

**Monterey County Health Department  
Environmental Health Division  
Emergency Response Incident Report  
Proposition 65 Notification**

**MCHD #** 23 - 112  
**CM024-464**

Incident Date: 12/2/2023		Incident Time: Noon PM	
Incident Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous Material	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sewage	<input type="checkbox"/> Restaurant Fire
	<input type="checkbox"/> Suspected Bioterrorist Threat	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Clandestine Drug Lab		
Time Notified: 10:17 PM		Time Completed: 3:21 PM 12/3/2023	
Location: 18836 Eisenhower		City: Salinas	
Hazardous Material: Sewage		Quantity: 1767 gallons	
Physical Properties: Liquid		Physical / Health Hazards: <b>Biohazard</b>	
Land Use: Residential	Direct/Constructed Connections Found:	Entered Storm Drain System/Receiving Waters: Yes	
Environment Affected: Creek			Weather / Temperature: Clear
Type of Container: n/a			
First Responder / Agency on Scene: Salinas PW			
Incident Commander: Ray Lerma, Supervisor		Agency / Telephone: 831-970-8287	
Other Responding Personnel / Agencies / Telephone:			

Source Investigation Conducted? Yes		Source Identified? yes	
Responsible Party Information:			
<input type="checkbox"/> - Invoice			
Vehicle Information:	O.E.S. Control: 23-7423	NRC #:	

<b>Other Notifications:</b>				
<input type="checkbox"/> RWQCB	<input type="checkbox"/> Air District	<input type="checkbox"/> MRWPCA	<input type="checkbox"/> DFG	<input type="checkbox"/> NOAA
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cal-EMA	<input type="checkbox"/> FED EPA	<input type="checkbox"/> DHS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Coast Guard

At 10:17 PM, County Communications notified me that a sewage spill was located at 18836 Eisenhower St. in Salinas and that Salinas PW was on scene. I contacted Supervisor Ray Lerma and was informed that a manhole near the 18836 address had overflowed since noon and had released approximately 1767 gallons into Santa Rita Creek. The blockage in the line was cleared and the flow stopped at 9:37 PM. By 12:41 AM, two temporary dams were put in place at Santa Rita St.- one as a primary and the second in case the first breached. This dam was used to let the waste water pool to be removed by a pumper truck. By 8:33 AM on 12/3/2023, 11,000 gallons of waste and water were pumped from the creek and parts of the creek bed were swept of material.

The only location along the creek with public access is Santa Rita Park Playground and this has been posted with public information.


Health Department follow-up may be warranted due to the potential access of Santa Rita Creek from Santa Rita Park Playground.

**Incident Status:**

Mitigated No Further Action |  Health Department Follow-up Warranted

Referred to other Agency or Department for follow-up:

Contact information: Action taken: [Carmel Area Wastewater District](#)

Form Completed By:  \_\_\_\_\_ 12/3/2023  
 Maria Ferdin, R. E. H. S. Date

*FOR LOCAL AGENCY USE ONLY  
 I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM A DESIGNATED GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE AND  
 THAT I HAVE REPORTED THIS INFORMATION TO LOCAL OFFICIALS PURSUANT  
 TO SECTION 25180.7 OF THE HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE.*

 \_\_\_\_\_ 12/5/2023  
 Randy McMurray, R. E. H. S. Date  
 Hazardous Materials Management Services, Supervisor

**ACTIVITY LOG**

Date	Activity	Specialist	Start	Stop	Total
12/2/2023	Notification/Response	Maria Ferdin	10:17 PM	12:00 AM	103 min
12/3/2023	Notification/Response	Maria Ferdin	12:00 AM	12:50 AM	50 min
12/3/2023	Notification/Response	Maria Ferdin	8:30 AM	8:55 AM	25 min

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12/3/2023	Notification/Response	Maria Ferdin	5:30 PM	6:12 PM	42 min
12/3/2023	Report Writing	Maria Ferdin	6:30 PM	7:30 PM	60 min
<b>**make your selection** - TOTAL:</b>					280 min

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