

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
PUBLIC NOTICE
WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

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Notice Issue Date

Newnan / Coweta County
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March 27, 2017
Notice Close Date

BV-038-17-01
Control Number

Newnan Crossing – Stormwater Detention Pond
(Poplar Road and Newnan Crossing Boulevard, Newnan, GA 30265)
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 SW, Suite 418 West, Atlanta, GA 30334. Please contact Ms. Jarell Singleton at (404) 463-2382 or email jarell.singleton@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 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SW, Suite 1462 East, Atlanta, GA 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-.11 (2)(a-k)}: (a)

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

The proposed project involves the construction of a stormwater detention pond in a planned commercial development located at Poplar Road and Newnan Crossing Boulevard in Newnan. The existing earthen dam and pond have been breached and drained. Subsequently, a vegetated wetland and intermittent stream have developed within the relic pond. This project will consist of constructing a new earthen dam (23.25 feet high with a storage capacity of 16.66 acre-feet) with a new outlet control structure (48-inch RCP outlet pipe) and earthen emergency spillway. Construction activities will result in permanent buffer impacts to 130 linear feet (7,929 square feet) along an unnamed intermittent stream, a tributary to White Oak Creek in the Upper Flint Watershed.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Robert Hancock
Glover & Company
10 Brown Street
P.O. Box 1038
Newnan, GA 30264

Summary of Rules Requirements for Variance Application:

The application for a variance must include an approved 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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