



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3514198-118-2025

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DATA CALLED IN BY: MARGARET K CEASAR DATE: 10/19/2025 AT 06:54PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3514198 3514195

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 10/19/2025 06:54PM DURATION: 3.10 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 10/19/2025 10:00PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH SS12019057 WATER BODY AFFECTED-LITTLE FALLS

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 5350 WESTBARD AVE 20816
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: M 5407 C06 TOWN/CITY: GLEN ECHO

CAUSE: UNKNOWN EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 372 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND AN UNKNOWN MANHOLE OVERFLOWING
APPROXIMATELY 2GPM, INTO AN UNKNOWN STORM DRAIN THAT OUTFALLS INTO
LITTLE FALLS BASIN. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 084M TO 055M, A
TOTAL OF 183' HIT AND RELIEVED A HARD UNKNOWN BLOCKAGE AT 60', TO END
THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:
WET WEATHER 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

THE CREW WASHED DOWN THE AREA AROUND THE MANHOLE WITH DECHLORINATED
WATER.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:
MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT MONTGOMERY CO MUNICIPALITIES
DEP-MONTGOMERY COUNTY

SIGNS POSTED: 2 POST DATE: 10/20/2025