

FLORIDA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

STATE WATCH OFFICE

DAILY INCIDENT REPORT

Incident Number: 2020-1064

Incident Name: Diesel Spill

Occurred: 2/20/2020 00:43 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/20/2020 01:20 ET

Affecting: Taylor

Involving: Petroleum Spill, Vehicle

Summary: An estimated 150 gallons of diesel spilled to soil and a water filled ditch south of Salem on US-19 due to a traffic crash involving a tractor-trailer. One person reported with minor injuries. No clean-up actions reported.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1063

Incident Name: FL Turnpike NB (MM 82) Road Closure

Occurred: 2/19/2020 18:39 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 19:07 ET

Affecting: Palm Beach

Involving: Road Closure or DOT Issue

Summary: One northbound lane of the Florida Turnpike was closed for an extended period due to a traffic crash. One unconfirmed fatality reported.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1062

Incident Name: Diesel Release

Occurred: 2/19/2020 15:29 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 16:41 ET

Affecting: Orange

Involving: Petroleum Spill

Summary: 25 to 30 gallons of diesel spilled in the Orlando area due to a punctured fuel tank. No storm drains or waterways affected. Clean-up conducted by the reporting party.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1061

Incident Name: Tar Balls Discovered

Occurred: 2/19/2020 15:43 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 15:43 ET

Affecting: Palm Beach

Involving: Petroleum Spill

Summary: Tar balls washed onto a beach at Ocean Reef Park.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1060

Incident Name: Diesel Release

Occurred: 2/19/2020 09:15 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 15:01 ET

Affecting: Bay

Involving: Petroleum Spill

Summary: 75 gallons of diesel spilled to soil in the Panama City Beach area due to operator error. No storm drain or waterway affected. Clean-up conducted by a private contractor.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1059

Incident Name: US-98 EB Road Closure w/ Solid Waste Release

Occurred: 2/19/2020 14:19 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 14:32 ET

Affecting: Highlands

Involving: Road Closure or DOT Issue, Wastewater or Effluent Release

Summary: Approximately 75,000 pounds of bio-solid fertilizer reported spilled on the eastbound lanes of US-98 in the Sebring area due to a traffic crash. The release entered a nearby wetland area. No storm drains or waterways affected. Clean-up conducted by a private contractor. The eastbound lanes of US-98 were closed for about five hours due to the incident.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1058

Incident Name: Unknown Sheen

Occurred: 2/19/2020 11:30 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 14:28 ET

Affecting: Miami-Dade

Involving: Petroleum Spill

Summary: Petroleum sheen reported in the Miami area.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1057

Incident Name: Natural Gas Release w/ Evacuations

Occurred: 2/19/2020 13:55 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 14:12 ET

Affecting: Palm Beach

Involving: Hazardous Materials, Population Protection Actions

Summary: A natural gas release was reported in a residential area of Palm Beach Gardens due to contractors hitting an underground line. The area around the release was evacuated until the release could be secured. No injuries or fires reported.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1056

Incident Name: Abandoned Drum

Occurred: 2/19/2020 13:50 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 13:56 ET

Affecting: Sarasota

Involving: Petroleum Spill

Summary: An empty 55-gallon drum washed ashore in the Sarasota area.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1055

Incident Name: Bio-Solid Grit Release

Occurred: 2/19/2020 13:45 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 13:45 ET

Affecting: Hendry

Involving: General

Summary: 35 to 40 yards of bio-solid grit was reported buried near a wastewater treatment plant in the LaBelle area. Once the material was discovered, it was excavated and properly disposed.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1053

Incident Name: Wastewater Release

Occurred: 2/18/2020 12:45 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 12:51 ET

Affecting: Duval

Involving: Wastewater or Effluent Release

Summary: Approximately 500 gallons of raw sewage released from a gravity line in Jacksonville due to vandalism. No storm drains affected, however, some of the release did enter a nearby waterway. Clean-up was conducted by the reporting party.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1052

Incident Name: Wastewater Release

Occurred: 2/16/2020 14:00 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 12:25 ET

Affecting: Polk

Involving: Wastewater or Effluent Release

Summary: Over 1,000 gallons of raw sewage overflowed from a manhole in the Lakeland area. The release entered an unnamed canal. Clean-up conducted by a private contractor.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1051

Incident Name: Treated Effluent Release

Occurred: 2/13/2020 15:30 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 11:53 ET

Affecting: Manatee

Involving: Wastewater or Effluent Release

Summary: 4,200 gallons of treated effluent spilled in the Bradenton area due to mechanical failure. No clean-up actions required.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1050

Incident Name: AFFF Soap Release

Occurred: 2/19/2020 10:30 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 11:19 ET

Affecting: Brevard

Involving: Hazardous Materials

Summary: One quarter gallon of AFFF released from a vessel into the Atlantic Ocean due to equipment failure.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1048

Incident Name: Reused Water Release

Occurred: 2/18/2020 11:00 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 09:59 ET

Affecting: Sarasota

Involving: Wastewater or Effluent Release

Summary: 170,000 gallons of reused water spilled in the Sarasota area due to a ruptured 3-inch line. Clean-up conducted by the reporting party.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1046

Incident Name: Unknown Sheen

Occurred: 2/19/2020 09:30 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 09:38 ET

Affecting: Okaloosa

Involving: Petroleum Spill

Summary: Petroleum sheen reported on Chula Vista Bayou in the Fort Walton Beach area.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1044

Incident Name: Fertilizer Release

Occurred: 2/19/2020 07:57 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 08:17 ET

Affecting: Martin

Involving: Hazardous Materials

Summary: Approximately 500 pounds of fertilizer spilled in the Palm City area due to a vehicle

crash. No storm drains affected, however, the release did entered an unnamed canal. Clean-up conducted by a private contractor.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1043

Incident Name: I-75 SB (MM 275) Road Closure

Occurred: 2/19/2020 07:53 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 08:14 ET

Affecting: Pasco

Involving: Road Closure or DOT Issue

Summary: All southbound lanes of I-75 were closed for about one hour near Land O' Lakes due to a vehicle collision. One person reported injured.

Status: Closed

Incident Number: 2020-1042

Incident Name: Foul Odor

Occurred: 2/19/2020 07:04 ET

Reported to SWO: 2/19/2020 07:04 ET

Affecting: Bradford

Involving: Hazardous Materials

Summary: A private citizen reported a foul odor from an unknown source in the Brooker area.

Status: Closed

Total Incidents: 19