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### **OVERFLOW REPORT**

**DATE OF OVERFLOW:** Friday, August 12, 2016 6:45pm – 1:00pm 8/13/2016

**REPORT SUBMITTED:** Tuesday, August 16, 2016

**LOCATION OF OVERFLOW:** [4295 Forest Avenue](#), MH ID 69671  
*(Please note that the address used is a reference for the location of the manhole.)*

**CAUSE OF OVERFLOW:** After the blockage was removed, it was determined that the cause of this overflow was grease and roots. There are no commercial sources of grease upstream from this location and residential grease is not regulated.

**ESTIMATED VOLUME DISCHARGED:** 13,440 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:** Wolf Creek

**CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO MITIGATE OR TO REDUCE ADVERSE EFFECTS:** Debris has been removed from the area and the sewage was washed back into the manhole.

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

**SIGNS POSTED:** Saturday, August 13, 2016

**CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT FUTURE OVERFLOW:** This line is scheduled to be cleaned with grease emulsifier and televised. It will also be added to the weekly Hot Spot Inspection List and will be chemically treated for root control.

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