



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3541089-118-2026

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DATA CALLED IN BY: PATRICIA A HILL DATE: 01/07/2026 AT 07:30PM

WORK ORDER(S): 3541089 3541053

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 01/07/2026 03:15PM DURATION: 3.75 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 01/07/2026 07:00PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH05168017 WATER BODY AFFECTED-ROCK CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 18036 MILL CREEK DR 20855
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: M 5048 F06 TOWN/CITY: GAITHERSBURG

CAUSE: ROOTS & GREASE EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 113 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 017M OVERFLOWING ONTO THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE MANHOLE. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 014U TO MANHOLE 017M A TOTAL OF 174', AND RELIEVED HEAVY ROOTS, GREASE, AND WIPES AT 174', TO END THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

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:

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
MONTGOMERY CO MUNICIPALITIES

DEP-MONTGOMERY COUNTY

ORIGINALLY REPORTED AS 18000RW2 CACTUS COURT.