

# Georgia Environmental Protection Division

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# Air Protection Branch

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct ambient monitoring for acid rain, air toxics, volatile organic compounds (VOCs), lead, ozone, sulfur dioxide, carbon monoxide, nitrogen dioxide, particulate matter, and meteorological conditions</li> <li>• Measure levels of air pollutants throughout the state</li> <li>• Use data to determine compliance with ambient air quality standards</li> <li>• Use data to evaluate the need for special controls and to assist with citizen inquiries</li> <li>• Maintain and report the air pollution indices</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specify and approve stationary source emissions monitoring and testing procedures</li> <li>• Help to ensure adequate permit conditions and actions regarding source monitoring and testing issues</li> <li>• Audit required stationary source emissions testing and required instrumentation to monitor compliance at industrial facilities</li> <li>• Observe and certify all acid rain emission continuous monitors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Implement enhanced vehicle emissions inspection and maintenance program</li> <li>• Implement clean fueled fleets program</li> <li>• Implement Georgia Gasoline program</li> <li>• Ensure compliance with Stage I and II gasoline recovery rules</li> <li>• Address NAAQS nonattainment area issues, including developing and implementing mobile and area control strategies</li> <li>• Handle public affairs and news media relations for the Air Protection Branch</li> <li>• Implement public participation plans</li> <li>• Implement voluntary mobile emission reduction activities through The Clean Air Campaign</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop state implementation plans and air quality rules for attainment of federal air quality standards</li> <li>• Develop control strategies for air quality attainment plans</li> <li>• Develop emissions and air quality modeling for air quality planning and computer dispersion modeling for permit reviews</li> <li>• Develop and maintain periodic emission inventories for area sources and on-road and non-road mobile sources</li> <li>• Establish and collect air permit fees</li> <li>• Manage all Air Branch financial functions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct inspections of stationary sources of air pollution (includes combustion, chemical, mineral and VOC sources)</li> <li>• Enforce Air Quality Control Rules for combustion, chemical, mineral, and VOC sources</li> <li>• Ensure that sources of air toxics are in compliance with air toxics rules</li> <li>• Respond to citizen complaints about air quality problems</li> <li>• Provide compliance assistance to newly regulated sources subject to air toxics rules</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review applications and issue air quality permits for new and modified industrial and other stationary sources of air pollution</li> <li>• Review applications and issue Title V air pollution permits and Synthetic Minor source permits</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Post-closure permitting, compliance monitoring, and enforcement at closed hazardous waste land disposal facilities</li> <li>• Review cleanups for privately-owned/operated National Priorities List sites</li> <li>• Perform risk assessments for both human health and ecological impacts</li> <li>• Review delisting petitions</li> </ul>
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<b>HAZARDOUS SITES RESPONSE</b>
<b>Alexandra Cleary, Program Manager</b>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Administer the State Superfund</li> <li>• Publish the Hazardous Sites Inventory (HSI) each year</li> <li>• Collect hazardous and solid waste management fees</li> <li>• Take enforcement actions requiring responsible parties to do site investigations and cleanups</li> <li>• Oversee HSI sites being investigated and cleaned up by responsible parties</li> <li>• Require notification for releases of hazardous substances</li> <li>• Clean up HSI sites using Hazardous Waste Trust Fund when responsible parties are unwilling or unable</li> <li>• Pursue cost recovery against responsible parties when Hazardous Waste Trust Fund has been used</li> <li>• Fund state and local government costs associated with investigating and cleaning up solid waste handling facilities</li> <li>• Conduct preliminary assessments and site evaluations for the federal Superfund program</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Generator Compliance Unit (Jack Dempsey)</li> <li>◆ Hazardous Waste Compliance Unit (Freddie Dunn, Jr.)</li> <li>◆ Government Facilities Unit (Bruce Khaleghi)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Combustion &amp; Treatment Unit (David Yardumian)</li> <li>◆ Commercial Facilities Unit (Mike Elster, Team Leader)</li> <li>◆ Department of Defense Remediation Unit (Amy Potter)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct compliance monitoring and enforcement for hazardous waste handlers that are not required to have a permit to treat or store hazardous waste at their facilities, including hazardous waste handlers owned or operated by federal, state or local governments</li> <li>• Covers large and small hazardous waste generators, conditionally exempt small quantity generators, hazardous waste transporters, universal waste facilities, marketers of hazardous waste fuel, and used oil facilities</li> <li>• Conduct compliance monitoring and enforcement activities hazardous waste generators and transporters, used oil transporters, marketers and processors</li> <li>• Provide technical assistance for commercial reclamation of batteries, antifreeze, used oil, and fluorescent light bulbs</li> <li>• Investigate and remediate ground water and soil for hazardous substance releases regulated under the Georgia Hazardous Waste Management Act</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct permitting, compliance monitoring, and enforcement at hazardous waste facilities that treat or store hazardous waste</li> <li>• Covers hazardous waste handlers owned/operated by federal (DoD) government, all commercial hazardous waste facilities that treat, store or dispose of hazardous wastes, and all hazardous waste burners (incinerators and industrial furnaces)</li> <li>• Investigate and remediate ground water and soil for hazardous substance releases regulated under the Georgia Hazardous Waste Management Act</li> <li>• Review cleanups for federal National Priorities List sites</li> </ul>
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## BROWNFIELDS DEVELOPMENT UNIT

