Ask GA-EPD: tell everyone when anyone spills

BEGIN DATE	END_DATE	COUNTY	CITY	OVERFLOW_LOCATION	QUANTITY	Annual total
2018-08-13	2018-08-13	Lowndes	Valdosta	1638 New Statenville Hwy - Mud Creek WPCP - Val-	135000	448425
2018-07-06	2018-07-06	Lowndes	Valdosta	Val-Tech Road - Lowndes County	9300	
2018-06-26	2018-06-26	Lowndes	Valdosta	Withlacoochee WWTP - Valdosta	300000	
2018-03-22	2018-03-22	Lowndes	Valdosta	4100 Block of Bemiss Road - Valdosta	1500	
2018-03-03	2018-03-03	Lowndes	Valdosta	2500 Block of Marathon Drive - Valdosta	2625	
2017-10-12	2017-10-12	Lowndes	Valdosta	400 Block of Connell Road - Valdosta	3475	2306400
2017-09-23	2017-09-23	Lowndes	Valdosta	Val-Tech Road 1.2 miles south of Wiregrass Technic	25000	
2017-09-11	2017-09-11	Lowndes	Valdosta	4100 Block of Bemiss Road - Valdosta	900	
2017-01-22	2017-01-22	Lowndes	Valdosta	1200 Block of Wainwright Drive - Valdosta	9800	
2017-01-22	2017-01-22	Lowndes	Valdosta	1600 Block of James P. Rogers Drive - Valdosta	57500	
2017-01-22	2017-01-22	Lowndes	Valdosta	800 Branch of Gornto Road - Valdosta	9725	
2017-01-22	2017-01-25	Lowndes	Valdosta	3180 Wetherington Lane - Valdosta	2200000	l.

They told EPD, but not local people

2017-01-22

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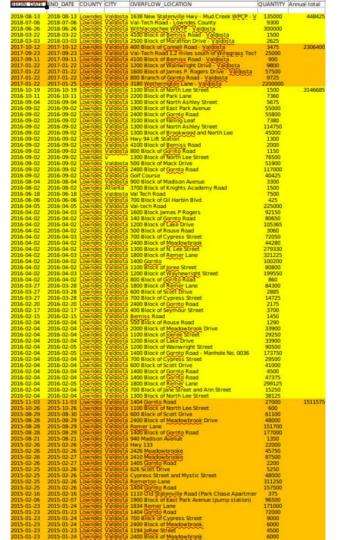
I asked Valdosta for this list for years Finally got it from GA-EPD.

Things are getting better.
But we never would have known
Without this EPD data.

And still there are spills.

Some Valdosta and Lowndes County did not tell us about....

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What's in your water?

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2018-09-27 2018-09-28 City of Fort Oglethorpe

2018-09-29 2018-09-29 Swainsboro, City of (Yam Gra Emanuel

2018-09-27 2018-09-27 Rockdale County (Quigg Bran Rockdale

2018-09-25 2018-09-25 Gwinnett County (F. Wayne & Gwinnett

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2018-10-13	2018-10-13	Dekalb County (Snapfinger G	DeKalb	Stone Mounta	1058 Viking	Drive	4425	fish kill possible
2018-10-12	2018-10-12	Clayton County Water Author	Clayton	Forest Park	5215 West 9	Street	11500	
			Toombs	Vidalia	Spills occurr	red at Lift Station	42500	
2018-10-09	2018-10-09	Dekalb County (Snapfinger G	DeKalb	Atlanta	1462 Lively	Ridge Road	3180	8 inch creek cros
2018-10-07	2018-10-07	Atlanta, City of (R.M. Clayton)	Fulton	Atlanta	1094 Stone	wall Dr. SE - Atlan	75	Fax sent 2018-10
		Macon Water Authority (Rock		Macon	3260 William	mson Road, MH ID	2400	
2018-10-05	2018-10-05	Atlanta, City of (R.M. Clayton)	Fulton	Atlanta	2152 Wilson	n Ave. NW - Atlant	30	Fax sent 2018-10
2018-10-05	2018-10-05	Atlanta, City of (R.M. Clayton)	Fulton			St. SW - Atlanta		Fax sent 2018-10
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		LaGrange, City of (Long Cane		LaGrange	King Arthur	Lift Station.	45000	
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2018-10-03	2018-10-03	Douglasville, City of (South G	Douglas	Douglasville	Manhole #8	962-7069 Stone	5400	

