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Sewage spill reported in Waimea Town

WAIMEA – County officials are notifying the public of a wastewater spill from several manholes on Waimea Road between Panako Road and Alawai Road and on Alawai Road in the vicinity of the Waimea Road intersection. The wastewater spill has been contained and disinfected. County officials have posted signs and cones to inform the public to stay out of the affected area.

The spill is a result of heavy rainfall in the area, causing storm water to enter the sewer system (inflow and infiltration (I/I)) and overwhelm the Waimea sewer system.

State Department of Health officials have been notified about the spill.

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