



WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW WRITTEN REPORT

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WORK ORDER(S): 3498095 3498080

EST DATE AND TIME SSO BEGAN: 08/31/2025 08:24AM DURATION: 7.60 HRS
DATE AND TIME SSO ENDED: 08/31/2025 04:00PM

SOURCE-AIR REL VLV/FORCE M SS19002020 WATER BODY AFFECTED-HORSEPEN

CLOSEST STREET ADDRESS: 8101 RED FARM LN 20715
COUNTY/PAGE/GRID: P 5290 K09 TOWN/CITY: BOWIE

CAUSE: UNKNOWN EST OVERFLOW VOLUME: 2,280 GAL
UPON ARRIVAL, THE CREW FOUND A 1/4" BLEEDER FOR THE AIR RELIEF VALVE
IN THE OPEN POSITION, OVERFLOWING ONTO THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE
VAULT, AND INTO HORSEPEN BRANCH CREEK AT 5GPM. THE CREW CLOSED
THE 3" VALVE TO ISOLATE THE AIR RELIEF VALVE, ENDING THE EVENT.

IMPACTS UPON PUBLIC HEALTH AND STATE WATERS:
DRY WEATHER DISCOLORATION
NOTICEABLE ODOR PUBLIC ACCESS

STEPS TAKEN OR PLANNED TO REDUCE, ELIMINATE AND PREVENT RECURRENCE:
THIS EVENT OCCURRED ON AN AIR RELIEF VALVE ON A FORCE MAIN;
THEREFORE, IT IS NOT CCTVABLE.

MEASURES INITIATED/TAKEN TO MINIMIZE IMPACT:
LIME

THE CREW SPREAD LIME AND STRAW IN THE GRASSY AREA AROUND THE VAULT.

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

SIGNS POSTED: 25 POST DATE: 08/31/2025