

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION**

**PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 2018-04ML**

**FEBRUARY 23, 2018**

**I. NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR A NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT TO DISCHARGE TREATED WASTEWATER INTO WATERS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA**

NPDES permits are valid for a maximum of five years. Prior to expiration of an existing permit, a new application must be submitted and evaluated.

An antidegradation analysis is conducted, as applicable, for new or expanded point source discharges that are proposed. The analysis evaluates whether allowing lower water quality is necessary to accommodate important economic or social development in the area in which the waters are located. In all cases, existing instream water uses and the level of water quality necessary to protect the existing use is maintained and protected.

All municipalities must be in compliance with the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) Service Delivery Strategy in order to receive a permit.

Having reviewed such applications, the Environmental Protection Division (EPD) is considering the issuance of NPDES permits to the following applicants, subject to specific pollutant limitations and special conditions.

**NPDES PERMIT REISSUANCE**

**Banks County**

Banks County, 150 Hudson Road, Suite 1, Homer, Georgia 30547, NPDES Permit No. GA0050215, for the Banks County Hudson River Water Pollution Control Plant located at 1521 Duncan Road, Commerce, Georgia 30530. Up to 0.125 MGD of treated wastewater will be discharged to the Hudson River in the Savannah River Basin. The permit contains provisions for expansions to 0.25 MGD, 0.5 MGD, and 1.0 MGD.

**Hall County**

Shady Grove Mobile Home Park, 3545 Wallis Road, Flowery Branch, Georgia 30542, NPDES Permit No. GA0023469, for its Shady Grove Mobile Home Park Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP) located 3545 Wallis Road, Flowery Branch, Georgia 30542. Up to 0.0029 MGD of treated wastewater is being discharged to an unnamed tributary to Balus Creek in the Chattahoochee River Basin.

**Houston County**

City of Warner Robins, 202 North Davis Drive, PMB 718, Warner Robins, Georgia, 31093, NPDES Permit No. GA0030325, for the City of Warner Robins – Sandy Run Creek WPCP located at 250 Industrial Park Boulevard, Warner Robins, Georgia 31099. Up to 12 MGD of treated wastewater is being discharged to Sandy Run Creek in the Ocmulgee River Basin.

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**Oglethorpe County**

City of Crawford, Post Office Box 383, Crawford, Georgia 30630, NPDES Permit No. GA0039144, for its Crawford Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP) located at Athens Road, Crawford, Georgia 30630. Up to 0.175 MGD of treated wastewater is being discharged to Barrow Creek in the Oconee River Basin. The draft permit also includes effluent limitations for the expanded flow of 0.25 MGD of treated wastewater.

**Rockdale County**

Rockdale County, 958 Milstead Avenue, Conyers, Georgia, 30012, NPDES Permit No. GA0026239, for the Rockdale County Scott Creek Water Pollution Control Plant located at Highway 212 South, Conyers, Georgia 30207. Up to 0.22 MGD of treated wastewater is being discharged to the Bailey Creek in the Ocmulgee River Basin. In addition, the permit has been modified to include language for an approved sludge management plan to allow sewage sludge generated at the plant to be delivered to another permitted facility for treatment and ultimate disposal.

**NPDES PERMIT MODIFICATION**

**Coweta County:**

Newnan Utilities, PO Box 578, Newnan, Georgia, 30264, NPDES Permit No. GA0031721, for the Wahoo Creek WPCP located at 291 Millard Farmer Industrial Boulevard, Newnan, Georgia 30263. The permit is being modified to include a combined Total Phosphorus limit with Mineral Springs WRF (NPDES Permit No. GA0021423).

Newnan Utilities, PO Box 578, Newnan, Georgia, 30264, NPDES Permit No. GA0021423, for the Newnan Utilities – Mineral Springs WRF located at 55 Derring Circle, Newnan, Georgia 30263. This permit is being modified to include the interim flow of 0.95 MGD and 1.2 MGD

**NPDES PERMIT TERMINATION**

**Greene County**

Vulcan Construction Materials, LLC., 3925 N. Henry Blvd. Stockbridge, Georgia 30281, NPDES Permit No. GA0026743, for its granite quarry facility located at 1191 Bethany Road Greensboro GA 30642 in Greensboro, Greene County, Georgia. The Vulcan Materials Company, LLC – Siloam Quarry has requested coverage under the General Mining and Processing Facilities Permit (No. GAG300000). NPDES Permit No. GA0026743 is no longer necessary.

