

**January 25, 2019**

## **Saraland reports Sanitary Sewer Overflow**

MOBILE, Alabama — Saraland Water Service reported a Sanitary Sewer Overflow on January 25 from a manhole on Spanish Trace Drive. Approximately 700 gallons escaped from a manhole. Saraland officials said none of the overflow reached a body of water.

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

Area residents should take precautions when using the area for recreational purposes because of the overflow. All seafood harvested in this general area should be thoroughly cooked before eating. People should wash hands after cleaning seafood and before preparing food.

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