

# General Environmental Incident Summary

**Incident:** 4173      **Date/Time Notice:** 7/19/2016      **DEM Incident No:**  
**Responsible Party:** Cass County Electric Cooperative  
**Date Incident:** 7/19/2016      **Time Incident:**      **Duration:** 10 minutes  
**County:** Richland      **Twp:** 135      **Rng:** 52      **Sec:** 3      **Qtr:**  
**Lat:** 46.53665      **Long:** -97.21805      **Method:** Interpolation from map  
**Location Description:** 6056 county road 23, Leonard, ND

**Submitted By:** Mike Mead      **Affiliation:**  
**Address:** 4100 32 ave sw  
**City:** Fargo      **State:** ND      **Zip:**

**Received By:**

**Contact Person:**

4100 32 av sw  
Fargo , ND

**Distance Nearest Occupied Building:** 50 Feet      **Release Contained:** Yes

**Type of Incident:** Vehicle Accident

**Description of Released Contaminant:** Transformer miner oil

**Volume Spilled:** 5.00 gallons      **Ag Related:** No

**EPA Extremely Hazardous Substance:** Unknown      **Reported to NRC:** Unknown

**Cause of Incident:**

Home owner backed into transformer damaging and moved it. When crew went out to change out transformer the top secondary bushing broke causing oil to come out. Crew put down absorbent material to contain spill. The damage happened around 7/19/2016, crew went to change it out 7/19/2016.

**Risk Evaluation:**

none

**# of Fatalities:**      **# of Injuries:**      **Affected Medium:** 03 - soil

**Potential Environmental Impacts:**

none oil was contained and cleaned up.

**Action Taken or Planned:**

Contained spill and removed dirt that the oil came into contact with. Per policy we will test oil for PCB.

**Wastes Disposal Location:** if test comes back positive we will ship to a registered waste (clean Harbors) disposal if not landfill.

**Agencies Involved:**

**Updates**

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**Date:** 7/20/2016    **Status:** Reviewed - Assigned to NDDoH Division

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**Updated Volume:**

**Notes:**

Report forwarded to the NDDoH Division of Waste Management.