

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
PUBLIC NOTICE
WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

October 24, 2019
Notice Issue Date

City of Peachtree Corners/Gwinnett County
City/County

November 25, 2019
Notice Close Date

BV-067-19-12
Control Number

Farrell Creek-Chattahoochee Interceptor Upgrade/
Gravity Sewer Improvements
(Revision to Previous Approval)
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. Clara Davis at (404) 463-2382 or e-mail clara.davis@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)}: D

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

The applicant proposes to revise previously approved stream buffer variance BV-067-18-11. Additional impacts to 178 linear feet (3,518 ft²) of stream buffer along Farrell Creek will occur in 2 separate areas. Impacts are necessary to upgrade and replace in-line the existing sewer line from 10" VCP and 12" with a 18" DIP. The sewer will be moved approx. 150 to the west to avoid potential conflict with a privately-owned masonry retaining wall that is in-place for stormwater detention. Upon completion of land-disturbing activities, the stream buffer will be restored to a naturally vegetated state to the extent practicable, or to current existing conditions. The project begins on Peachtree Corners Circle 0.2 mi. from the intersection of GA-141 and Peachtree Corners Circle.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Ms. Rebecca Shelton
Deputy Director
Gwinnett County Department of Water Resources
684 Winder Highway
Lawrenceville, Georgia 30045

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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