**Madeleine Kellam,  
Unit Coordinator**

**(Reports directly to Branch Chief)**

- Oversees cleanup of contaminated property conducted by private parties under the Georgia Hazardous Site Reuse and Redevelopment ("Brownfields") Act
- Issues limitation of liability certificates for brownfields properties where cleanups have been completed
- Reviews and certifies brownfields cleanup costs eligible for property tax abatement
- Maintains Georgia's public records for brownfields properties

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## HAZARDOUS WASTE SUPPORT UNIT

**Verona Barnes,  
Unit Coordinator**

**(Reports directly to Branch Chief)**

- Assign EPA identification numbers for hazardous waste facilities
- Maintain EPA RCRAInfo National database for Georgia facilities
- Collect hazardous waste generation and management information for National Hazardous Waste Report (Biennial Report)
- RCRA Rules revisions and EPA authorization for program operations

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<b>SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT</b> Jeff Cown, Program Manager
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review applications and plans for solid waste handling facilities (including landfills, incinerators, materials recovery facilities, compost facilities) and issue permits for solid waste handling facilities</li> <li>• Conduct compliance inspections for industrial solid waste facilities</li> <li>• Coordinate Landfill Operator Certification Program</li> <li>• Review applications, approve surface mining land use plans and issue surface mining permits</li> <li>• Review and approve bonding requirements for surface mining operations and ensure reclamation of completed mining operations</li> <li>• Review remediation plans and analyses of ground water, surface water and methane monitoring at solid waste handling facilities</li> <li>• Review site suitability reports for solid waste handling facilities</li> <li>• Review corrective action plans for ground water and methane compliance violations</li> </ul>
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<b>UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK MANAGEMENT</b> Vacant, Program Manager
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct compliance inspections and enforcement of regulations for installation, operation, closure, and clean up of petroleum and hazardous substance underground storage tank (UST) systems</li> <li>• Enforce spill, overfill, and corrosion protection requirements</li> <li>• Ensure compliance with Stage I and II gasoline vapor recovery rules at gasoline filling stations</li> <li>• Ensure annual registrations of operating UST systems</li> <li>• Review and approve UST closure reports and corrective action plans</li> <li>• Provide corrective action contractors for cleanup of eligible UST facilities</li> <li>• Administer the Georgia Underground Storage Tank and Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust Funds</li> <li>• Responsible for compliance monitoring and inspections at all USTs located in the 13 county Metro Atlanta air non-attainment area. Inspections include evaluations of compliance with both the underground storage tank rules and air quality rules.</li> </ul>
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<b>WASTE REDUCTION &amp; ABATEMENT</b> Lon Revall, Program Manager
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Issue generator identification numbers, carrier permits, and processor approvals for scrap tire handlers</li> <li>• Use state contractors and grants to clean up scrap tire piles</li> <li>• Assist local communities with solid waste planning and education</li> <li>• Issue scrap tire clean up and education / enforcement grants to local governments</li> <li>• Administer the Solid Waste Trust Fund</li> <li>• Certify lead-based paint contractors</li> <li>• Accredit lead-based paint and asbestos training providers</li> <li>• Impose and enforce work standards for lead-based paint and asbestos abatement projects</li> <li>• License contractors to remove friable asbestos</li> <li>• Enforce training requirements for asbestos supervisors and asbestos contractors</li> </ul>
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# Program Coordination Branch

