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OVERFLOW REPORT

DATE OF OVERFLOW: Sunday, January 29, 2017 3:01am – 3:43am

REPORT SUBMITTED: Monday, January 30, 2017

LOCATION OF OVERFLOW: [3398 Shady Road Plaza](#), Shady Rest Lift Station, MH ID 60453
(Please note that the address used is a reference for the location of the manhole.)

CAUSE OF OVERFLOW: The cause of this overflow was a pump failure at the lift station. The pumps became air locked and were not pumping to capacity.

ESTIMATED VOLUME DISCHARGED: 420 gallons
*(Please note that this quantity is only a calculated **estimation** of the volume of sewage that spilled from our system. More sewage may have escaped the system.)*

SERVICE BASIN AFFECTED: Walnut Creek

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO MITIGATE OR TO REDUCE ADVERSE EFFECTS: Debris has been removed from the area and the affected area has been disinfected with lime.

OVERFLOW STATUS: The lines were bled on the pumps and they resumed pumping; sewage stopped escaping.

SIGNS POSTED: Monday, January 30, 2017

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT FUTURE OVERFLOW: The pump issue was corrected and service was restored to the station. The Maintenance crews will also be adjusting the floats to ensure the pumps operate correctly.

MEDIA / HEALTH DEPARTMENT / OTHERS NOTIFIED: Macon Telegraph and Macon – Bibb County Health Department