



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION

SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3243990-118-2023

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DATA CALLED IN BY: PARIS S JORDAN

DATE: 04/29/2023 AT 04:30PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3243990 3243981

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 04/29/2023 02:07PM DURATION: 2.88 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 04/29/2023 05:00PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH04043185 WATER BODY AFFECTED-PISCATAWAY CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 1104 RAVENSWORTH CT 20607

COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5997 B02 TOWN/CITY: ACCOKEEK

CAUSE: ROOTS & GREASE EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 173 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 185M OVERFLOWING APPROXIMATELY 1 GPM, GOING INTO THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE MANHOLE AND ENTERING A NEARBY STORM DRAIN THAT OUTFALLS IN PISCATAWAY CREEK. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 183M TO 185M, AND HIT AND RELIEVED HEAVY GREASE AND ROOTS AT 251FT, 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:

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:

FLUSHED BACK INTO MANHOLE	RAKED AREA
LIME	

THE CREW SPREAD 1 BAG OF LIME IN THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE MANHOLE AND FLUSHED THE POOLED SEWAGE BACK INTO THE MANHOLE.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES	PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT
MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT	

THIS SSO EVENT ADDRESS WAS CHANGED TO 15208 RIDALL COURT. AFTER FURTHER INVESTIGATION, THE ADDRESS FOR THE EVENT WAS DETERMINED TO BE THE ORIGINAL ADDRESS, 1104 RAVENSWORTH COURT.

SIGNS POSTED: 6 POST DATE: 04/30/2023