

Watershed Activities



Lower Little Tallapoosa River #78 in Haralson County before maintenance.

Watershed dam maintenance in West Georgia

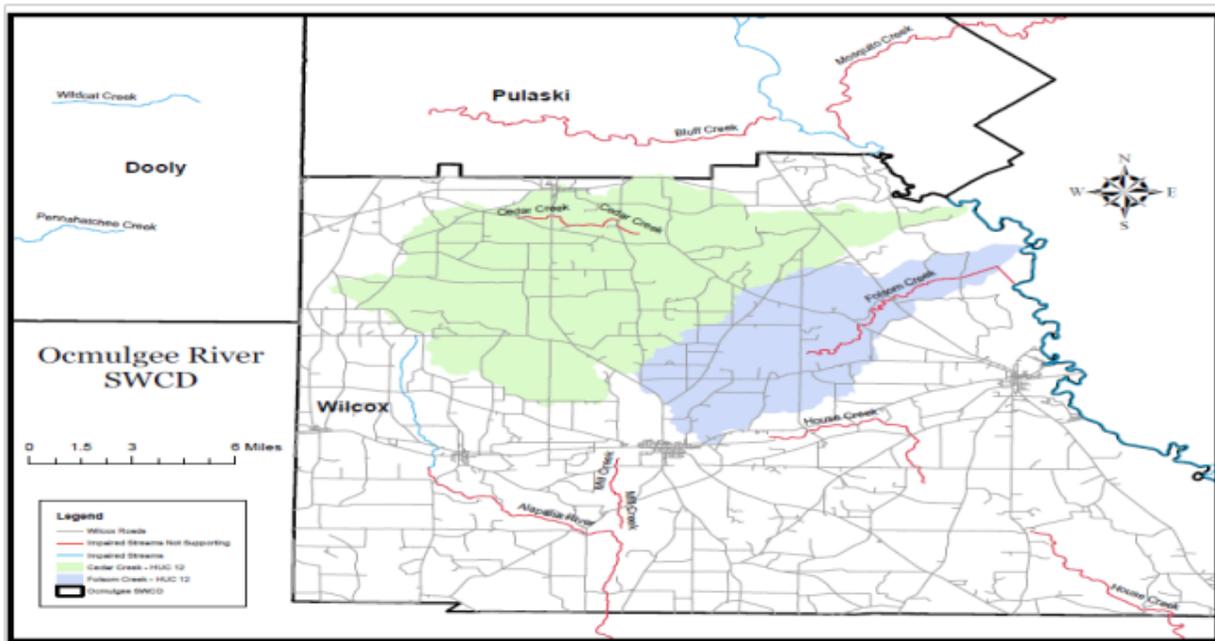
The Rural Water Resources Program recently contracted with Two Rivers RC&D to perform maintenance on two watershed dams in west Georgia, Lower Little Tallapoosa River #25 in Carroll County and Lower Little Tallapoosa River #78 in Haralson County. Both watershed dams were covered in dense tree growth, which hinders the structural integrity of the dams and makes them more prone to failure. Crews cut and mulched the trees and mowed the spillways. The dams are now clean of trees and brush.

Something new for Little Tallapoosa River Dam #78: The dam will be replanted in native grasses. This new approach promises to reduce future maintenance costs as well as benefit area wildlife.



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Cedar Creek and Folsom Creek Watersheds



GSWCC is expecting to receive a GA EPD 319 water quality grant in the amount of \$330,000 to develop and implement a Watershed Management Plan (WMP) for Cedar and Folsom creeks. Initial steering committee meetings are being scheduled to begin soon in preparation for the project. For questions regarding the project, please contact Luke Crosson or Carrie Fowler.