



Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission Collection System Discharge Written Report

9254889-118-2009

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DATA CALLED IN BY: DEVIN T. MCGONIGAL DATE: 11/05/2009 AT 03:25PM

WORK ORDER(S): 9254889 9254715

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 11/05/2009 01:53PM DURATION: 3.87 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 11/05/2009 05:45PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH12025129 WATER BODY AFFECTED-ROCK CREEK

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 7750 O GEORGETOWN RD 20814
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: M 5407 E02 TOWN/CITY: BETHESDA

CAUSE: DEBRIS EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 232 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL CREW FOUND MH 129M OVERFLOWING 1 GALLON PER MINUTE. THEY
JETTED THE MAIN LINE A TOTAL OF 117 FEET, REMOVED
BRICKS, GREASE AND DEBRIS FROM MH127U WHICH STOPPED THE OVERFLOW.

<INITIAL CAUSE=14>

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:
PUBLIC ACCESS WET WEATHER

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

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:
DEP-MONTGOMERY COUNTY MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT