



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION

SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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WORK ORDER(S): 3170840 3170817

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 07/22/2022 01:54PM DURATION: 2.85 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 07/22/2022 04:45PM

SOURCE-CONTRACTOR SS14208097 WATER BODY AFFECTED-WESTERN BRANCH

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 501 CASTLEWOOD PL

COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5531 F09 TOWN/CITY: UPPER MARLBORO

CAUSE: DAMAGED BY OTHERS

EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 171 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND BROKEN 8" SEWER MAIN LEAKING SEWAGE AT APPROXIMATELY 1 GPM, IN THE WESTERN BRANCH BASIN. THE DAMAGE HAPPENED WHILE CONTRACTOR FOR WASHINGTON GAS WAS WORKING NEAR THE SANITARY SEWER. THE SEWER WAS CONTAINED IN A DITCH. A WSSC CONTRACTOR SET UP BYPASS FROM MH 97M TO 33U TO END THE EVENT. BYPASS TO STAY IN PLACE UNTIL PIPE IS REPAIRED.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DISCOLORATION

DRY WEATHER

STEPS TAKEN OR PLANNED TO REDUCE, ELIMINATE AND PREVENT RECURRENCE:

THE PROBLEM WITH THE SEWER LINE WAS 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.

POST SSO CCTV TO BE PERFORMED AFTER REPAIRS ARE COMPLETED AND THE BYPASS REMOVED

MEASURES INITIATED/TAKEN TO MINIMIZE IMPACT:

SEWAGE CONTAINED TO DITCH WAS REMOVED BY THE CONTRACTOR FROM SITE.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES
PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT

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