

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION
PUBLIC NOTICE
WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

April 13, 2018
Notice Issue Date

Rockdale County
City/County

May 14, 2018
Notice Close Date

BV-122-18-02
Control Number

Klondike Road/McDaniel Mill Road/Hurst Road
Intersection Improvements
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. Thais Edwards at (404) 463-2382 or e-mail Thais.edwards@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)}: A

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

The applicant proposes to impact a total of 363 linear feet of stream buffer (1,486 ft²) along an unnamed tributary to Honey Creek to conduct improvements at the intersection of Klondike Road, McDaniel Mill Road, and Hurst Road. Stream buffer impacts include clearing and fill to construct a single-lane roundabout approximately 550 feet south of the existing intersection. Upon completion of land-disturbance, the area within the buffer will be restored to a naturally vegetated state to the extent practicable, or to current existing conditions.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant: Mr. Brian Allen
Director, Rockdale County Department of Transportation
2570 Old Covington Highway
Conyers, Georgia 30012

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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