# PUBLIC NOTICE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION

PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 2018–15ML

**AUGUST 13, 2018** 

I. NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR A NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT TO DISCHARGE TREATED WASTEWATER INTO WATERS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

NPDES permits are valid for a maximum of five years. Prior to expiration of an existing permit, a new application must be submitted and evaluated.

An antidegradation analysis is conducted, as applicable, for new or expanded point source discharges that are proposed. 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 use is maintained and protected.

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

Having reviewed such applications, the Environmental Protection Division (EPD) is considering the issuance of NPDES permits to the following applicants, subject to specific pollutant limitations and special conditions.

# **NPDES PERMIT REISSUANCE**

## **Chatham County**

GAF Materials Corporation, P.O. Box 7329, Savannah, Georgia 31408, NPDES Permit No. GA0003841, for its asphalt roofing products manufacturing facility located at 1 Brampton Road, Savannah, Georgia 31418 in Chatham County. Approximately 0.42 MGD of roofing mill once through contact cooling water, boiler water, process contact cooling water, HVAC water and stormwater is discharged to the Savannah River in the Savannah River Basin.

### **Heard County**

Heard County Water Authority, P.O. Box 610, West Franklin, Georgia, 30217, NPDES Permit No. GA0021148, for the Water Pollution Control Plant located at 448 South River Road, Franklin, Georgia 30217. Up to 0.16 MGD of treated wastewater is being discharged to the Chattahoochee River in Heard County. The permit also includes future effluent limits for a plant expansion to 0.25 MGD.

### NPDES PERMIT TERMINATION

### **Monroe County**

Florida Rock Industries, 800 Mount Vernon Highway Suite 200, Atlanta, Georgia 30328, NPDES Permit No. GA0035556, for its granite crushing and washing facility located at 3582 Pea Ridge Road, Juliette, Georgia 31046, in Monroe County. Vulcan Materials Company, L.L.C. has requested coverage for under the Mining and Processing General Permit. NPDES Permit No. GA0035556 is no longer necessary.

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# **Morgan County**

City of Madison, 132 North Main Street, Madison, Georgia, 30650, NPDES Permit No. GA0023159, for the Northside Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP) located at 1330 Hayes Street, Madison, Georgia, 30650 in Morgan County. The Northside WPCP has ceased discharging.

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Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations are invited to submit same in writing to the EPD address below or via e-mail at <a href="EPDcomments@dnr.ga.gov">EPDcomments@dnr.ga.gov</a>, no later than September 13, 2018. Please use the words "Public Notice No. 2018-15ML" 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. In the case of the Industrial Pretreatment Program Approvals and Modifications comments are to be submitted to EPD no later than September 28, 2018. A public hearing may be requested or additional information regarding public hearing procedures is available by writing the EPD at the address noted below.

A fact sheet or copy of draft permits are available by writing the Environmental Protection Division. The permit application, draft permit, comments received, and other information are available for review at 2 MLK Jr. Dr. S.W., 1152 East Tower, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. For additional information contact: Audra Dickson, Wastewater Regulatory Program, phone (404) 463-1511. Please bring this notice to the attention of interested persons.