, notice of intent, fact sheet, and supporting documents are accessible through the EPD Watershed Protection Branch Permit and Public Comments Clearinghouse website at the following address: <https://epd.georgia.gov/forms-and-permits/watershed-protection-branch-forms-permits/watershed-protection-branch-permit-and>

For Industrial Pretreatment Programs, new or modified program documents may be available on EPD's website accessible through the Watershed Protection Branch Permit and Public Comments Clearinghouse website at the following address: <https://epd.georgia.gov/forms-and-permits/watershed-protection-branch-forms-permits/watershed-protection-branch-permit-and>

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### **Directions on how to comment on a proposed action, comment deadlines, and obtain copies of permit files**

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed permit determinations are invited to submit same in writing to the EPD address below or via e-mail at [EPDcomments@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:EPDcomments@dnr.ga.gov), no later than **January 3, 2025** (30-day notice period). In the case of Industrial Pretreatment Program Approvals and Modifications, comments are to be submitted to EPD no later than **January 17, 2025** (45-day notice period). Please use the words “**Public Notice No. 2024-23ML**” and the name of the subject facility that you are commenting on in the subject line to ensure that your comments will be forwarded to the correct staff. All comments received prior to or on that date will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. In the case of the permits which are on this notice for proposed modification, only those conditions subject to modification are open to public comment. A public hearing may be requested or additional information regarding public hearing procedures is available by writing to the EPD at 2 MLK Jr. Dr., 1470A East Tower, Atlanta, Georgia 30334.

If the direct hyperlink provided is not functional, the permit application, supporting documents, fact sheet, and draft permit are available on EPD’s website, GEOS at the below address and specific directions to locate the documents can be found at the end of this notice document.

**[Public Notice GEOS Instructions Directions to Access the Georgia EPD Online System July 2020.pdf](#)**

**<https://geos.epd.georgia.gov/GA/GEOS/Public/GovEnt/Shared/Pages/Main/Login.aspx>**

For additional wastewater permitting information, please contact Whitney Fenwick at [whitney.fenwick@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:whitney.fenwick@dnr.ga.gov)

For additional information regarding industrial, UIC, CAFO, or pretreatment please contact Kelli-Ann Schrage, Industrial Permitting Manager, at [kelli-ann.schrage@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:kelli-ann.schrage@dnr.ga.gov)

For additional information regarding municipal, domestic wastewater, septage, pesticide, or GEFA please contact Benoit Causse, Municipal Permitting Manager, at [benoit.causse@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:benoit.causse@dnr.ga.gov)

Please bring or attach this notice to the attention of interested persons.

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### **Bryan County**

**EPD Notice Type:** LAS Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GAJ020011

**Facility Name:** Water Utility Management, LLC – Dunham Marsh Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP)

**Mailing Address:** 28 Abercorn Street, Savannah, Georgia 31401

**Facility Address:** Dunham Marsh Trail, Richmond Hill, Georgia 31324

**River Basin:** Ogeechee River Basin

**Receiving Water:** None

**Description:** Up to 0.083 MGD of treated domestic wastewater is being land applied onto a dedicated site in Bryan County. Additionally, the permit is being modified to include language for an approved Sludge Management Plan to deliver sludge to another permitted facility (Fort Stewart WPCP – NPDES Permit No. GA0047180) for further treatment and ultimate disposal.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 603673

**GEOS Hyperlink:**

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### **Bryan County**

**EPD Notice Type:** LAS Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GAJ030768

**Facility Name:** Water Utility Management, LLC – Waterford Landing Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP)

**Mailing Address:** 28 Abercorn Street, Savannah, Georgia 31401

**Facility Address:** 731 Waterford Landing Road, Richmond Hill, Georgia 31324

**River Basin:** Ogeechee River Basin

**Receiving Water:** None

**Description:** Up to 0.104 MGD of treated domestic wastewater is being land applied onto a dedicated site in Bryan County. Additionally, the permit is being modified to include language for an approved Sludge Management Plan to deliver sludge to another permitted facility (Fort Stewart WPCP – NPDES Permit No. GA0047180) for further treatment and ultimate disposal.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 869167

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### **Bryan County**

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Modification

**Permit No.:** GA0038377

**Facility Name:** City of Pembroke – Pembroke Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP)

**Mailing Address:** Post Office Box 130, Pembroke, Georgia 31321

**Facility Address:** 1784 Sims Road, Pembroke, Georgia 31321

**River Basin:** Ogeechee River Basin

**Receiving Water:** None

**Description:** Up to 0.35 MGD (monthly average) of treated domestic wastewater is land applied to a dedicated site in Bryan County. The permit also includes effluent limitations and monitoring requirements for a future expanded flow of 0.5 MGD. Groundwater beneath the land treatment system is collected in an underdrain collection system and discharged to an unnamed tributary of Mill Creek in the Ogeechee River Basin. The permit is being modified to include effluent limitations and monitoring requirements for a new discharge of 0.65 MGD to an unnamed tributary of Mill Creek. Additionally, the underdrain discharge will be abandoned, and any underdrain effluent will be rerouted to the headworks of the new facility after receiving EPD authorization to operate under the B.4. effluent limitations for the new discharge (0.65 MGD).

