



Factual Report of Investigation Attachment-
Ravenna Fire Department Incident Report

East Palestine, OH

RRD23MR005

(5 pages)



**Ravenna Township Fire
Department**
Station: S24
Shifts Or Platoon: B

Location: [REDACTED] RAVENNA TWP OH 44266	Incident Type: 463 - Vehicle accident, general cleanup
Lat/Long: N 41° 8' 10.04" W 81° 14' 30.21"	FDID: [REDACTED] Incident #: 2022-2201389 Exposure ID: [REDACTED] Exposure #: 0 Incident Date: 11/01/2022 Dispatch Run #: 22-0001389
Zone: Ravenna Township 67-216 - Ravenna Township 67-216 Location Type: 1 - Street address	

Report Completed by:	Myers , Jason	ID: 154	Date: 11/02/2022
Report Reviewed by:	Kozak , Mark A	ID: 69	Date: 12/13/2022
Report Printed by:	Kozak, Mark A	ID: 69	Date: 3/7/2023 Time: 16:49

Structure Type:	Property Use: 951 - Railroad right-of-way		
Automatic Extinguishment System Present: <input type="checkbox"/>	Detectors Present: <input type="checkbox"/>	Cause of Ignition:	
Aid Given or Received:	Mutual aid received	Primary action taken:	81 - Incident command
Additional actions: 82 - Notify other agencies, , 54 - Determine if materials are non-hazardous			
Losses	Pre-Incident Values		
Property:	Property:	Civilian Injuries: 0	Fire Service Injuries: 0
Contents:	Contents:	Civilian Fatalities: 0	Fire Service Fatalities: 0
Total:	Total:	Total Casualties: 0	Total Fire Service Casualties: 0
Total # of apparatus on call:		3	Total # of personnel on call: 5

Special Studies	
COVID 19 was a factor in this incident.	No, COVID 19 was not a factor.

Neighboring Agencies
Agency Name: Ohio State Highway Patrol
Agency ID:
Agency Type: Law
Agency Name: Portage County EMA
Agency ID:
Agency Type: Other
Agency Name: Portage County Hazardous Materials
Agency ID:
Agency Type: Hazmat
Agency Name: Portage County Sherriff's Office
Agency ID:
Agency Type: Law
Agency Name: Ravenna City FD - 67265
Agency ID: 67265
Agency Type: Fire
Agency Name: Ravenna City Police Department
Agency ID:
Agency Type: Law
Agency Name: Ravenna Township Road Department
Agency ID:

Agency Type: Utilities**Agency Name:** Rootstown Fire 67127**Agency ID:** 67127**Agency Type:** Fire**Narrative from dispatch:**

2022/11/01 19:10:50 - GENERAL ALARM

2022/11/01 19:11:05 - TRAIN DERAILMENT

2022/11/01 19:11:06 - TRAIN DERAILMENT

2022/11/01 19:13:01 - NOT A PASSENGER TRAIN. CARRYING VEHICLES

2022/11/01 19:13:32 - NO INJURIES.

2022/11/01 19:13:36 - NO FIRE.

2022/11/01 19:14:42 - 419-PILE OF TRAIN CARS IN BACK YARD

2022/11/01 19:14:53 - 419- NOT SEEING ANY PLACARDS AT THIS TIME

2022/11/01 19:17:19 - 427- CARGO CARS DERAILED..

2022/11/01 19:17:29 - NORFOLK SOUTHERN NOTIFIED

2022/11/01 19:18:17 - ONE BASIC ON STATION

2022/11/01 19:18:17 - NORFOLK SOUTHERN WAS ALREADY NOTIFIED BY PCSO

2022/11/01 19:20:28 - 419- 1075 FLAMABLE, 1993 FLAMABLE

2022/11/01 19:20:54 - FOP CALLED TO ADVISE THE GATE CAN JUST BE PUSHED OPEN AND VEHICLES CAN BE PARKED THERE. 409 ADVISED

2022/11/01 19:21:05 - 2400- RAVENNA CITY ENGINE, ROOTSTOWN, STATION 24 MED UNIT. SHUT PROSPECT DOWN. NEED EMA

2022/11/01 19:21:30 - 419-IN WOODLINES OF RR TRACKS. ABOUT 1/10 OF MILE ON PROSPECT NORTH OF TIMBER RUN STILL LOOKING FOR ENGINE.

2022/11/01 19:22:30 - RAVENNA CITY GENERAL

2022/11/01 19:22:52 - 419-SEVERAL TANKERS WITH PLACARDS

2022/11/01 19:24:00 - COMMAND- CALL HAZMAT HAVE THEM CALL 2400 [REDACTED]

2022/11/01 19:24:21 - KENT CONTACTED FOR HAZMAT

2022/11/01 19:27:18 - 2400- ADVISE ROOTSTOWN TO BLOCK ROAD

2022/11/01 19:35:31 - TRAIN DISPATCHER ADVISED NORFOLK SOUTHERN POLICE DEPARTMENT THAT NO ONE NEEDS MEDICAL ATTENTION

2022/11/01 19:37:16 - LT PEEPS/KENT FIRE

2022/11/01 19:38:40 - 2500-HAVE CAPT HALL CALL 2500 AT [REDACTED]

