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SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW (SSO) REPORT TO EPD

TIME/DATE OF OVERFLOW: 12/4/2023 from 1030-1500

REPORT SUBMITTED: 12/4/23

LOCATION OF OVERFLOW (GPS LOCATION): 1800 Block E Park Avenue

CAUSE OF OVERFLOW: Contractor owned/operated pumps for city projects bypass were turned down for unknown reason by contractor. Allowed Infiltration and Inflow to overwhelm system.

ESTIMATED VOLUME DISCHARGED: 7500 gallons.

SERVICE BASIN AFFECTED: NA

WWTP SERVICE AREA NPDES PERMIT: GA00200222

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO MITIGATE OR TO REDUCE ADVERSE EFFECTS:

Central Maintenance Operators directed Contractor to increase pump speed to deal with backup. Pumps at maximum to deal with flow, no issue.

OVERFLOW STATUS: Stopped @1500

SIGNS POSTED: N/A

CORRECTIVE ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT FUTURE SPILL:

Contractor to be counseled on new SOPs for private pump monitoring and usage on City Bypass systems. Any other action TBD.

DATE STREAM MONITORING INITIATED: N/A

DATE MEDIA / HEALTH DEPARTMENT / OTHERS NOTIFIED: N/A

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