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 892061

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### **Dodge County**

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GA0046485

**Facility Name:** City of Eastman – Sugar Creek Water Pollution Control Plant

**Mailing Address:** P.O. Box 40 Eastman, Georgia 31023

**Facility Address:** GA Highway 117, Eastman, Georgia 31023

**River Basin:** Ocmulgee River Basin

**Receiving Water:** Unnamed Tributary of Sugar Creek

**Description:** Up to 1.8 MGD of treated domestic wastewater is being discharged.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 650258

**GEOS Hyperlink:**

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### **Fulton County**

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Issuance

**Permit No.:** GA0050346

**Facility Name:** Microsoft Data Center (CCO06)

**Mailing Address:** 1 Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA 98052

**Facility Address:** 8600 Tatum Road, Palmetto, GA 30268

**River Basin:** Flint

**Receiving Water:** Unnamed tributary to Shoal Creek

**Description:** A maximum of 0.08 MGD of non-contact cooling water is discharged to an unnamed tributary to Shoal Creek in the Flint River Basin.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 843726

**Hyperlink:**

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### **Hall County**

**EPD Notice Type:** LAS Permit Issuance

**Permit No.:** GAJ040053

**Facility Name:** FIDES Waterside, LLC – Waterside North Water Reclamation Facility

**Mailing Address:** 3017 Bolling Way NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30305

**Facility Address:** 3450 North Waterworks Road, Buford, Georgia 30518

**River Basin:** Chattahoochee River Basin

**Receiving Water:** None

**Description:** Up to 0.0214 MGD of treated domestic wastewater will be land applied onto a dedicated site in Hall County.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 816781

**GEOS Hyperlink:**

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### **Oconee County**

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GA0004138

**Facility Name:** Star Thread Energy Partners, LLC – Barnett Shoals Hydroelectric Plant

**Mailing Address:** 45 Lawanna Drive, Watkinsville, GA 30677

**Facility Address:** Old Barnett Shoals Road, Athens, GA 30605

**River Basin:** Oconee

**Receiving Water:** Oconee River

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**Description:** An average of 0.0072 MGD of once through non-contact cooling water/units 1-4 turbine shaft packing leakage is discharged to the Oconee River in the Oconee River Basin.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 745428

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### **Rockdale County**

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Modification

**Permit No.:** GA0035491

**Facility Name:** PoyntSource Solutions, Inc. - Lakeview Utilities Water Pollution Control Plant

**Mailing Address:** 1 Frontier Drive, Suite 102, Conyers, Georgia 30012

**Facility Address:** 1 Frontier Dr. NW, Conyers, Georgia 30012

**River Basin:** Ocmulgee

**Receiving Water:** Yellow River

**Description:** Modification to reduce the permitted flow from 0.158 MGD to 0.149 MGD and to reduce monitoring frequencies for some of the permit parameters. Only the conditions subject to modification are open to public comment.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 877304

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### **Stewart County**

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GA0021539

**Facility Name:** Richland Water Pollution Control Plant

**Mailing Address:** 390 Broad St., Richland, GA 31825

**Facility Address:** 24 Milliken Avenue, Richland, GA 31825

**River Basin:** Flint

**Receiving Water:** Bear Creek

**Description:** Up to 0.3 MGD of treated effluent is discharged into Bear Creek.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 796488

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### Washington County

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GA0002135

**Facility Name:** Thiele Kaolin Company – Deepstep Road

**Mailing Address:** 520 Kaolin Road, Sandersville, GA 31082

**Facility Address:** 4062 Deepstep Road, Sandersville, GA 31082

**River Basin:** Oconee

**Receiving Water:** Unnamed Tributary to Keg Creek

**Description:** Operations of the Thiele Kaolin Company’s Deepstep Road facility are kaolin processing and beneficiation including but not limited to blunging, grit removal, classification, brightness improvements through magnetic separation and leaching, filtration, spray drying, wet slurry, and packaging/shipping activities. Operations for all three outfalls – 001 (5A), 002 (5C), & 003 (1A) – are listed as process wastewater, pit pump-out, and stormwater. Treatment for each outfall includes sedimentation, flocculation, and neutralization.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 688348