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LaGrange

Swainsboro

Lawrenceville

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2945 Lealand Place Ln, Bldg >

2300 Defoor Hills Rd. NW - Ab

2460 Park Central Boulevard

Lift Station #4 @ Crump Stre

Vacant lot across from 341 O

1685 Old Norcross Rd. - Lawn

2525 Atlanta Highway

King Arthur List Station

307 Hampton Park Dr

King Arthur Lift Station

200 Galewood Circle

4640 Lionshead Circle

764 Sugar Hill Lane

3442

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2018-11-08 2018-11-08 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	400 Fairbur	1080 Raw Sewage
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2018-11-06 2018-11-06 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	400 Fairbur	3000 Raw Sewage
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2018-11-06 2018-11-06 Clayton Cou Clayton	Riverdale	975 Salisbu	4800 Raw Sewage Flint
2018-11-05 2018-11-05 Dekalb Cou DeKalb	Atlanta	2620 Lake >	200 Raw Sewage Ocmulgee
2018-11-05 2018-11-05 Douglasville Douglas	Douglasvill	Manhole #	5200 Raw Sewage
2018-11-05 2018-11-06 Dallas, City Paulding		1250 Jimmy	14000 Raw Sewage Coosa
2018-11-05 2018-11-05 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	3390 Fairb	7230 Raw Sewage
2018-11-04 2018-11-04 Columbus Muscogee	Columbus	2983 Buen>	678 Raw Sewage
2018-11-04 2018-11-07 Walker Cou Walker	40	Remote wo	40000 Raw Sewage Tennessee
2018-11-04 2018-11-04 Dekalb Cou DeKalb	Decatur	4422 Oackl	1680 Raw Sewage Ocmulgee
2018-11-03 2018-11-03 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	610 Alex W	200 Raw Sewage
2018-11-03 2018-11-03 Dekalb Cour DeKalb	Stone Mour	5562 Circle	980 Raw Sewage Ocmulgee
2018-11-03 2018-11-03 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	3984 Ester >	484 Raw Sewage
2018-11-02 2018-11-02 Dekalb Cour DeKalb	Chamblee	3488 Keswi	5820 Raw Sewage Ocmulgee
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2018-11-01 2018-11-01 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	2657 Forres	550 Raw Sewage
2018-11-01 2018-11-01 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	375 Hoper ▶	150 Raw Sewage
2018-11-01 2018-11-01 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	1205 Gates	300 Raw Sewage

Some October 2018 spills

2018-10-29 2018-10-29 Rome, City Floyd		Foss Manuf	1500 Raw Sewage	
2018-10-29 2018-10-29 Augusta, Ci•Richmond	Augusta	820 Poinde	600 Raw Sewage	
2018-10-27 2018-10-27 Gray, City o Jones	Gray	Washburn ▶	500 Raw Sewage	Oconee
2018-10-27 2018-10-27 Douglasville Douglas	Douglasville	Manhole #8	350 Raw Sewage	
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2018-10-26 2018-10-26 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	757 Woodw	150 Raw Sewage	
2018-10-26 2018-10-26 Internation Macon	Oglethorpe		750000 Other	Flint
2018-10-25 2018-10-25 Athens-Clan Clarke		295 Clevela	2 Raw Sewage	71.717.7
2018-10-25 2018-10-26 Tallapoosa, Haralson	Actions	20 Arbacoo	22190 Raw Sewage	
2018-10-25 2018-10-25 Augusta, Ci-Richmond	Augusta	Skinner Mill	1500 Raw Sewage	1011020000
2018-10-25 2018-10-25 Atlanta, City Fulton	Atlanta	1429 Fairm	700 Raw Sewage	
2018-10-23 2018-10-24 Walker Cou Walker		Remote wo	25000 Raw Sewage	Chattahooc

750,000 gallons, clarifier, Flint River watershed

Call to EPD on 10/27/2018. Sent email later, same day.

Notification letter sent on 10/31/2018.

