



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3231327-075-2023

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DATA CALLED IN BY: MARK A ALEXANDER DATE: 02/21/2023 AT 03:08PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3231327 3231295

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 02/21/2023 01:10PM DURATION: 5.83 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 02/21/2023 07:00PM

SOURCE-AIR REL VLV/FORCE M SS17044069 WATER BODY AFFECTED-PATUXENT RIVER

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 6601 WEAVER CT 20707
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5168 H01 TOWN/CITY: LAUREL

CAUSE: UNKNOWN EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 1,749 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW CONFIRMED THE HOMEOWNER CONTACTED A CONTRACTOR TO INVESTIGATE A LEAK IN THEIR YARD. THE CONTRACTOR BEGAN EXCAVATION AND INFORMED THE HOMEOWNER THAT A WSSC FORCE MAIN WAS BROKEN. WHEN THE WSSC CREW ARRIVED, THE DITCH WAS FILLED WITH SEWAGE AND RUNNING DOWN TO A STORM DRAIN, AT APPROXIMATELY 5GPM IN THE PARKWAY BASIN. THE CREW MADE IMMEDIATE REPAIRS BY PLACING A 4" CLAMP ON THE FORCE MAIN, ENDING THE EVENT.

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

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

THIS EVENT OCCURRED FROM A FORCE MAIN AND IS THEREFORE NOT CCTV'ABLE

MEASURES INITIATED/TAKEN TO MINIMIZE IMPACT:
FLUSHED BACK INTO MANHOLE LIME

THE OVERFLOW THAT WAS CONTAINED IN THE CONTRACTORS DITCH WAS PUMPED INTO GRAVITY MANHOLE 069U.
LIME WAS SPREAD IN THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE DITCH.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:
MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT MONTGOMERY CO MUNICIPALITIES
DEP-MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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