



# WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3039989-073-2021

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DATA CALLED IN BY: KEVIN M GILLIAM DATE: 03/20/2021 AT 12:10PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3039989 3039944

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 03/19/2021 05:00PM DURATION: 4.83 HRS  
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 03/19/2021 09:50PM

SOURCE-CLEAN OUT 00395499700 WATER BODY AFFECTED-OXON RUN

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 1700 SHAMROCK AVE 20743  
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5650 C02 TOWN/CITY: CAPITOL HEIGHTS

CAUSE: UNKNOWN EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 5 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE INSPECTOR FOUND EVIDENCE THE CLEANOUT AT THE PROPERTY LINE HAD OVERFLOWED. THE CUSTOMER WAS ADVISED TO STOP USING WATER. A WSSC WATER CONTRACT PLUMBER SNAKED FROM THE CLEANOUT AT THE PROPERTY LINE A TOTAL OF 45 FEET, HITTING AND RELIEVING A SOFT UNKNOWN OBSTRUCTION AT 10 FEET. THE SEWER SERVICE IS NOW CLEAR.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:  
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:  
LIME RAKED AREA  
VISIBLE SOLIDS REMOVED

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