



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION

SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

1043078-118-2026

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DATA CALLED IN BY: BRANDON T MCCREA

DATE: 8/19/2026 AT 08:50PM

WORK ORDER(S): 1043078

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 8/19/2023 07:04PM

DURATION: 4.43 HRS

DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 8/19/2023 11:30PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH

MH04001020

WATER BODY AFFECTED: NORTHWEST BRANCH

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 2807 NICHOLSON ST

20782

COUNTY: PG

TOWN/CITY: HYATTSVILLE

CAUSE: GREASE AND WIPES

EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 266 GAL

UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 144M OVERFLOWING AT 1GPM, ONTO THE PAVEMENT AND INTO A STORM DRAIN THAT OUTFALLS INTO NORTHWEST BRANCH. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 086U TO 144M A TOTAL OF 200', AND REMOVED HEAVY WIPES AND GREASE, TO END THE EVENT.

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:

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT

SIGNS POSTED: 2

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