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MINOR SPILL REPORT TO EPD

DATE OF MINOR SPILL: Thursday, December 27, 2018 7:40am – 9:40am

REPORT SUBMITTED: Friday, December 28, 2018

LOCATION OF MINOR SPILL: 2555 Echols Pl., MH ID 60611
(Please note that the address used is a reference for the location of the manhole.)

CAUSE OF MINOR SPILL: After the blockage was removed, it was determined that the cause of this minor spill was grease. There are no commercial sources of grease upstream from this location and residential grease is not regulated.

ESTIMATED VOLUME DISCHARGED: 2,400 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.)

RECEIVING WATERS: Drainage ditch feeding Tobesofkee Creek

SERVICE BASIN AFFECTED: Lower Rocky 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.

SPILL STATUS: The blockage has been removed; sewage is no longer escaping.

SIGNS POSTED: Thursday, December 27, 2018

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT FUTURE SPILL: This line scheduled to be cleaned with grease emulsifier and to be televised. It will also be added to the weekly Hot Spot Inspection List.

MEDIA / HEALTH DEPARTMENT / OTHERS NOTIFIED: Macon Telegraph, WMAZ (TV), WMGT (Radio), WGXA, Macon – Bibb County Health Department, State of Georgia Health Department