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**DeKalb County CEO Michael Thurmond
Statement on Water Main Break**

“The DeKalb County Government will initiate a full-scale investigation into the cause of today's massive water main break. We will determine whether the break was the result of a systematic failure, improper maintenance, wear and tear or physical tampering. I am committed to making sure our infrastructure is protected and maintained in a manner that will ensure quality service to the citizens of DeKalb County.”

--DeKalb County CEO Michael L. Thurmond