



**Notice of Draft Groundwater Withdrawal Permit –
City of Ludowici – January 20, 2017**

The Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) announces its intent to issue a New Groundwater (GW) Withdrawal Permit No. 091-0003 for water withdrawal of 0.300 MGD/ 0.300 MGD (Monthly Average/Annual Average in million gallons per day) from one well in the Floridan aquifer for the purpose of a central water supply, and reduce Ludowici's current Miocene aquifer GW withdrawal permit (No. 091-0002) by the same amount. EPD also announces its intent to issue Modified GW Withdrawal Permit No. 091-0002 for water withdrawal of 0.300 MGD/ 0.300 MGD (Monthly Average/Annual Average in million gallons per day) from two wells in the Miocene aquifer for the purpose of a central water supply, a reduction from the current 0.600 MGD/ 0.600 MGD (Monthly Average/Annual Average in million gallons per day), resulting in no net increase in permit limits.

MODIFIED GROUNDWATER WITHDRAWAL PERMIT

Permittee's Name: City of Ludowici

Permittee's Address: Ludowici, GA 31316

River Basin: Altamaha

Comment Period Expires: February 20, 2017

Additional Information: The draft permit and all information used to develop the draft permit are available for review. The information includes the application and all relevant supporting materials available to the permitting authority used in the permit review process. This information is available for review at the office of the Watershed Protection Branch, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., S.E., East Floyd Towers, Suite 1152, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. All comments received prior to or on the comment period expiration date above will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the permit.

Persons wishing to comment on the draft Permit are required to submit their comments, in writing, to:

Bill Frechette, Unit Manager
Water Supply Program – **Groundwater Withdrawal Unit**
2 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., S.E.
East Floyd Towers, Suite 1362
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

A public hearing may be held if the Director of the EPD finds a significant degree of public interest in a draft permit.