ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION PUBLIC NOTICE WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

December 2, 2020 Notice Issue Date City of Monroe/Walton County City/County

January 4, 2021 Notice Close Date BV-147-20-02 Control Number

Alcovy River Gravity Sewerline Installation Alcovy River Outfall S.R. 138 to Reliant Pump Station GPS Coordinates: 33.780, -83.753 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 <u>arnettia.murphy@dnr.ga.gov</u> 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:

Applicant proposes to impact 1,498 linear feet (15,475 ft²) of stream buffer along the Alcovy River and two unnamed tributaries to install a 12" PVC and 12" Ductile Iron & 18" PVC and 18" Ductile Iron" sanitary sewer line with associated manholes to increase sanitary sewer service for the City of Monroe. The project begins at the Alcovy River Outfall S.R. 138 and ends at Reliant Pump Station.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant:

Mr. Patrick Kelly Director of Code City of Monroe 215 North Broad St. Monroe, Georgia 30655

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:

Peggy Chambers, Environmental Specialist EPD, Watershed Protection Branch NonPoint Source Program 2 MLK Jr., Dr., SW Suite 1462 East Atlanta, Georgia 30334 Telephone: 404/651-8549 FAX: 404/651-8455