



# WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 11/09/2023 02:06PM DURATION: 3.15 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 11/09/2023 05:15PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH04008226 WATER BODY AFFECTED-PISCATAWAY CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 3201 PISCATAWAY LANDING CT 20735

COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5881 H07 TOWN/CITY: CLINTON

CAUSE: DEBRIS

EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 189 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 226M WAS OVERFLOWING AT 1GPM, ONTO A GRASSY AREA AROUND THE MANHOLE AND INTO A TRIBUTARY OF PISCATAWAY CREEK. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 225U TO 226M, A TOTAL OF 217FT, AND HIT AND RELIEVED A SLUDGE AND DEBRIS OBSTRUCTION AT 135FT, TO END THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DRY WEATHER

NOTICEABLE ODOR

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

THE CREW SPREAD LIME IN THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE MANHOLE.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT

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