Spill notification

A contractor digging with an excavator hit a 1” plant service line carrying fully treated reclaimed water at the Northwest Water Reclamation Facility (located at 7500 26th Avenue North in St. Petersburg) today.

The leak, which was stopped 12 minutes after being reported at 11:13 a.m., discharged approximately 200 gallons of fully treated and disinfected reclaimed water into the excavation ditch.

All water was contained on site. Approximately half of the water was pumped back into the plant’s treatment system.

Site has been secured and repairs are underway.