



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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WORK ORDER(S): 3434801 3434791

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 02/09/2025 04:06PM DURATION: 5.23 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 02/09/2025 09:20PM

SOURCE-OVERFLOWING MH MH10017025 WATER BODY AFFECTED-NORTHWEST BRANCH

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 2344 E UNIVERSITY BLVD 20783
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5409 E03 TOWN/CITY: HYATTSVILLE

CAUSE: GREASE AND WIPES EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 3,138 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND MANHOLE 025M OVERFLOWING AT 10GPM ONTO
THE SURROUNDING IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AND INTO A NEARBY TRIBUTARY THAT
OUTFALLS IN NORTHWEST BRANCH. THE CREW JETTED FROM MANHOLE 024M TO
025M A TOTAL OF 128', AND RELIEVED HEAVY GREASE AND WIPES AT 70', TO
END THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:

DRY WEATHER DISCOLORATION
NOTICEABLE ODOR 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:

FLUSHED BACK INTO MANHOLE VISIBLE SOLIDS REMOVED

REMOVED VISIBLE SOLIDS AND USED FRESH DECHLORINATED WATER FROM JET
TRUCK TO CLEAN ROAD SURFACE. NO HYDRATED LIME NEEDED ON ASHALT
SURFACE.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE:

PG COUNTY HEALTH DEPT PG COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES
MD DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT

THIS EVENT WAS ORGINALLY REPORTED AS 2300 BLK E UNIVERSITY
BLVD.

SIGNS POSTED: 2 POST DATE: 02/09/2025