



# WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

3560743-073-2026

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WORK ORDER(S): 3560743      3560718

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 03/11/2026 08:28AM      DURATION: 0.53 HRS  
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 03/11/2026 09:00AM

SOURCE-CLEAN OUT 00154576300 WATER BODY AFFECTED-NORTHEAST BRANCH

STREET ADDRESS: 6202 41ST AVE 20782  
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5409 J06      TOWN/CITY: WEST HYATTSVILLE

CAUSE: UNKNOWN      EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 40 GAL  
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND EVIDENCE OF 40 GALLONS OF SEWAGE THAT OVERFLOWED ONTO THE GRASSY AREA BY THE CLEAN OUT AND INTO A STORM DRAIN THAT OUTFALLS INTO NORTHEAST BRANCH. THE HOMEOWNER STOPPED USING THE FACILITIES TO END THE EVENT. A WSSC CONTRACTOR SNAKED A TOTAL OF 45' AND RELIEVED AN UNKNOWN BLOCKAGE AT 30'.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:  
DRY WEATHER      PUBLIC ACCESS  
PUBLIC USE OBSERVED

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 CLEAN OUT.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:  
MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT      PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT  
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

SIGNS POSTED: 1      POST DATE: 03/11/2026