


**72 HOUR FOLLOW-UP NOTIFICATION REPORT FORM  
CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES HAZARDOUS MATERIALS  
PROGRAMS**

**For CCHSHMP Use Only:**

Received By:   
Date Received: 10/9/23  
Incident Number: 23-10-06-01  
Copied To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Event Classification Level: 1

**INSTRUCTIONS:** A hardcopy and an electronic copy of this report is to be submitted for all Public Health Advisory – Level 2 and Public Protective Actions Required – Level 3 incidents or when requested by CCHSHMP. See Attachment B-1 for suggestions regarding the type of information to be included in the report. Attach additional sheets as necessary. Forward the completed form to:

**ATTENTION:**  
Hazardous Materials Programs Director  
Contra Costa Health Services Hazardous Materials Programs  
4585 Pacheco Boulevard, Suite 100  
Martinez, CA 94553

**INCIDENT DATE:** 32/28/2023  
**INCIDENT TIME:** 32:53 CO  
**FACILITY:** Martinez Refining Company LLC

**PERSON TO CONTACT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Michael Marlowe Phone number: (925) 313-3705

**10 SUMMARY OF EVENT:**

At approximately 32:53 AM on Qevqdtg 8, 2023, while opening a vessel manway. MRC experienced an unintentional release of petroleum coke dust. The vessel was isolated during a maintenance event.

**AGENCIES NOTIFIED, INCLUDING TIME OF NOTIFICATION:**

CCHSHMP (via CWS): 10:46 AM  
**10** Bay Area Air Quality Management District: 11:00 AM, 11:45 AM  
CCHSHMP (staff): 11:00 AM, 11:05 AM  
CalOSHA: 3:00 PM

**100 AGENCIES RESPONDING, INCLUDING CONTACT NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS:**

BAAQMD: Linda Duca (415) 760-6710; Jose Orozco  
CCHSHMP: Eddie Ruane (925) 316-9793  
CalOSHA: Clement Hseih (925) 602-2665

**IV. EMERGENCY RESPONSE ACTIONS:**

Facility personnel immediately responded by deploying water for dust suppression and closing the manway.

**V. IDENTITY OF MATERIAL RELEASED AND ESTIMATED OR KNOWN QUANTITIES:**

The material released was petroleum coke dust. Quantity is currently undetermined.

**VI. METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS AT TIME OF EVENT** including wind speed, direction, and temperature:

Wind speed 2.8 - 4.7 mph; wind direction 30-103 degrees (out of NE-SE); 83 degrees F

**VII. DESCRIPTION OF INJURIES:**

No injuries.

**VIII. COMMUNITY IMPACT** including number of off-site complaints, air sampling data during event, etc.:

In response to this incident, MRC initiated community monitoring, and as of the time of this report, MRC has received 10 inquiries from the public.

**IX. INCIDENT INVESTIGATION RESULTS**

Is the investigation of the incident complete at this time? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes      X   No  
If the answer is no, submit a 30 day final or interim report.

If the answer is yes, complete the following:

**X. SUMMARIZE INVESTIGATION RESULTS BELOW OR ATTACH COPY OF REPORT:**

Investigation into the root cause of the incident is ongoing.

**XI. SUMMARIZE PREVENTATIVE MEASURES TO BE TAKEN TO PREVENT RECURRENCE INCLUDING MILESTONE AND COMPLETION DATES FOR IMPLEMENTATION:**

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