



# Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission Sanitary Sewer Overflow Written Report

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DATA CALLED IN BY: ROBIN DESPANZA DATE: 01/15/2018 AT 07:55PM

WORK ORDER(S): 2729387 2729324

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 01/15/2018 02:03PM DURATION: 7.95 HRS  
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 01/15/2018 10:00PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH04001082 WATER BODY AFFECTED-PISCATAWAY CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 13825 PISCATAWAY DR 20744-6637  
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5880 K09 TOWN/CITY: FORT WASHINGTON

CAUSE: GREASE EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 95 GAL  
UPON ARRIVAL, THE INSPECTOR FOUND MANHOLE #082M OVERFLOWING 1 GALLON EVERY 5 MINUTES, ENTERING A STORM DRAIN IN THE PISCATAWAY CREEK BASIN. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE #081M TO MANHOLE #082M A TOTAL OF 95 FEET, HITTING AND RELIEVING GREASE AT 80 FEET, ENDING THE OVERFLOW.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:  
NOTICEABLE ODOR PUBLIC ACCESS  
DRY WEATHER

STEPS TAKEN OR PLANNED TO REDUCE, ELIMINATE AND PREVENT RECURRENCE:  
THE PROBLEM WITH THIS SEWER LINE HAS BEEN REFERRED TO LINE BLOCKAGE ANALYSIS (LBA) FOR REVIEW. A FOLLOW-UP INVESTIGATION WILL BE CONDUCTED TO DETERMINE WHAT MEASURES SHOULD BE TAKEN TO REDUCE OR ELIMINATE THE CHANCE OF THIS LINE OVERFLOWING AGAIN.

MEASURES INITIATED/TAKEN TO MINIMIZE IMPACT:  
VISIBLE SOLIDS REMOVED RAKED AREA  
LIME

THE CREW WASHED DOWN THE STREET.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:  
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT  
PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT

SIGNS POSTED: 3 POST DATE: 01/15/2018