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Sanitary Sewer Overflow reported by MAWSS

MOBILE, Alabama — Mobile Area Water & Sewer System (MAWSS) responded to Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO) on Monday, May 8, at 629 Rangeline Road. Approximately 3600 gallons of wastewater overflowed as a result of a lift station failure. Crews were able to contain the overflow preventing it from reaching water. MAWSS crews have repaired the lift station and are taking steps to prevent future overflows at this location.

Dr. Bernard H. Eichold II, Health Officer for the Mobile County Health Department, advises area residents to take precautions when coming into contact with any standing water that may have accumulated as a result of these overflows. Those who have come into direct contact with untreated sewage are advised to wash their hands and clothing thoroughly.

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