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Mr Ian McAulay  
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Our Ref: TT45073

Dear Mr McAulay,

Thank you very much for your letter dated 23 September 2020 flooding on the A25 through Borough Green and Platt, and specifically issues at the Sevenoaks Wastewater Pumping Station.

Unfortunately, despite your assurances that the pump had been repaired and is in good working order, just yesterday there was a further incident of raw sewage from Sevenoaks Wastewater Pumping Station flooding in Borough Green. I would appreciate it if you could address why this issue occurred just a month after the works, and if you would meet with me and Harry Rayner, as Kent County Councillor for Borough Green, to discuss how Southern Water will resolve this matter for good.

I look forward to hearing back from you.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom Tugendhat".

**TOM TUGENDHAT**

CC:

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