2022/11/01 19:42:49 - COMMAND - ADVISE ROOTSTOWN TO MOVE ENGINE TO PROSPECT/SANDY LAKE

2022/11/01 19:47:24 - PER PCSO RADIO TRAFFIC, HAZMAT ON SCENE

2022/11/01 19:47:59 - WHITE POWDER IS ROCK SALT

2022/11/01 19:51:20 - 428- PROSPECT & SUMMIT FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL

2022/11/01 19:56:26 - 2500-HOLDING ROOTSTOWN COMPANIES ONSCENE. REQUESTING ALL ROOTSTOWN CALLS BE AA BY BRIM

2022/11/01 20:05:54 - 2400-MOVING COMMAND POST TO FOP LODGE. NORFOLK SOUTHERN HAS RESPONSE TEAM ER. NO ETA

2022/11/01 20:19:09 - PER CAPT HALL ADVISE THE PD UNIT ON SB SIDE OF SOUTH PROSPECT THAT THERE IS A CIVILIAN DRONE OPERATED IN A BLACK F150 THAT IS AUTHORIZED TO COME THROUGH

2022/11/01 20:27:42 - EMA ONSCENE

2022/11/01 20:49:01 - 428- CONTACT RAILROAD OR COMMAND. 2 RR CARS ARE LEANING. PEDESTRIAN ADVISED TO CARS LEANING, ALMOST TIPPING OVER 5551 FARTHER NORTH OF MAIN DERAILMENT

2022/11/01 20:54:01 - 428- ADVISE COMMAND THAT CLEANING SERVICE ALONG WITH CSX IS HERE.

2022/11/01 20:55:31 - 428- ADVISE COMMAND NORFOLK SOUTHERN ON SCENE

2022/11/01 20:59:53 - 2417-ER BACK TO COMMAND POST VIA THE TRACKS

2022/11/01 22:01:48 - COMMAND-PORTAGE COUNTY EMA AND HAZMAT RELEASED

2022/11/01 22:09:31 - 2500-ALL ROOT UNITS CLEARING. CANCEL AUTO AID WITH BRIM.

2022/11/01 22:20:15 - COMMAND-ALL UNITS CLEARING

NARRATIVE (2)

Narrative Title: n/a

Narrative Author: Myers, Jason

Narrative Date: 11/02/2022 11:26:43

Narrative Apparatus ID: E2418

Narrative:

RTFD dispatched for possible train derailment on prospect near [REDACTED] Upon arrival of fd, command established. Command requested an additional engine company from RCFD and Rootstown. PCSO on scene to assist with traffic control and containment of the incident. Command established at FOP on Prospect. Portage county HAZMAT team contacted and activated due to multiple cars with multiple placards involved. FD walked tracks, assessed the scene, found approximately 16-20 cars derailed, tracks torn and removed from the ground and secondary track shifted approximately 8-10 feet. Additional cars found to be derailed north of the derailment, and leaning. Contacted Norfolk Southern to activate their emergency response team. Point of contact for them are Night ops Tom Novitski [REDACTED] day ops Dave Gooden [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Scene found to be stable and no hazardous materials are leaking at the time

APPARATUS			
Unit	2418	Unit	2400
Type:	Tanker & pumper combination	Type:	Chief officer car
Use:	Suppression	Use:	Other
Response Mode:	Lights and Sirens	Response Mode:	Lights and Sirens
# of People	3	# of People	1
Alarm	11 /01/2022 19:10:23	Alarm	11 /01/2022 19:10:23
Dispatched	11 /01/2022 19:10:40	Dispatched	11 /01/2022 19:11:58
Enroute	11 /01/2022 19:11:32	Enroute	11 /01/2022 19:12:02
Arrived	11 /01/2022 19:17:51	Arrived	11 /01/2022 19:17:51
Cancelled	-- /-- /-- --:--:--	Cancelled	-- /-- /-- --:--:--
Cleared Scene	11 /01/2022 22:13:15	Cleared Scene	11 /01/2022 22:17:28
In Quarters	11 /01/2022 22:21:18	In Quarters	11 /01/2022 23:09:41
In Service	-- /-- /-- --:--:--	In Service	-- /-- /-- --:--:--
Unit	2412		
Type:	ALS unit		
Use:	EMS		
Response Mode:	Lights and Sirens		
# of People	1		
Alarm	11 /01/2022 19:10:23		
Dispatched	11 /01/2022 19:23:00		
Enroute	11 /01/2022 19:23:00		
Arrived	11 /01/2022 19:24:00		
Cancelled	-- /-- /-- --:--:--		
Cleared Scene	11 /01/2022 22:13:55		
In Quarters	11 /01/2022 22:52:35		
In Service	-- /-- /-- --:--:--		
Number Of People not on apparatus: 0			

PEOPLE -- PERSON 1			
Is Owner		Business Name	KNIGHT
Telephone Number		Involvement	
Name	CHARLES KNIGHT	Date of Birth	
Address	0		

PEOPLE -- PERSON 2			
Is Owner		Business Name	THOMAS
Name	KYLE A THOMAS	Date of Birth	
Address			SHADE, OH 45776-

PEOPLE -- PERSON 3			
Is Owner		Business Name	SHELLY
Name	ALAN D SHELLY	Date of Birth	
Address			MOGADORE, OH 44260-

PEOPLE -- PERSON 4			
Is Owner		Business Name	NEWMAN
Telephone Number		Involvement	
Name	MARY C NEWMAN	Date of Birth	
Address			RAVENNA, OH 44266-

Member Making Report (Firefighter Jason Myers): _____

Incident Reviewer (Fire Chief Mark A Kozak): _____