



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3208125-118-2022

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WORK ORDER(S): 3208125 3208118

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 11/18/2022 05:32PM DURATION: 3.97 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 11/18/2022 09:30PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH08025038 WATER BODY AFFECTED-NORTHEAST BRANCH

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 9018 HICKORY HILL AVE 20706
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5411 C05 TOWN/CITY: LANHAM/SEABROOK

CAUSE: ROOTS & GREASE EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 715 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 038M OVERFLOWING 3 GPM
GOING INTO A NEARBY STORM DRAIN THAT LEADS TO BRIAR DITCH, A
TRIBUTARY OF THE NORTHEAST BRANCH OF THE ANACOSTIA RIVER. THE
CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 020U TO 038M A TOTAL OF 270FT, AND HIT
AND RELIEVED ROOTS AND GREASE AT 154FT; ENDING THE EVENT.

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

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 OVERFLOW ENTERED A STORM DRAIN, AND THE REST WAS FLUSHED BACK INTO THE MANHOLE.

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

ORIGINALLY REPORTED AS 9002 HICKORY HILL AVENUE

SIGNS POSTED: 1 POST DATE: 11/18/2022