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## ENVIRONMENTAL EMERGENCY AND RADIATION

**Ted Jackson,**  
Program Manager

- ◆ Emergency Response Team (Al Frazier)
- ◆ Risk Management (Al Frazier)

- ◆ Environmental Radiation (Jim Hardeman)

- ◆ Radioactive Materials (Cynthia Sanders)

- Respond to spills / releases of oil or hazardous materials on a 24-hour basis
- Investigate high priority complaints
- Maintain Right-to-Know (SARA/Title III) information
- Serve as staff to the State Emergency Response Commission
- Maintain Georgia Environmental Policy Act files
- Implement risk management provisions of the Clean Air Act

- Act as primary state responder to incidents at nuclear power plants
- Oversee remedial actions involving radioactive materials
- Maintain environmental radiation monitoring networks around commercial and defense nuclear facilities in or bordering Georgia
- Regulate the concentration, storage and disposal of radioactive waste material
- Provide radio-analytical support to EPD

- License and inspect users of radioactive materials
- Administer the Radiation Control Act
- Regulate the use of radioactive materials other than at nuclear reactors
- Act as primary state responder for incidents involving radioactive materials and radiation exposure at licensed facilities
- Act as part of the emergency response team for incidents at nuclear power plants

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Risk Assessments</li> <li>◆ Technical Support</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Technical Assistance Program</li> <li>◆ Small Business Ombudsman</li> <li>◆ Compliance Advisory Panel (CAP)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Education / Outreach (Carol Weight)</li> <li>◆ Quality Assurance / Training (vacant)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide technical and scientific advice on toxicology and health related matters to EPD</li> <li>• Review risk assessments, health assessments, and other scientific publications that evaluate environmental health issues</li> <li>• Coordinate interaction among state, district, and county health departments and EPD</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provides permitting and compliance assistance to small businesses (&lt;100 employees) on air quality, water quality, land protection, and hazardous waste management requirements</li> <li>• Develops education programs on environmental regulatory compliance for small businesses</li> <li>• Reviews proposed EPD regulations for potential economic impacts to small businesses and prepares small business impact memos for proposed rule packages submitted to DNR Board</li> <li>• Ombudsman acts as a liaison to EPD branches for negotiating and mediating regulatory compliance issues on behalf of small businesses.</li> <li>• Seven-member, appointed CAP provides program oversight</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coordinate and implement environmental education and outreach projects across EPD</li> <li>• Investigate and report adherence to the guidelines of EPD's Quality Assurance Plan</li> <li>• Evaluate laboratory accreditations</li> <li>• Coordinate website content</li> <li>• Develop and coordinate internal education and training courses</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct chemical and microbiological tests to ensure compliance with state and federal environmental laws and rules</li> <li>• Work exclusively with EPD regulatory and monitoring personnel</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Perform compliance and enforcement inspections of assigned facilities (includes some air, drinking water, land disturbing activities, scrap tire, solid waste, underground storage tank, wastewater facilities)</li> <li>• Respond to citizen complaints and emergencies</li> <li>• Assist and coordinate activities with other EPD programs and local or state agencies</li> <li>• Provide technical assistance to local governments</li> <li>• <u>Counties served:</u>  Bryan, Bulloch, Candler, Chatham, Effingham, Evans, Liberty, Toombs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Perform compliance and enforcement inspections of assigned facilities (includes some air, drinking water, land disturbing activities, scrap tire, solid waste, underground storage tank, wastewater facilities)</li> <li>• Respond to citizen complaints and emergencies</li> <li>• Assist and coordinate activities with other EPD programs and local or state agencies</li> <li>• Provide technical assistance to local governments</li> <li>• <u>Counties served:</u>  Appling, Atkinson, Bacon, Brantley, Camden, Charlton, Clinch, Coffee, Glynn, Jeff Davis, Long, McIntosh, Pierce, Tattnall, Ware, Wayne</li> </ul>
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Coastal District	Brunswick	(912) 264-7284	Coastal District	Savannah	(912) 353-3225
