



# WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 12/30/2024 02:32PM DURATION: 8.47 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 12/30/2024 11:00PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH14118099 WATER BODY AFFECTED-WESTERN BRANCH

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 111 JONQUIL AVE 20785

COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5531 A08 TOWN/CITY: HYATTSVILLE

CAUSE: ROOTS

EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 508 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 099N OVERFLOWING AT 1GPM, ONTO THE PAVEMENT AND THE GRASSY AREA NEAR THE MANHOLE. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 099N TO 098M A TOTAL OF 292', AND RELIEVED ROOTS AT 275' AND 291', TO END THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DISCOLORATION

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:

FLUSHED BACK INTO MANHOLE

LIME

THE CREW WASHED DOWN THE PAVEMENT WITH DECHLORINATED WATER, AND SPREAD LIME IN THE GRASSY AREA NEAR THE MANHOLE.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT  
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT

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