



We want to kindly remind everyone about the importance of not discharging groundwater or storm water from sump pumps into the District's sanitary sewer system. These discharges should be directed towards more appropriate areas like gardens, landscaping, or other pervious surfaces. The sanitary sewer system is specifically designed to handle your wastewater from toilets, sinks, showers, dishwashers, and laundry machines.

Disposing of groundwater and storm water in the sanitary sewer system can cause sewage backups in your own home or your neighbors' homes and may contribute to downstream sewer issues. As caring neighbors and environmentally responsible homeowners, we sincerely urge each one of you to be mindful of these potential consequences and take the necessary steps to protect our community and preserve our natural resources, all while ensuring the safety and well-being of everyone.

If you suspect that your sump pump might be discharging groundwater or storm water into the sanitary sewer system, we kindly request you to reach out to us immediately at (408) 378-2407. Our team is here to assist you in finding a feasible solution in collaboration with your local agency of jurisdiction.

Your cooperation in adhering to these guidelines will be immensely appreciated, as it helps us maintain a harmonious and environmentally conscious community. Together, we can protect our homes, our neighbors, and our natural surroundings.

Sincerely,

/Jon Newby/

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District Manager and Engineer