Emergency Event:	WW-2 SEWER FORCE MAIN BREAK
Emergency Trigger:	Loss of system pressure Loss of flow to WPCP Visible evidence of leaking wastewater (Overflow/spill) Public complaint
Risks:	Loss of system pressure Loss of flow to WPCP Possible Sanitary Sewer Overflow (SSO)/Spill Contamination / Health Environmental / Property Damage

## Actions Required:

- · Investigate extent and cause of failure
- Isolate main break
- Contain wastewater discharge. (Vacuum truck) If necessary, implement by-pass pumping, if necessary
- Make necessary repairs utilizing approved methods and procedures
- If main break results in sewage overflow/spill, see SOP: Emergency Response to Sanitary Sewer Overflow/Spill

## Internal Contacts:

- Utilities Director (ER Lead)
- Asst. Utilities Director (Alternate ER Lead)
- Environmental Manager
- City Engineer
- · City Manager/Asst. City Manager
- Public Information Officer
- Central Warehouse

## **External Contacts:**

**EPD** 

Affected Customers

## Follow Up Actions Required:

- Update maintenance records with details of the sewer main break.
- Written report.
- Written report to EPD, if necessary.