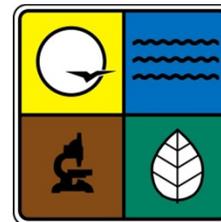


Sanitary Sewer Overflow and Bypass Reporting Procedures

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- Chapter 9 – SSO Policies and Procedures
- <http://www.dnr.mo.gov/env/opsmanual/ch9.htm>

Dry Weather SSOs and Bypasses

- The permit holder is required to verbally notify the department within 24 hours and submit a written report within 5 days.
- The preferred method to report SSOs and Bypasses is to use department's online reporting system.

<http://www.dnr.mo.gov/modnrcag/>

Wet Weather SSOs and Bypasses

- According to 10 CSR 20-7.015(9)(E)2, Publically Owned Treatment Works can report wet weather sanitary sewer overflows and bypasses with the next discharge monitoring report.
- Reporting via the discharge monitoring report applies only if the discharge does not violate permit effluent limitations or permit conditions.

Wet Weather SSOs and Bypasses

- Permit Standard Conditions, Part I, does not allow for discharges that could result in **potential** endangerment to health or the environment.
- The permit holder is responsible for providing proof that there is no **potential** endangerment.
- Department recommends that all bypasses be reported within 24 hours.

Online Bypass/SSO Reporting

<http://dnr.mo.gov/index.html>

Telephone reports are still accepted and must be made to the regional office or, after business hours, to the Spill Line.

Kansas City Regional Office	816-251-0700
Northeast Regional Office	660-385-8000
St. Louis Regional Office	314-416-2960
Southwest Regional Office	417-891-4300
Southeast Regional Office	573-840-9750
DNR 24 Hour Spill Line	573-634-2436