## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION PUBLIC NOTICE WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

August 25, 2016 Notice Issue Date City of Statesboro City/County

September 26, 2016 Notice Close Date <u>BV-016-16-01</u> Control Number

## Vaden Nissan Expansion/Additional Parking Area 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 immediately 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. Thais Edwards at (404) 463-2387 or e-mail <u>thais.edwards@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)}: \_\_\_\_\_

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

Applicant proposes to permanently impact a total of 265 linear feet (13,297ft<sup>2</sup>) of stream and buffer along an unnamed tributary to Little Lots Creek to construct a parking area for an existing motor vehicle dealership. The project is located along Brannen St., west of the intersection of Brannen St. and Veterans Memorial Parkway within the City limits of Statesboro.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant:	<u>Mr. William T. Daniel Jr.</u>
	Statesboro Dealership Properties, LLC
	12020 Abercorn St.
	Savannah, Georgia 31419

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