



# Georgia Environmental Protection Division

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Sabal Trail Transmission, LLC  
c/o Brook Gehle  
400 Colonial Center Parkway, Suite 300  
Lake Mary, FL 32746

Re: Proposed Land Disturbing Activity  
Sabal Trail Transmission – Spread 3  
Mitchell, Colquitt, Brooks and Lowndes Counties, Georgia  
File: SW-Sabal-Spread 3 (Revision 3)

Dear Mr. Gehle:

In accordance with the General NPDES Permit No. GAR100002 for Storm Water Discharges Associated with Construction Activities for Infrastructure Construction Projects, the Revised Erosion, Sedimentation and Pollution Control Plan (ESPCP) submitted for change in design/workspace and reduction in land disturbance has been reviewed for deficiencies in the identification of waters of the state and potential encroachment of land disturbing activities within 25 foot immediately adjacent and upland of the identifiable point from which the State mandated buffer is measured.

Based upon this review of the Revised ESPCP, the EPD has determined the following:

- (1) This project revision does **not** have deficiencies in the identification of waters of the state.
- (2) This project revision will **not** require a buffer variance from the EPD.

However, the EPD reserves the right to change this determination if information that conflicts with the original submittal is obtained during a later site inspection.

If additional information is required, please contact me at 912-554-3492.

Sincerely,

Shannon K. Winsness  
Environmental Specialist