

City of Dillard
Wastewater Treatment Facility Expansion
Rabun County, Georgia

Services Provided:

Funding Procurement

Interagency Coordination
USDA Rural Development
Georgia EPD
Department of Revenue

Design and Permitting

Construction Observation

Bid Phase Management

Project Data:

Rehabilitation of
Existing Facility and
Expansion to 0.2 MGD

Estimated Construction Cost:
\$800,000

Estimated Completion Date:
June 2007

Contact:

The Honorable William
Robinson, Mayor

City of Dillard

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The City of Dillard contracted with Engineering Management Inc. for services related to a 2002 Watershed Assessment as required by the Georgia EPD. EMI's comprehensive study proved to the EPD that water quality impairments were naturally occurring, which resulted in an increase for the City's waste load allocation.

To help with the expansion of the City's wastewater treatment facility, EMI prepared the site design and plans which began with the construction of a mound of earth for surcharging of the area. Requirements dictated that the mound remain in place for a minimum of 2 months for settling; therefore, grassing and silt fencing to prevent soil runoff from the site were required. In the meantime, EMI performed design, plan and bid phase management services for the construction of a new 0.2 MGD wastewater treatment mechanical plant. The site work is less than 1 acre, but the work is within 200 feet of State Waters which requires interagency coordination with numerous state and federal agencies. The estimated completion date for this project is June 2007.