**Montgomery County**

Taylor Farms, 2528 US Hwy 221 N, Mount Vernon, Georgia 30445, NPDES Permit No. GA0038156, for its swine farm located at 2528 US Hwy 221 N Mount Vernon Georgia 303445 Mount Vernon, Montgomery County, Georgia. Taylor Farms has requested coverage under the General LAS permit for Animal Feeding Operations – More than 1000 Animal Units (Permit No. GAG940000). NPDES Permit No. GA0038156 is no longer necessary.

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**II. NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR AN INDUSTRIAL PRETREATMENT PERMITS TO DISCHARGE WASTEWATER TO A PUBLICLY OWNED TREATMENT WORKS.**

Industrial Pretreatment permits are valid for a maximum of five years. Prior to expiration of an existing permit, a new application must be submitted and evaluated.

**NEW INDUSTRIAL PRETREATMENT PERMIT ISSUANCE**

**Effingham County**

Edwards Interiors, Inc. P.O. Box 948 Rincon, GA 31326 Permit No. GAP050324, for its metal finishing facility located at Edwards Interiors, Inc. 121 Entrepreneur Way Rincon, Effingham County, GA 31326. A maximum of 0.002 MGD of pretreated metal-finishing process wastewater is discharged to the City of Springfield Water Reclamation Facility in the Savannah River Basin.

**III. NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR A LAND APPLICATION SYSTEM PERMIT FOR THE DISPOSAL OF WASTEWATER APPLIED TO THE SURFACE OR BENEATH THE SURFACE OF LAND.**

Land Application System (LAS) permits are valid for a maximum of five years. Prior to expiration of an existing permit, a new application must be submitted and evaluated.

All municipalities must be in compliance with the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) Service Delivery Strategy in order to receive a permit.

**LAND APPLICATION SYSTEM PERMIT REISSUANCE**

**Chattahoochee County**

The Unified Government of Cusseta-Chattahoochee County, 215 McNaughton Street, Cusseta, Georgia 31805 LAS Permit No. GAJ020224, for its Chattahoochee County Industrial Park Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP) located at Industrial Park Road in Cusseta, Georgia. Up to 0.0225 MGD of treated wastewater is being land applied to a site in Chattahoochee County in the Chattahoochee River Basin.

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**IV. NOTICE OF AN INDUSTRIAL PRETREATMENT PROGRAM**

**INDUSTRIAL PRETREATMENT PROGRAM – MODIFICATION**

**Thomas County**

City of Thomasville, PO Box 1540, Thomasville, Georgia 31799, for substantial modifications to its industrial pretreatment program covering the Thomasville WPCP (GA0024082). This modification will serve to revise the City of Thomasville’s local limits.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations are invited to submit same in writing to the EPD address below or via e-mail at **EPDcomments @dnr.ga.gov**, no later than **March 25, 2018**. Please use the words “**Public Notice No. 2018-04ML**” and the name of the subject facility that you are commenting on in the subject line to ensure that your comments will be forwarded to the correct staff. All comments received prior to or on that date will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. In the case of the permits which are on this notice for proposed modification, only those conditions -subject to modification are open to public comment. In the case of the Industrial Pretreatment Program Approvals and Modifications comments are to be submitted to EPD no later than **April 9, 2018**. A public hearing may be requested or additional information regarding public hearing procedures is available by writing the EPD at the address noted below.

A fact sheet or copy of draft permits are available by writing the Environmental Protection Division. The permit application, draft permit, comments received, and other information are available for review at 2 MLK Jr. Dr. S.W., 1152 East Tower, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. For additional information contact: Jeff Larson, Wastewater Regulatory Program, phone (404) 463-1511. Please bring this notice to the attention of interested persons.