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MINOR SPILL REPORT TO EPD

EPD Watershed Protection Branch
2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive
Suite 1152
Atlanta, GA 30334

DATE OF MINOR SPILL: Friday, December 8, 2023, 3:44 pm – 5:30 pm

REPORT SUBMITTED: Monday, December 11, 2023

LOCATION OF MINOR SPILL: [2925 Pemberton Court](#) - MH ID: 70652
(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 causes of this minor spill were grease and roots. There are no commercial sources of grease upstream from this location and residential grease is not regulated.

ESTIMATED VOLUME DISCHARGED: 4,160 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: Ditch feeding Bowman Branch

SERVICE BASIN AFFECTED: Corbin Avenue

WRF SERVICE AREA NPDES PERMIT: GA0024538

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO MITIGATE OR TO REDUCE ADVERSE EFFECTS:
Debris has been removed from the area. The affected area has also been sprayed with an enzyme treatment for organic waste called Bio-Bug.

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

SIGNS POSTED: Friday, December 8, 2023

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT FUTURE SPILL: The line is scheduled to be cleaned with grease emulsifier and televised. It has also been added to the Hotspot Inspection list for monitoring. Additionally, this line is scheduled to be chemically treated for root intrusion. The details of this spill have been forwarded to our Grease Management team for further investigation.

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

REPORT SUBMITTED BY: Bryan Jones