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<p><b>Bob Scott,</b> Program Manager</p>	<p><b>Bob Scott,</b> Program Manager</p>	<p><b>Jane Hendricks,</b> Program Manager</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Construction Mgmt Unit1 (Ken Bryan)</li> <li>◆ Construction Mgmt Unit 2 (Tom Roos)</li> <li>◆ Information Mgmt Unit (Lisa Peacock)</li> <li>◆ Engineering Unit 1 (Sam Shepherd)</li> <li>◆ Engineering Unit 2 (Frances Carpenter)</li> <li>◆ GEFA Implementation Unit (Vacant, Reports to Branch Chief)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Floodplain Management Unit (Map Modernization) (Collis Brown)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Compliance &amp; Enforcement Unit East (Bill Noell)</li> <li>◆ Compliance &amp; Enforcement Unit West (Marzieh Shahbaz)</li> <li>◆ Industrial Wastewater Unit (Dominic Weatherill)</li> <li>◆ Municipal Permitting Unit (David Bullard)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review and approve engineering reports, plans and specifications for wastewater treatment facilities and sewer system extensions</li> <li>• Provide technical support to Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority in administering State Revolving Fund and other loan programs and provisions of the Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District</li> <li>• Review and approve sludge management plans</li> <li>• Conduct construction inspections, process change orders, pay requests and other construction management duties for SRF- and GEFA-funded projects</li> <li>• Provide technical assistance to communities in the area of operation and maintenance of wastewater treatment facilities</li> <li>• Review operation and maintenance manuals</li> <li>• Coordinate on-the-job operator training</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assist public and local governments for maintaining compliance with criteria of the National Flood Insurance Program</li> <li>• Conduct floodplain management reviews</li> <li>• Perform Community assistance visits</li> <li>• Cooperate as a technical partner</li> <li>• Perform outreach and technical assistance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Issue NPDES and Land Application permits to municipal, industrial, federal, and privately owned water pollution control plants</li> <li>• Issue industrial pretreatment permits</li> <li>• Issue Concentrated Animal Feedlot Operation (CAFO) permits</li> <li>• Monitor and enforce permit compliance</li> <li>• Inspect land application of municipal biosolids</li> <li>• Inspect, sample, and evaluate operations and permittee self-monitoring</li> <li>• Review engineering reports and technical documents for industrial facilities</li> <li>• Review and audit local pretreatment programs</li> <li>• Review sewer use ordinances</li> <li>• Evaluate sewer connection requests and treatment adequacy</li> <li>• Respond to citizen complaints regarding water quality</li> </ul>
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<b>SAFE DAMS</b>  <b>Ed Fiegle,</b> <b>Program Manager</b>	<b>WATER WITHDRAWAL PERMITTING</b>  <b>Clay Burdette,</b> <b>Program Manager</b>	<b>NONPOINT SOURCE</b>  <b>Larry Hedges,</b> <b>Program Manager</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safe Dams Unit (Tom Woosley)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Ground Water Unit (Bill Frechette)</li> <li>◆ Surface Water Unit (Ade Oke)</li> <li>◆ Agricultural Permitting Unit (Edward Rooks, Acting)</li> </ul> <p>531 Main Street, Suite D Tifton, GA 31794 (229-391-2400)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Erosion&amp;Sedimentation Control Unit (Jan Sammons)</li> <li>◆ Grants Unit (Angela Westin ,Acting)</li> <li>◆ Outreach Unit (Harold Harbert)</li> <li>◆ Storm Water Unit (Drew Zurow)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inventory and classify dams based on development within the dam failure flood zone downstream</li> <li>• Approve plans and specifications for construction and repair of all high hazard dams</li> <li>• Continuously monitor high hazard dams for safety</li> <li>• Respond to emergencies due to dam failures</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Issue permits for agricultural, municipal and industrial surface water and ground water withdrawals</li> <li>• Ensure compliance with permitted water withdrawals</li> <li>• Develop ground water and surface water supply conservation planning</li> <li>• Develop short-term and long-term water management policies and strategies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Manage a statewide soil erosion and sedimentation control program</li> <li>• Review local erosion and sedimentation control ordinances and delegate authority to local governments for their erosion and sedimentation control programs</li> <li>• Issue stream buffer variances</li> <li>• Implement municipal, industrial and construction storm water permitting programs through NPDES permits</li> <li>• Issue