



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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DATA CALLED IN BY: DIARRA K MACKALL DATE: 08/01/2023 AT 02:52PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3273106

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 08/01/2023 10:30AM DURATION: 1.00 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 08/01/2023 11:30AM

SOURCE-CONTRACTOR MH08027006 WATER BODY AFFECTED-NORTHEAST BRANCH

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 3311 TOLEDO RD 20782
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5409 H05 TOWN/CITY: HYATTSVILLE

CAUSE: OTHER EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 120 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 006M OVERFLOWING 2 GPM, INTO THE STREET AND ENTERING A STORM DRAIN THAT OUTFALLS IN NORTHEAST BRANCH. A WSSC CONTRACTOR WAS REPLACING A SEWER MAIN IN THE AREA WITH A BYPASS PUMPING OPERATION IN PLACE. THE BYPASS PUMP FAILED DUE TO A BLOCKAGE, CAUSING THE OVERFLOW. THE WSSC CONTRACTOR RELIEVED THE BLOCKAGE AND RESTARTED THE BYPASS OPERATION TO END THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DRY WEATHER NOTICEABLE ODOR
PUBLIC USE OBSERVED

MEASURES INITIATED/TAKEN TO MINIMIZE IMPACT:

FLUSHED BACK INTO MANHOLE

THIS SEGMENT IS BEING TAKEN OUT OF SERVICE, AND THEREFORE NOT CCTVABLE.

UPDATE 10/10/2023: THE WSSC CONTRACTOR INSTALLED 2 NEW MANHOLES AND REPLACED THE SEWER SEGMENT THAT OVERFLOWED. THE WORK WAS COMPLETED ON 10/06/2023. THE OLD SEWER SEGMENT IS NO LONGER IN SERVICE.

THE MAJORITY OF THE OVERFLOW ENTERED NORTHEAST BRANCH AND THE REMAINDER OF THE DEBRIS AND POOLED SEWAGE WAS FLUSHED BACK INTO MANHOLE.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

THIS EVENT WAS ORIGINALLY REPORTED AS 6525 BELCREST ROAD.

SIGNS POSTED: 1 POST DATE: 08/02/2023