

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Public Notification of Wastewater Discharge

Information about the Discharge

An unauthorized discharge or spill of wastewater has occurred from:

Wastewater Treatment Facility: _____ Collection System:

Facility Name: City of Van Alstyne

Person to contact for information: Jerry Davis

Location of spill(s): *Newport Drive and San Carlos Drive*

Estimated date and time of spill(s): 11/24/22 at 8:00am to 11/27/22 at 8:00am

Estimated volume of spill(s)(number of gallons): 142,500 gallons

Type of Spill (domestic, industrial, other): domestic

Description of the area potentially affected, including down gradient and lateral distance from spill(s) site: 150 feet east and 800 feet south and east

Suspected cause of spill(s): heavy rainfall

List of actions taken include but are not limited to:

Notification of:

Appropriate local government officials: TCEQ Regional Office:

Containment of spill: N/A

Increased monitoring of water supply systems: disinfectant residual levels

Initiation or completion of cleanup activities: vac truck, power wash, disinfect with chlorine.

The Wastewater Spill meets the following condition:

The spill is 100,000 gallons or more.

Precautions:

- Persons using private drinking water supply wells located within ½ mile of the spill site or within the potentially affected area should use only water that has been distilled or boiled at a rolling boil for at least one minute for all personal uses including drinking, cooking, bathing, and tooth brushing. Individuals with private water wells should have their well water tested and disinfected, if necessary, prior to discontinuing distillation or boiling.
- Persons who purchase water from a public water supply may contact their water supply distributor to determine if the water is safe for personal use.
- The public should avoid contact with waste material, soil, or water in the area potentially affected by the spill.
- If the public comes into contact with waste material, soil, or water potentially affected by the spill, they should bathe and wash clothes thoroughly as soon as possible.