

9/15/23- NOTICE OF SANITARY SEWER OVERFLOW

Maryland Environmental Service is reporting that a sanitary sewer overflow occurred overnight at the Woods Road pumping station due to an issue with station controls. An estimated 110,000 gallons of effluent was discharged into the area of Shoal Creek near the wastewater treatment plant. The area where the overflow occurred has been sanitized and reports have been filed with the Maryland Department of the Environment and the Dorchester County Health Department. The public is advised to avoid contact with any standing water in the vicinity of an overflow. There is no threat of contamination of the local drinking water supply.

For additional information or to report an overflow, contact the Department of Public Works at (410) 228-1955.