

Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission Sanitary Sewer Overflow Written Report

2775783-073-2018

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DATA CALLED IN BY: MARGARET K CEASAR DATE: 06/03/2018 AT 11:31PM

WORK ORDER(S): 2775783 2775728

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 06/03/2018 03:52PM DURATION: 4.13 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 06/03/2018 08:00PM

SOURCE-CLEAN OUT 00003422300 WATER BODY AFFECTED-ANACOSTIA RIVER

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 3213 PERRY ST 20712-2031

COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5529 F01 TOWN/CITY: MT RAINIER

CAUSE: EXCESS FLOW EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 496 GAL UPON ARRIVAL, THE INSPECTOR DISCOVERED THE CLEANOUT AT 3213 PERRY STREET OVERFLOWING AT A RATE OF TWO GALLONS PER MINUTE ONTO AN ASPHALT SURFACE. THE INSPECTOR REPORTED MANHOLES 005U AND 004U WERE SURCHARGING DUE TO A HEAVY RAIN EVENT. THE OVERFLOW ENDED WHEN THE EXCESS FLOWS SUBSIDED.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS: WET 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:

THE SEWAGE COULD NOT BE CONTAINED DUE TO THE HEAVY RAIN.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT