

## **Notification of Discharge of Untreated Wastewater**

General Statute 143-215.1C requires that the owner or operator of any wastewater collection system to issue a press release when an untreated wastewater discharge of 1,000 gallons or more reaches surface waters. In accordance with that regulation, the following news release has been prepared and issued to media in the affected county:

Moore County Public Works had a discharge of untreated wastewater on January 17, 2016, of an estimated 1,500 gallons at Lift Station 13-1 located at 1356 Burning Tree Road in Pinehurst, NC. The untreated wastewater entered Pinehurst Lake a tributary to Horse Creek. The spill was due to Pump Station failure.

The NCDEQ Emergency Management was notified of the event on January 18, 2016 at 11:45 p.m. and is reviewing the matter. For more information contact Moore County Public Works at (910) 947-6315.