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### Wheeler County

**EPD Notice Type:** NPDES Permit Reissuance

**Permit No.:** GA0021377

**Facility Name:** Glenwood Water Pollution Control Plant

**Mailing Address:** Post Office Box 616, Glenwood, Georgia 30428

**Facility Address:** Second Street Highway 19 South, Glenwood, GA 30428

**River Basin:** Oconee

**Receiving Water:** Peterson Creek

**Description:** Up to 0.11 MGD OF treated effluent is discharged into Peterson Creek.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 626570

**GEOS Hyperlink:**

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### Wilkes County

**EPD Notice Type:** Pretreatment Permit Issuance

**Permit No.:** GAP050368

**Facility Name:** Pliant LLC Berry Global

**Mailing Address:** 199 Edison Road, Washington, GA 30673

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**River Basin:** Savannah

**Receiving Water:** City of Washington Rocky Creek WPCP

**Description:** A maximum of 0.196 MGD of contact cooling water and sanitary wastewater is discharged to the City of Washington Rocky Creek WPCP in the Savannah River Basin.

**GEOS Submittal ID:** 890160

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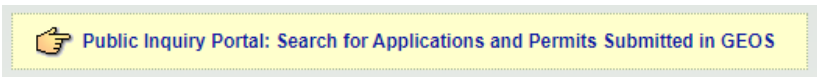
### Directions to Access the Georgia EPD Online System (GEOS) Public Portal

1. Navigate to the GEOS homepage:

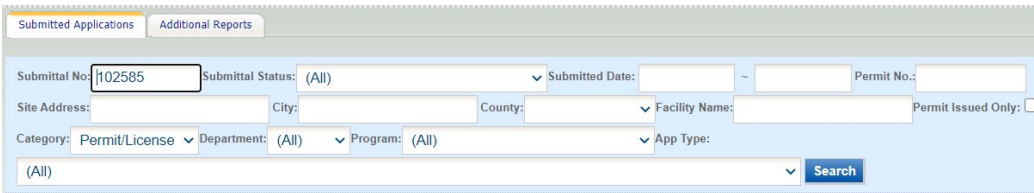
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2. Find the Public Inquiry Portal link in the middle of the page or navigate directly to:

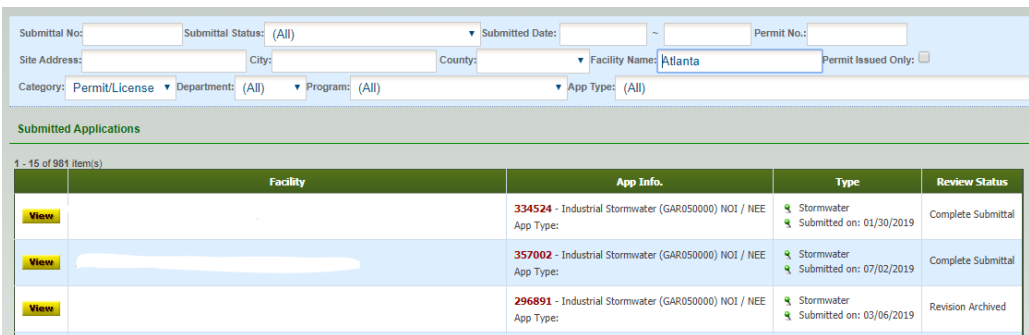
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3. The easiest way to locate the facility and associated documents is to only enter the GEOS submittal ID provided in the public notice.



4. If the GEOS submittal ID was not provided or it's not working, enter the site address or facility name and select "Search" to find a submittal. Note that partial search terms are allowed and encouraged when exact terms including punctuation are not precisely known. Less is more when searching in the GEOS portal. As you can see below, the search results provide the facility name, application information, application type, and the application review status.



Facility	App Info.	Type	Review Status
<a href="#">View</a>	334524 - Industrial Stormwater (GAR050000) NOI / NEE App Type:	Stormwater Submitted on: 01/30/2019	Complete Submittal
<a href="#">View</a>	357002 - Industrial Stormwater (GAR050000) NOI / NEE App Type:	Stormwater Submitted on: 07/02/2019	Complete Submittal
<a href="#">View</a>	296891 - Industrial Stormwater (GAR050000) NOI / NEE App Type:	Stormwater Submitted on: 03/06/2019	Revision Archived

5. Selecting "View" will allow the searcher to view the submittal information, application form, attachments, and where applicable, the draft and final issued permit.