

**EMERGENCY PLANNING COUNCIL
OF
FAIRFIELD COUNTY**

**109 North Broad St., P.O. Box 626, Lancaster, OH 43130-0626
(614) 654-4357**

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April 4, 1995

TO: Todd Taylor, OEPA
FROM: Daniel C. Bolger, P.E.
SUBJECT: Spill Report for 4/3/95 incident.

Resident at 1100 Rockmill Road, Bloom Township reported diesel fuel smell at creek behind their home. Alarm received at 19:40. Bloom Township Fire Department followed creek up to Marcy Road, reporting some small dead fish, and continued to find odor. Traced path along drainage ditch and pipes along west side of Marcy Road toward Betz Road. Crews found small pockets of red diesel fuel. Also noted dead grass, apparently from fuel.

Source was at residence of Greg and Dianne Kuhn, 7490 Marcy Road, Lancaster OH 43130, 614/833-9820.

After talking with Mrs. Kuhn, we talked to her husband by phone at work. He said they had removed a 500 gallon oil tank from the back yard that was full of water. He said he had talked to OEPA prior to removal and found it was unregulated. Apparently there was some oil still in the tank because he pumped the material out of the tank into a plastic drain tile leading toward Marcy Road.

We couldn't estimate the quantity but it could not have been substantial. The empty tank was still on site.

If you plan to visit the site, I suggest you contact Bloom Township Fire Department 837-5530 for directions or assistance.

Left Scene at 21:30

If further information is needed, please call.



D.C. Bolger

Fairfield County Sheriff's Office

Gary DeMastry, Sheriff
INCIDENT REPORT

Offense Information

1. INCIDENT # 1583

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| 2. Classification <u>INFORMATION</u> | | 3. Offense Code <u>I</u> | 4. Officer Assigned | 5. Date Assigned | 6. Investigation # |
| 7. How Received 9-1-1 <input type="checkbox"/> Dispatched <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On View <input type="checkbox"/> Report from Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Alarm <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | Offense Occurred |
| 8. Location of Offense (Street Address/City) <u>1100 ROCKMILL ROAD / LANCASTER</u> | | | | | 9. Date <u>04-03-95</u> |
| | | | | | 10. Date <u>04-03-95</u> |
| 13. Grid <u>240</u> | 14. CAD # | 15. Date Reported <u>04-03-95</u> | 16. Time Reported <u>2100</u> | | 17. Day(s) of Week of Occurrence <u>SU (M) TU W TH F SA</u> |

Complainant Information

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| 18. Reported By (Last, First, Middle) <u>SCHARTZ, WILLIAM NMI</u> | | | |
| 19. Address <u>1100 ROCKMILL RD N.W.</u> | 20. City <u>LANCASTER</u> | 21. State <u>OHIO</u> | 22. Zip Code <u>43130</u> |
| 23. Phone # <u>(614) 654-1697</u> | 24. SSN <u>UNK</u> | 25. Hours to Contact <u>AFTER 3 P.M.</u> | |

Victim Information

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| 26. Victim Firm Name (if Commercial) <u>N/A</u> | | 27. Victim's Name (Last, First, Middle) <u>SCHARTZ, WILLIAM</u> | |
| 28. Address <u>1100 ROCKMILL RD N.W.</u> | 29. City <u>LANCASTER</u> | 30. State <u>OHIO</u> | 31. Zip Code <u>43130</u> |
| 32. Phone # <u>(614) 654-1697</u> | 33. SSN <u>UNK</u> | 34. Hours to Contact <u>AFTER 3 P.M.</u> | |

Vehicle Information

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| 35. Type Stolen <input type="checkbox"/> Recovered <input type="checkbox"/> Accident <input type="checkbox"/> Suspect <input type="checkbox"/> Impounded <input type="checkbox"/> Damaged <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | |
| 36. Year | 37. Make | 38. Model | 39. Style | 40. Color | 41. Vin | 42. Value | |
| 43. LIC | 44. LIY | 45. LIS | 46. LIT | 47. Registered to | | | |
| 48. Entered into LEADS <input type="checkbox"/> | 49. Date | 50. Time | 51. By | 52. Removed from LEADS <input type="checkbox"/> | 53. Date | 54. Time | 55. By |

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Additional Names

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| 60. Name Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Arr/Suspect Business <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Driver <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Interviewed <input type="checkbox"/> Missing Person <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Passenger <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 61. Name GREG FOREST KUHN | | | | | 62. Sex W | 63. Race M | 64. Date of birth 03-21-55 | | 65. Age 41 | |
| 66. Address 7490 MARCY ROAD | | | | 67. City LANCASTER | | | 68. State OHIO | 69. Zip Code 43130 | | |
| 70. Phone # (614) 833-9820 | | 71. SSN 268-62-1588 | | 72. Height 5'08" | | 73. Weight 195 | | 74. Hair BLN | | 75. Eyes BLU |

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| 60. Name Type <input type="checkbox"/> Arr/Suspect Business <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Driver <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Interviewed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Missing Person <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Passenger <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 61. Name CHRIS DIANN KUHN | | | | | 62. Sex W | 63. Race F | 64. Date of birth 09-13-55 | | 65. Age 40 | |
| 66. Address 7490 MARCY ROAD | | | | 67. City LANCASTER | | | 68. State OHIO | 69. Zip Code 43130 | | |
| 70. Phone # (614) 833-9820 | | 71. SSN 268-62-4348 | | 72. Height 5'00" | | 73. Weight 95 | | 74. Hair BRN | | 75. Eyes GRN |

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| 60. Name Type <input type="checkbox"/> Arr/Suspect Business <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Driver <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Interviewed <input type="checkbox"/> Missing Person <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Passenger <input type="checkbox"/> Witness <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | | | |
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Property Information

| Category: S=Stolen R=Recovered L=Lost F=Found D=Damaged E=Evidence I=Impounded SK=Safekeeping T=Towed | | | | | | | | | |
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| 76. Item # | 77. Category | 78. Quantity | 79. Brand, Make or Manufacture | 80. Model Name and Number | 81. Description (Color, Size) | 82. Serial Number or OAN | 83. Value | | |
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| 84. Item # | 85. Entered LEADS <input type="checkbox"/> NCIC <input type="checkbox"/> | 86. Date | 87. Time | 88. By | 89. Removed LEADS <input type="checkbox"/> NCIC <input type="checkbox"/> | 90. Date | 91. Time | 92. By | |

Officer Information

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| 66. Reporting Officer Rank <i>DEPUTY</i> Name <i>DON L. HARGIS</i> | | | 67. ID# <i>FC 164</i> | 68. Reviewing Officer Rank <i>LT</i> Name <i>Andy Dreyer</i> | | | 69. ID# <i>FC99</i> |
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Fairfield County Sheriff's Office

Gary DeMastry, Sheriff

NARRATIVE REPORT

1. INCIDENT #

1583

18. Original Reported By: (Last, First, Middle)

SCHARTZ, WILLIAM

4. Officer Assigned

5. Date Assigned

6. Investigation #

95. Date

04-03-95

95. Details of Offense, Progress of Investigation, etc.

ON THE ABOVE DATE, THE COMPLAINANT ADVISED OUR OFFICE AND REPORTED A SMELL OF FUEL IN THE AIR, THE FIRE DEPARTMENT WAS CALLED OUT (BLOOM) TO RESPOND TO THE CALL, THE FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONDED TO DISCOVER RED TYPE FUEL IN THE WATER LEADING TO THE CREEK, THE EPA WAS CALLED TO RESPOND TO THE SCENE. THE FD WALKED DOWN TO THE CREEK TO SEE IF THE FUEL HAD GOTTEN THAT FAR, THE FD FOUND FISH FLOATING ON THE TOP OF THE WATER, AFTER A WHILE, THE FD TRACKED DOWN WHERE THE SPILL STARTED FROM, THE SPILL STARTED FROM 7490 MARCY ROAD, GREG WAS NOT HOME, BUT CHRIS WAS INTERVIEWED BY THE FD AND SHE TOLD THEM THAT GREG HAD DUG UP A LARGE TANK AND THOUGHT IT WAS FULL OF WATER AND DRAINED IT ONTO THE DRIVEWAY, AND THE DRIVEWAY LED THE FUEL INTO THE CREEK.

56. Reporting Officer

Rank DEPUTY Name

DON L. HARGIS

57. ID#

FC 164

58. Reviewing Officer

Rank

Name

LT Andy Orayer #604

59. ID#

ALARM RECEIVED 1940

TIME OUT 1943

ON SCENE 1955

SITUATION CONTAINED 2110

SIGNAL "0" 2130

IN QUARTERS 2140

REMARKS: On scene resident @ 1100 Rockmill Rd. smelled diesel fuel
in creek behind their house. E-552 followed creek up to Mary Rd,
and found some dead fish + more diesel fuel smell. E-551 on scene assisted
E-552 with locating source of fuel. Dan Bolger from EMA on scene
also assisted. Crews found packets of red color fuel in drainage ditches
along Mary Rd, between Metz + Rockmill Rd. Traced fuel smell to 7490
Mary Rd, and found that resident had unearthed a approx. 500g fuel oil tank on 4/1/95,
and dumped contents down driveway. Dan Bolger states he would file ~~case~~ report with EPA on 4/1/95.
NO hazardous were present.

TOOLS USED: _____

| ENGINES | LADDER | FIRST ALARM ASSIGNMENT | | | OTHER |
|--------------------------|--------|------------------------|-------------|--|-------|
| | | RESCUE | MEDIC/SQUAD | | |
| <u>551</u> <u>552</u> | | | | | |

APPARATUS CREW LIST:

| ENGINE 551 | ENGINE 552 | TANKER 551 | AIR 551 |
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| DR. <u>C. Bryan</u> | DR. <u>J. Gestak</u> | DR. _____ | DR. _____ |
| IC. <u>P. Nicodemus</u> | IC. <u>T. Hyne</u> | IC. _____ | IC. _____ |
| <u>L. Zack</u> | | | |

| MEDIC 551 | MEDIC 552 | GRASS 552 | CAR 550 |
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| DR. _____ | DR. _____ | DR. _____ | DR. _____ |
| IC. _____ | IC. _____ | IC. _____ | IC. _____ |

E. Ristau
J. Anson
R. Solt
D. Bolger (EMA)