Clean Water Act Section 401 water quality certifications</li> <li>• Administer the Clean Water Act Section 319(h) federal grant program for non-point source pollution abatement projects</li> <li>• Promote Project WET (Water Education for Teachers): (404) 675-1762</li> <li>• Promote Adopt-A-Stream programs: (404) 675-1636</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Compliance &amp; Enforcement Unit (Charles Williams)</li> <li>◆ Source Water Assessment &amp; Protection Unit (Don Shellenberger)</li> <li>◆ Tracking &amp; Reporting Unit (Doug Davenport)</li> <li>◆ Financial &amp; Records Unit (Vacant)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Engineering &amp; Permitting - East Unit (Kirk Chase)</li> <li>◆ Engineering &amp; Permitting - West Unit (Vacant)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Geologic and Hydrologic Unit (Vacant)</li> <li>◆ Core Drill Unit (Steve Walker)</li> <li>◆ UIC Permits (Bijan Rahbar)</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Establish bacteriological sampling schedule and track sampling results to ensure public water system compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act</li> <li>• Enforce state and federal drinking water regulations concerning: lead &amp; copper, surface water treatment, consumer confidence, and microbiological, chemical, radiological contaminants in public water systems</li> <li>• Inspect and certify public water systems and laboratories that analyze drinking water samples</li> <li>• Provide technical assistance to operators and administrators of public water systems</li> <li>• Collect drinking water fees</li> <li>• Perform source water vulnerability assessments</li> <li>• Implement Georgia's source water assessment and protection program</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Issue permits to operate public water systems</li> <li>• Review and approve water conservation and cross-connection control plans from public water systems</li> <li>• Approve plans and specifications, engineering reports and business plans for the construction of new public water systems (includes source, treatment, storage, and distribution system), and approve the expansion or modification of existing public water systems</li> <li>• Inspect public water systems to ensure that the water plant, distribution system and water storage facilities are properly operated and maintained</li> <li>• Enforce the state and federal surface water treatment and disinfection byproducts rules</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain and operate drilling rigs and crews that drill exploratory borings and construct ground water monitoring wells.</li> <li>• Prepare Wellhead Protection Plans for water supply systems of Georgia's municipalities.</li> <li>• Collect samples annually from Georgia's ground water monitoring network.</li> <li>• Conduct investigations for sources of pollution of municipal wells and aquifers supplying municipal wells.</li> <li>• Review groundwater monitoring plans for biosolids application.</li> <li>• Perform geologic mapping.</li> <li>• Prepare Underground Injection Control permits.</li> <li>• Issue water well licenses.</li> <li>• Regulate oil and gas drilling</li> <li>• Conduct map &amp; publication sales</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Conduct monitoring of Georgia streams, rivers, lakes, and estuaries for use with wasteload allocations and to determine compliance with water quality standards</li> <li>● Develop river basin management plans for major river basins in Georgia</li> <li>● Conduct water quality modeling for wasteload allocations, water use classifications, and water quality standards in Georgia</li> <li>● Collect samples of facility discharges for analytical determination of compliance</li> <li>● Develop total maximum daily loading for varied pollutants in waterbodies in Georgia</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Provide mathematical modeling, analytical and other technical support for water basin management issues</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Plan, develop, and implement a Statewide TMDL Implementation program.</li> <li>● Develop TMDL outreach activities to effectively achieve TMDL reductions in the State of Georgia.</li> <li>● Develop a network of TMDL partners and stakeholders by watershed to promote public participation and attainment of TMDL Implementation goals and objectives.</li> <li>● Develop geographical information on TMDL streams to support the TMDL Implementation Program.</li> <li>● Maintain data on TMDL streams identified in the TMDL Implementation program.</li> <li>● Coordinate the development, implementation, review, and management of contracts to facilitate the TMDL Implementation program.</li> <li>● Review of Watershed Assessment Plans.</li> </ul>
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## ECO-TIPS – for Georgia's Environment

