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COMPLAINT, INCIDENT, AND NOTIFICATION REPORT FORM

Type (Circle One): C I N		CASE NUMBE	R: 18-04-24 — 01						
Received Date: 04/24/18	Received Time: 3:11 AM	Received	By: SD	Lead: SD					
Incident Date: 4/24/18				Assigned Date:					
COMPLAINANT / REPORTING PARTY:									
Name: Chief Carman RP is from Facility Anonymous									
Organization: Con Fire Dispatch / Sheriff Dispatch									
Primary Phone Number: 925-933-1313 / 925-646-2441 Secondary Phone Number:									
Email:									
Address:									
City:	State:	Zip (Code:						
FACILITY / LOCATION OF IN	CIDENT:								
Name:CUPA Facility I.D.:									
Phone Number:									
Address: Clayton Rd & Gali	ndo St (command post locatio	n) Unit:							
City: Concord		State:_C/	⁴ Zip C	ode: 94520					
Location Description: Construction site									
INITIAL INCIDENT DESCRIPTION:									
Structure fire at construct	ion site; air monitoring sup	oort reques	sted						
INCIDENT TYPE / DESCRIPTION:									
Community Warning System Level (Circle Highest Level): N/A 0 1 2 3									
FACILITY	ISO / MCAR	+	ORTATION	MISCELLANEOUS					
	□ Fatality (one or more)□ > 24 hrs. Hospital, 3 or	□ Tank Tru □ Railroad		□ Storm Drain/Creek □ Drug Lab					
□ Startup or Shutdown	more people	□ On Wate		□ Disposal/Abandonment					
	□ Flammable Vapor Cloud	□ Pipeline		□ Odor Complaint					
□ Upset	> 5,000 lbs.	□ Fuel Tar	ık	Other:					
Time Enroute to Scene: 4:18 AM Time Arrived On Scene: 4:28 AM Time Departed From Scene: 11:00 AM									
REFERRED TO OTHER AGENCY:									



[•] Contra Costa Health, Housing & Homeless Services • Contra Costa Health Plan • Contra Costa Public Health • Contra Costa Regional Medical Center & Health Centers •

DTSC STATE FUNDING (if applicable):			STORMWATER ST	STORMWATER STATUS (if applicable):					
CLU/ERER Number:			☐ Actual Discharg	□ Actual Discharge □ Potential Discharge					
AGENCIES ON SCENE OR NOTIFIED:									
Agency Type	Agency	<u>O/N</u>	Contact Person	Phone Number	Case Number				
Fire Department	Con Fire	0	Asst Chief McAllister	925-383-5003					
Law Enforcement									
Air District									
State OES									
REPORT:									
On April 24, 2018 at 3:11 AM, Contra Costa Health Services Hazardous Materials Programs (CCHSHMP) Incident Response Team received a page from Con Fire Dispatch requesting air monitoring and public health messaging assistance at a large structure fire in Concord, CA. A large building under construction that covered an area the size of a city block was on fire. CCHS HMP Hazardous Materials Specialists (HMS) Duazo, Heller, and Pham mobilized in HM1 and HMS Friedman and Lewis mobilized in HM2 to the Con Fire command post located at Clayton Rd. and Galindo St. in Concord and arrived on scene at 4:28 AM. HMS Duazo was stationed at the command post to act as a liaison. HM1 and HM2 performed air monitoring in vicinity of the fire using a photo ionization detector (PID), 4 gas meter, and particulate meter (HM1 only). HMS Dwight, Randy									
Sawyer, and Matt Kaufmann staffed the BOC at the CCHS HMP office. CCHS HMP focused initial air monitoring efforts in the immediate vicinity of the fire, including sensitive receptors such as schools and health care facilities. A public health advisory was issued for the downtown Concord area based on air monitoring results. The Renaissance apartment complex adjacent to the fire had been evacuated. A maximum of 37 parts per million carbon monoxide was detected at the command post during firefighting efforts when CCHS HMP first arrived on scene. CCHS HMP conducted air monitoring at locations including John Muir Hospital, Mount Diablo High School, health care facilities at 1800 and 1870 Adobe Street, Todos Santos Plaza, and Beginnings and Beyond Preschool. CCHS HMP also conducted air monitoring on streets within a 1-mile radius of the fire. Wind direction varied during the response. In general, no readings above background were observed on the PID or 4-gas meter. The most elevated particulate readings were observed once the fire had been largely extinguished. At that point the smoke remained lower and yielded particulate readings (PM 2.5) of up to 1,000-2,000 micrograms per cubic meter (ug/m3) but these readings were not sustained for more than a couple minutes immediately downwind of the fire. Most PM 2.5 readings in the vicinity of the fire were in the 30-50 ug/m3 range.									
Once air monitoring readings had stabilized and the fire was largely extinguished, the health advisory was lifted. HM2 demobilized from the scene at 6:59 AM. HMS Duazo attended a command post briefing at 8:00 AM. CCHS HMP also prepared an ash/debris cleanup advisory for the City of Concord to provide to residents.									
CCHS HMP continued to air monitor the perimeter of the fire suppression work area throughout the morning. PM 2.5 readings were in the 30-60 ug/m3 range. Intermittent smoke from fire suppression on hot spots was present but sustained levels observed earlier in the morning were not observed. HM1 demobilized from the scene at 11:00 AM.									
The BOC timeline of events is attached to this report.									
On April 26 and 27, 2018, CCHS HMP HMS A. Springer, M. Duazo, L. Friedman, and N. Umemoto provided air monitoring support during building demolition activities at the fire location.									

Additional Required Items: Bill of Lading, Request for Invoice, and Site Safety Plan
Report Prepared by:

S. Dwight