



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 10/22/2023 03:51PM DURATION: 10.07 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 10/23/2023 01:55AM

SOURCE-REPAIR SEWER MAIN SS11046048 WATER BODY AFFECTED-BROAD CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 5017 SUITLAND RD 20744
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5650 C05 TOWN/CITY: SUITLAND

CAUSE: STREAM EROSION EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 3,021 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND THE MAINLINE COLLAPSED APPROXIMATELY 40'
DOWNSTREAM OF MANHOLE 048U, DISCHARGING SEWAGE APPROXIMATELY 5GPM
INTO A TRIBUTARY OF BROAD CREEK. A WSSC CONTRACTOR PLUGGED THE BROKEN
PIPE AND SET-UP BYPASS PUMPING OPERATIONS FROM MANHOLE 049M TO 047M,
TO END THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DRY WEATHER	DISCOLORATION
NOTICEABLE ODOR	PUBLIC ACCESS
VISIBLE SOLIDS, STREAM BANK	VISIBLE SOLIDS, IN STREAM

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.
THE SEGMENT IS UNDER REPAIR AND THEREFORE CANNOT BE CCTV INSPECTED.
THE REPORT WILL BE UPDATED UPON COMPLETION OF REPAIRS AND CCTV
INSPECTION.

MEASURES INITIATED/TAKEN TO MINIMIZE IMPACT:

UPON COMPLETION OF REPAIRS, MINIMIZATION WILL BE PERFORMED BY THE
WSSC CONTRACTOR.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT	MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES	

THIS EVENT WAS ORIGINALLY REPORTED AS 5007 SUITLAND ROAD.

SIGNS POSTED: 2 POST DATE: 10/23/2023