Letter says that during a scheduled annual mill outage, while a repair to seal water line was being made, an incomplete isolation allowed water from the mill water clarifier to back-flow to Flint River through intake piping and to the river. Mill water clarifier contains water from river and treatment chemicals.

Chemicals are sodium hydroxide, drewflow (polymer), coagulant, millisperse (corrosion inhibitor).

Chemical feed was stopped, prior to release, due to the water outage.

Once spill identified, valve at the clarifier was closed completely.

Once mill outage is completed, incident will be evaluated further to put measures in place to prevent a recurrence of such releases in future mill outages.

Why not publish the spreadsheet daily, EPD? A Resolution Requesting the Georgia

to Timely Publish Pollution Spill Reports

Environmental Protection Division

WHEREAS, clean water is a basic right of all Georgia citizens and a basic mission of the Georgia Water Coalition and all its partners; and

WHEREAS, pollution spills unknown to the public could represent public health hazards; and

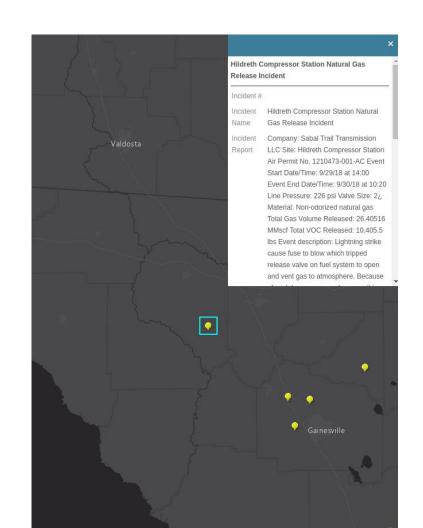
WHEREAS, pollution spills unknown to the public cannot trigger further water quality monitoring by entities such

Florida does it

No sewage spills in many months
In the Suwannee River Basin in Florida.

But a Sabal Trail pipeline leak.
We only know about that because of Florida's daily Notices of Pollution.

Has Sabal Trail leaked in Albany, GA?



Costs you nothing; commits you to nothing

Request GA-EPD to publish spill reports Page 2 of 3 online same day received in Atlanta

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the undersigned organizations request the Georgia Environmental Protection Division:

- 1. To publish spill reports the same day it receives them, online, on its website, in a spreadsheet, and;
- 2. To provide online email signup for receipt of alerts of spills the same day they occur, and;
- 3. To consider, without delaying 1 and 2 above, adding an online interactive map of recent spills...

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE UNDERSIGNED ORGANIZATIONS, this _29th_ day of October 2018 or on a date as noted by an individual signature.

John S. Quarterman, Suwannee Riverkeeper, WWALS Watershed Coalition, 2018-09-29

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S. Gordon Rogers, Flint Riverkeeper 2018-09-29



Jesse Demonbreun-Chapman,



Groups are signing in Florida

Jen Lomberk, Matanzas Riverkeeper, 2018-10-17



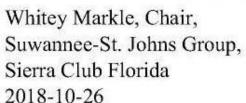
Harrison Langley, Waterkeeper, 2018-10-17



Margaret Tolbert, Founder, Aquiferious, 2018-10-21



Michael Roth, President, Our Santa Fe River, 2018-10-25





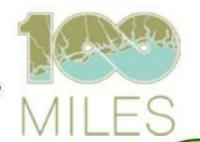
Bill Richards, Executive Director, Paddle Florida, 2018-10-30



And in Georgia

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Megan Desrosiers, CEO, One Hundred Miles, 2018-11-11



Tom D. Jones,
Chapter President,
Greater Atlanta,
Izaak Walton League of America,
2018-11-12

Elvin HIlyer, Chair, Water Issues, Lumpkin Coalition, 2018-11-12

Lumpkin Coalition

Ellen Forbus, Board member, Broad River Watershed Association, 2018-11-12



Sign here: http://wwals.net/?p=46767#sign

GA-EPD did answer on November 2, 2018

John – good idea. We will get to work immediately on the logistics to see how we can make this happen. I'll keep you informed of our progress.

Rick Dunn FPD

Can't hurt to continue encouraging him until we see Daily spill reports on the GA-EPD website.

Sign here: http://wwals.net/?p=46767#sign

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