



# Department Report

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Report Title: Water & Wastewater Treatment Department Report April 2023

Report Highlight: We have received our draft discharge permit for the Wastewater Treatment Plant. It is being placed on the EPD's website for a 30-day public comment period. If no one has any issues with the permit, it should go into effect the first part of June. There are some testing changes to the requirements and we have currently purchased the new equipment so the employees can go thru training before the new permit goes into effect. As for the water plant, the annual water quality report known as the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) has been published on our website with a notice of the availability of the report on each water bill. This is a requirement under the EPD's Rules and Regulations for Drinking Water. We were glad to report that all tests that were performed during the 2022 Calendar Year met every requirement under the rules and regulations.

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## Recently Completed

- Watershed Sampling at three locations
- New employee hired for water plant
- Replaced seals on belt press at the WWTP
- Installed temporary lime slurry feed system on effluent water at WWTP
- Serviced blowers on the SBR tanks
- Annual Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) for 2022
- Submitted Budget Proposal for FY2024 and Five-Year Capital Items List
- Installed temporary pumps at Barlow Lift Station
- Received Draft NPDES Permit

## Underway:

- Lime Feed System Design (Turnipseed Engineering) at WWTP
- Retro fitting parts into the barscreen
- Repairs to Flocc Tank #1 Pressure Probe
- Rehab work on Barlow Lift Station (W.L. Griffin Contractors)
- Replacing actuator on Decanter #2
- CIP Piping repairs at the WTP
- New employee training at Georgia Rural Water Association

## Near Term:

- Kenimore Lift Station Rehab (In-house work)
- EPD Sanitary Survey on the Water Treatment Plant and Distribution System