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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SCHEDULED BOILER PLANT AND FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM ENHANCEMENTS

DECATUR, GA – (May 15, 2026) – The DeKalb County Sheriff's Office advises that scheduled upgrades to the facility's boiler plant and fire suppression systems will begin on Tuesday, May 19. As part of this planned infrastructure improvement, hot water service will be temporarily unavailable beginning at approximately 7:00 p.m.

Additionally, on Wednesday, May 20 at 5:00 p.m., all water service to the facility will be temporarily shut off to allow maintenance personnel to complete system enhancements and operational testing. Water service is expected to be fully restored by approximately 6:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 21.

These temporary service interruptions are necessary to support ongoing infrastructure upgrades designed to improve the reliability and efficiency of essential facility systems. Operational plans are in place to minimize disruptions for both inmates and employees during this period.

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