### TO IMPROVE OUR AIR AND REDUCE GLOBAL WARMING:

- ◆ Car pool, van pool, use transit, telework, bike or walk when possible. Cars are the largest cause of our air pollution in most urban areas of Georgia. When you do use your car, plan ahead and combine trips and errands. If you are buying a new car choose a fuel efficient and low emitting model.
- ◆ Properly maintain your vehicle and keep tires properly inflated.
- ◆ Limit idling when possible, avoid quick starts and drive within the speed limit.
- ◆ Refuel cars after 6:00 pm to limit daytime pollution releases and don't top off your tank.
- ◆ Keep lawn equipment and boats tuned up. Do not use lawn mowers and other gas powered lawn tools on a smog alert day, or use electric tools instead.
- ◆ Use electric or natural gas grills instead of charcoal and lighter fluids.
- ◆ Use environmentally-safe paints and cleaning products. Delay use of oil-based paints until after 6:00 pm or after smog season.
- ◆ Conserve energy and turn off lights when you aren't using them. Set air conditioners to 78°F or higher or use a fan when possible. When buying a new appliance, think of buying one that is energy efficient.
- ◆ Remember most of the energy we use comes from the burning of fuel. The more energy efficient we are, the less we pollute.

### TO CONSERVE OUR WATER AND PREVENT POLLUTION OF RIVERS & STREAMS:

- ◆ Install ultra low-flow plumbing devices and fixtures. Replace worn out washers on leaky faucets.
- ◆ Take shorter showers. Five minutes or less is probably adequate.
- ◆ Do not use the toilet as a trash can. Each flush uses about 5 gallons.
- ◆ Turn the water off while shaving or brushing teeth. Don't let it run while you're washing your car.
- ◆ Replace leaky toilet valves (a "running toilet" between flushes). You may be losing more than 250 gallons a day.
- ◆ Wash only full loads of clothes and dishes.
- ◆ Don't run the tap to get a cool glass of water.
- ◆ Minimize lawn and garden watering. Water trees, lawns and shrubs slowly to prevent runoff.
- ◆ Participate in a cleanup event (annual river cleanup held each October) or local Adopt-A-Stream program. For information call 1-888-373-5947 (toll free).
- ◆ Buy household products labeled non-toxic, non-phosphorous or water-soluble. Toxic chemicals can harm stream life. Phosphorous can promote excessive growth of weeds and algae.
- ◆ Dispose of trash properly. Styrofoam and plastics can kill fish and wildlife and contaminate water sources.
- ◆ Inspect septic tank system annually. Pump it out every 3-5 years.
- ◆ Do not dispose of solvents, hazardous chemicals or waste in storm or home drains.
- ◆ Use pesticides, herbicides, and fertilizers carefully and sparingly and only when other methods have failed. Do not apply if rain is in the forecast. Remember, anything entering a storm drain goes directly into streams, untreated.
- ◆ When watering lawn and garden, divert garden hoses from paved surfaces onto grass.
- ◆ Do not dump used motor oil or antifreeze down storm drains. Take used motor oil and antifreeze to designated recycling centers.
- ◆ Have your car inspected and maintained regularly. Leakage of fluids will eventually reach the nearest stream.
- ◆ Report any suspicious potential pollutant discharge or illegal dumping activity. Call 1-800-241-4113 (toll free).

### TO PROTECT OUR LAND RESOURCES:

- ◆ Choose products and containers that are recyclable. Participate in a community recycling drive or curbside program.
- ◆ Reuse or recycle newspaper, boxes, brown paper bags, packaging peanuts and other packaging materials. Wash and reuse glass and plastic jugs, coffee cans and dairy tubs.
- ◆ Reduce the amount of unnecessary packaging. Buy products that are reusable or packaged in bulk, or buy the large economy size.
- ◆ When possible use rechargeable batteries. This practice will help eliminate toxic metals in soil and ground water.
- ◆ Make sure your vehicle is well maintained and isn't leaking any fluids. Petroleum products can contaminate the soil and ground water.
- ◆ Try using natural household cleansers, such as soap & water, instead of chemical cleansers. If you do need to use products with hazardous components, follow instructions carefully. Any unused portion can be shared with neighbors or donated to businesses and charities or recycled. Do not pour them down the drain or on the ground.
- ◆ Maintain and repair durable products and keep appliances in good working order. Buy high-quality, long-lasting tires, and follow maintenance procedures. This will extend tire life and reduce tire waste.
- ◆ Leave mowed grass clippings on the lawn to decompose and add nutrients to the soil. Start a compost pile with leaves, grass and shrub clippings, and some non-meat food scraps.



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