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ALARM ACTIVITY REPORT

DATE OF INCIDENT: August 1, 2008
LOCATION OF ALARM: Corner of Iris and Brewster, Redwood City
NATURE: Hazardous Material Incident
TIME: 1805 hrs. (6:05 P.M.)
TIME OF TERMINATION: 2050 hrs. (8:50 P.M.)
UNITS ON SCENE: Full Haz-Mat Response
3 Engine Companies
1 Truck Company
1 Battalion Chief
2 Haz-Mat Teams (Haz-Mat 13 and 30)
1 OES Representative

INJURIES: None
CAUSE: Unknown
DAMAGE: None

SYNOPSIS OF ALARM: Redwood City Fire Fighters, along with units from Belmont-San Carlos Fire and Woodside Fire, responded to a report of a hazardous material incident at the location above. On arrival, E10 found four 1-gal. cartons of an unknown, brown liquid, triggering a hazardous materials response. Units on scene isolated the area and denied entry until the material could be identified.

Crews from Haz-Mat 13 (Belmont-San Carlos Fire) entered the scene and collected samples of the material. After determining the sample to be a combustible, non-toxic liquid, Redwood City Public Works was called in to dispose of the containers.

There were no injuries and property damage caused by the incident.

Other cooperating agencies: Redwood City Police Department, County of San Mateo, Office of Emergency Services, and Redwood City Public Works.

REPORTING OFFICER: Temporary Battalion Chief Nick Dickson