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**WASTEWATER SPILL OCCURS ON LA SALLE DRIVE**

**HIGH POINT, NC (Dec. 2, 2019)** – On Dec. 1, 2019, the City of High Point had a wastewater spill of an estimated 27,600 gallons at 3906 La Salle Drive. Of this total, 27,600 gallons reached the waters of the state.

The untreated wastewater spilled into Oak Hollow Lake. The cause of the wastewater spill was determined to be pump failure. The Division of Water Quality was notified of the event on Dec. 1, 2019, and is reviewing the matter.

For additional information or questions, residents should contact the Public Services Department at (336) 883-3215 or (336) 883-3166.

House Bill-1160, which the General Assembly enacted in July 1999, requires that municipalities, animal operations, industries and others who operate waste handling systems issue a news release when a waste spill of 1,000 gallons or more reaches surface waters. This notice was sent in accordance with that regulation.

*The City of High Point aims to serve as the catalyst for bringing together the community's human, economic and civic resources for the purpose of creating the single most livable, safe and prosperous community in America. For more information on the City, visit [www.highpointnc.gov](http://www.highpointnc.gov).*

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