

**From:** Department of Public Works <dpwco@cambridgema.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 14, 2025 8:38 PM  
**To:** Hiller, Lucica  
**Subject:** CSO Alert - CAM005, City of Cambridge



## CSO Alert, City of Cambridge



A Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) occurred in the Charles River and consisted of untreated sewage and waste.

CAM005: discharges downstream of the Eliot Bridge across from Mount Auburn Hospital.

Date: 8/14/2025

Start time: 6:50 pm

End time: 7:05 pm

Duration: 15 minutes

Estimated volume\*: 0.12 MG

*\*3-year average calculated using data from 2022, 2023 and 2024*

Potentially affected areas: Boston and Cambridge

Required public health warning: Avoid contact with these water bodies for 48 hours after the discharge or overflow ceases due to increased health risks from bacteria and other pollutants. See website for more information:

[www.cambridgema.gov/CSOreport](http://www.cambridgema.gov/CSOreport)

[አማርኛ](#) | [العربية](#) | [বাংলা](#) | [中文](#) | [Français](#) | [Italiano](#) | [Kreyòl ayisyen](#) | [한국인](#) | [नेपाली](#) | [Português](#) | [Русский](#) | [Español](#) | [Tiếng Việt](#)

## Questions?

## Contact

For questions about Combined Sewer Overflows, please call 617-349-4807 or email [Cambridge CSOs](#)

---



Department of Public Works | 147 Hampshire Street | Cambridge, MA 02139 US

[Unsubscribe](#) | [Update Profile](#) | [Our Privacy Policy](#) | [Constant Contact Data Notice](#)