



## STAFF ACTION ITEM

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**MEETING DATE:** 10/06/2025

**TITLE:** Georgia Department of Natural Resources – Environmental Protection Division; Consent Order (ORDER) Unpermitted Discharge of Untreated Sewage

**PRESENTED BY:** Brandon Rakestraw – Public Works Director

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### **AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION (Agenda Content):**

Georgia Department of Natural Resources – Environmental Protection Division; Consent Order (ORDER) Unpermitted Discharge of Untreated Sewage

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### **HISTORY/PAST ACTION:**

N/A

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### **FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

\$48,855.00

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### **INFORMATION:**

Request approval to enter into and execute EPD issued Consent Order Agreement dated September 22, 2025.

Unpermitted Discharge of Untreated Sewage:

- 1- May 11, 2022 – Major Spill 198,000 gallons; Griffin Creek; Collection System
- 2- May 12, 2022 – Notification of fish kill; Griffin and Lawrence Creek; May 11 major spill; Collection System
- 3- December 6, 2022 – Minor Spill 1,500 gallons Weaver Creek; Collection System

- 4- April 5, 2023 – Minor Spill 3,600 gallons Lawrence Creek; Collection System
- 5- April 9, 2023 – Minor Spill 2,300 gallons Bone Creek; Collection System
- 6- November 14, 2023 – Minor Spill 3,600 gallons Bone Creek; Collection System
- 7- December 20, 2023 – Minor Spill 2,400 gallons Griffin Creek; Collection System
- 8- January 5, 2024 – Minor Spill 1,200 gallons Weaver Creek; Collection System
- 9- April 22, 2024 – Minor Spill 1,000 gallons Unnamed tributary of Pumpkinvine Creek; Collection System
- 10- September 3, 2024 – Minor Spill 6,600 gallons Unnamed tributary of Pumpkinvine Creek; Collection System
- 11- September 4, 2024 – Minor Spill 5,400 gallons Weaver Creek; Collection System
- 12- January 15, 2025 – Minor Spill 6,000 gallons Unnamed tributary of Pumpkinvine Creek; Collection System
- 13- February 26, 2025 – Minor Spill 600 gallons Griffin Creek; Collection System
- 14- April 13, 2025 – Minor Spill 3,600 gallons Lawrence Creek; Collection System
- 15- May 9, 2025 – Major Spill 29,000 gallons Bone Creek; Collection System