On April 6, 2016, Whitfield County 4-H students and their advisors participated in the annual Whitfield County Storm Drain Marking Project. The storm drain stenciling/marking project is an annual outreach to improve stormwater awareness in the community. A total of sixteen students and two advisors participated in marking catch basins in residential part of Whitfield County. The subject area was a neighborhood off of Riverbend Rd and included the following streets: Margaret Cir, Raider Dr, North and South Pine Grove Dr, Dresden Dr and Danielle Dr. A total of 30 drains were marked as shown on the map below.

Volunteers also placed handbills/door hangers on mailboxes adjacent to all marked stormwater drains that read, "Be a Part of the Solution to Stormwater Pollution."

The more aware the average citizen is regarding stormwater and pollution, the less likely the citizen will intentionally pollute. The markers placed read, "Don't pollute flows to waterways."

If you would like to participate in a storm drain marking project or learn more about stormwater, please contact Chris Hester at (706) 876-2512 or mailto:chester@whitfieldcountyga.com?subject=Storm Drain Marking.

