

General Environmental Incident Summary

Incident: 5568 **Notice:** 11/7/2017 1330 **Occurred:** 11/6/2017 1700

DEM Incident No:

No Further Action:

Responsible Party: Molstad Excavating

County: Grand Forks

Twp Rng Sec Qtr: 152 50 32

Lat Long + Method: 47.94481 -97.06701 Interpolation from map

Location Description: North of City of Grand Forks Lift Station 17

Submitted By Info: Lisa Botnen
City of Grand Forks
724 N 47th St
Grand Forks ND 58203

Received By Info:

Contact Info:

1575 N. 73rd St.
Grand Forks ND 58201

Affected Medium: 03 - soil

Near. Occupied Bldg:

Type of Incident: Sewage Accident

Release Contained: Yes

Reported to NRC: Unknown

Contaminant: Sanitary sewage

Volume of Release: 200000 gallons

Duration of Release:

Agriculture Related: No

EPA Extremely

Hazardous Substance: No

Number of Fatalities: 0

Number of Injuries: 0

Cause of Incident:

During scheduled force main repair, a valve was pushed off the force main because the coupling was not restrained.

Risk Evaluation:

None

Potential Env. Impacts:

Minimal impacts to excavation site soil.

Action Taken/Planned:

The release was contained in the excavation and sanitary lift station. It was then pumped to a sanitary manhole and then to the wastewater treatment plant.

Wastes Disposal Location:

City of Grand Forks Wastewater Treatment Plant

Other Agencies Involved:

Updates

Date: 11/7/2017 **Status:** Reviewed - Assigned to NDDEQ Division

Author: O'Gorman, Brian

Notes:

Release, due to a sewage accident was contained in the excavation and sanitary lift station. Report forwarded to Water Quality for further follow-up.

Updated Volume: None at the time of this update

Date: 11/8/2017 **Status:** Reviewed - Assigned to NDDEQ Division

Author: Starr, Sarah

Notes:

Spoke on the telephone with Lisa Botnen on 11-8-2017. Lisa stated the site has been cleaned up and all waste was sent to the Grand Forks Wastewater Treatment Plant via the nearest manhole.

Updated Volume: None at the time of this update