



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### NOTICE OF DISCHARGE OF UNTREATED WASTE

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 5,300 gallons of untreated wastewater from its sanitary collection system reach surface waters beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 7 in the 700 block of Westbrook Drive in Burlington, NC. The overflow, caused by tree roots, discharged 5,300 gallons into the Little Alamance Creek outfall. The flooding ceased at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 7.

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 the North Carolina General Statute, Article 21 Chapter 143.215.C.

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

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“The City of Burlington is dedicated to providing high quality municipal services within our diverse community in a friendly, professional and efficient manner in order to promote the safety, health, and quality of life of residents and employees.”

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