

Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) Case Study

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Environmental Services



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Sewage from Clean-out



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Sewage in Gutter



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Sewage Entering Storm Drain



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- Who would you call?
- What would you do?
- What enforcement action should be issued?

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Responding to an IDDE



- Contact Department of Transportation (DOT)
- Field or Office Investigation

Trace and Contain Sewage



- Locate Source and Cease Discharge
- Install Sandbags and Check Dams
- Locate Start and End Point

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Contacting a Responsible Party



- Property Owner, Property Manager, Business Owner
 - Contact Plumber
 - Limit Water Usage

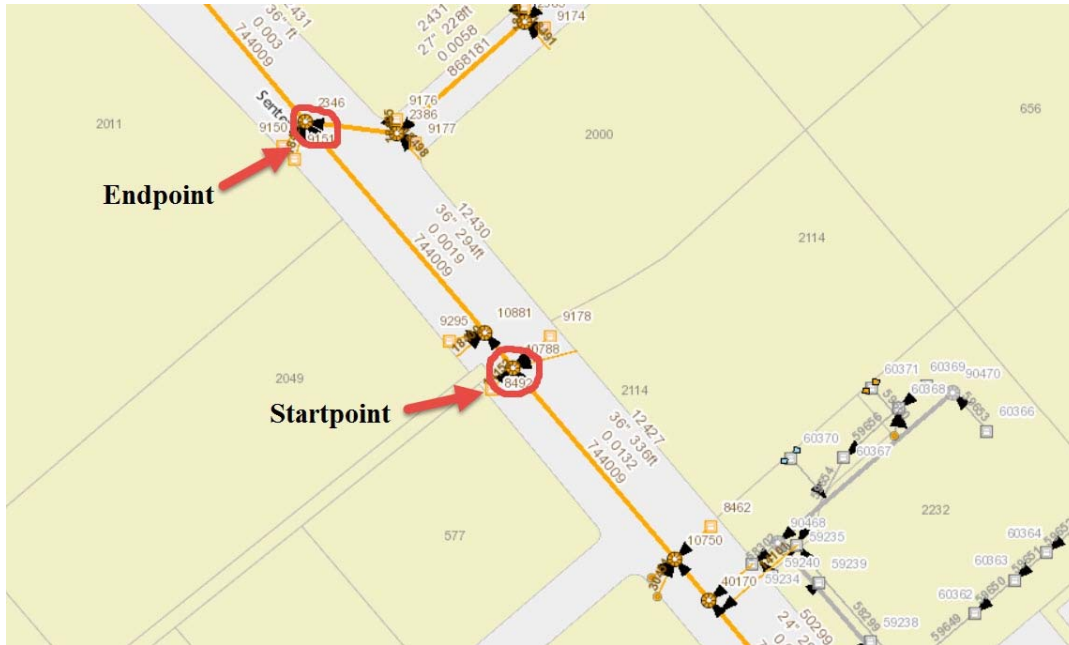
Cleanup



- Proper Best Management Practices
 - Surface Cleaning

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Cleanup



- Proper Best Management Practices
 - Sewer Cleaning

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Enforcement



Environmental Services Department
WATERSHED PROTECTION DIVISION

Referral to Administrative Citation
WITH FINES UP TO \$2,500 PER VIOLATION PER DAY

Company of Concern: Associa	Company Contact: Gail Look	Inquiry ID: 59922 Issue Date: 12/18/2018
Address: Alberto Way Los Gatos, CA 95030	Phone: (Bus) 408-540-5040	Incident Location:

This warning is to notify you of violations of the Municipal or Sanitary District Code as noted below. You are hereby notified to take appropriate remedial actions to avoid additional legal actions from being taken against you.

Municipal or Sanitary District Code Violations

SJMC - 15.14.515 - Discharge into Storm Drain Prohibited

Violation / Remedial Action	Due
12/18/18 Sewage <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clean up using dry method and properly dispose of spills, discharges, tracked sediment, leaks, stains, process residues, and debris <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vacuum the sewage in the gutter, catch basin, and storm sewer line Effect method to protect storm drain <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Determine the cause of the sewer overflow Install an approved clean out Increase maintenance/cleaning frequency sufficient to prevent future storm water pollution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flush private sanitary sewer lines and laterals regularly to prevent future overflows 	12/18/18 12/18/18 12/18/18

RECEIVED BY: _____ INSPECTOR: _____
Date Rina Laxamana 408-793-5336

**ALL REMEDIAL ACTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE NEXT RAIN EVENT,
BUT NO LATER THAN BY THE RESPONSE DUE DATE**
Do not allow any substance other than rain to enter the storm drain or to leave residues on outdoor surfaces which may be washed away by rain into the storm drain system.

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Questions?