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CITY REPORTS SEWER OVERFLOW

BURLINGTON, NC— As required by the Clean Water Act of 1999 (House Bill 1160), the City of Burlington provides the following notice:

The City of Burlington had an overflow of approximately 1600 gallons of untreated wastewater from its sanitary sewer collection system to reach surface waters beginning at 4:45 PM on Wednesday, October 30th, 2019 in the 2000 block of Pinecroft Drive in Burlington, NC. The overflow, caused by rags and debris, discharged into Dry Creek Basin. The obstruction was cleared and the overflow stopped at 5:45 PM.

The North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Division of Water Quality was notified of this overflow. This information is being published as required by North Carolina General Statutes, Article 21 Chapter 143.215.C.

Additional information regarding the overflow is available from the City of Burlington's Water and Pipe Maintenance Division at (336)222-5140.

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