



# WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION

## SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3223050-118-2023

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DATE: 01/23/2023 AT 04:55PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3223050 3223048

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 01/23/2023 11:30AM DURATION: 1.25 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 01/23/2023 12:45PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH11021054 WATER BODY AFFECTED-BROAD CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 2512 HENSON VALLEY WAY 20744

COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5765 F04 TOWN/CITY: FORT WASHINGTON

CAUSE: ROOTS EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 225 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 054M OVERFLOWING 3 GPM. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 054M TO 055M A TOTAL OF 400FT, AND HIT AND REMOVED HEAVY ROOTS AT 400FT; ENDING THE EVENT. THE CREW ALSO REMOVED HEAVY ROOTS FROM THE CHANNEL OF MANHOLE 054M.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DISCOLORATION

NOTICEABLE ODOR

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:

LIME

RAKED AREA

THE CREW SPREAD ONE BAG OF LIME AND ONE BALE OF HAY AROUND THE GRASSY AREA.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT

PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

THE EVENT WAS ORIGINALLY REPORTED AS 2500 BLK R/W2 HENSON VALLEY WAY.

SIGNS POSTED: 4 POST DATE: 01/24/2023