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Recent Incidents

20160314 - Montgomery County Tornado 27 days ago
The National Weather Service has confirmed an EF-1 tornado touched down in the town of Phillipsburg. One home and agricultural structures were damaged. No injuries were reported.

20160201 Perry County Gas Leak 2 months ago
A gas leak in Crooksville resulted in the evacuation of a half mile radius around the incident, which occurred in the vicinity of 6660 Watt Hill Rd. An estimated 1,500 residents have been impacted by the incident. A shelter was opened by the Red Cross at the Crooksville High School. The shelter was closed at 5:00 AM following residents being given the all clear to return home. Columbia Gas repaired the leaking transmission line and repairs are currently underway. ODOT has agreed to a request from Columbia Gas to close a portion of state Route 93 while repairs continue. Perry County assisted in coordination as multiple local, county and state resource responded in support of the incident.

20160201 - Stark County - Train Derailment 2 months ago
At approximately 6:00 PM on February 1, 2016 a train derailment on the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway occurred at the Brewster Rail Yard in Brewster, Ohio. The six-car derailment resulted in one car being punctured and residual gasses1861925163d26 looking in multiple cars catching fire. There were no injuries as a result of this incident. The cause of the derailment is unknown at this time. Local fire departments extinguished the fire, prevented additional flare ups and were able to terminate the leak from the punctured tanker. A precautionary evacuation of a half a mile radius around the incident site was carried out. The evacuation order was lifted at 9:15 PM. The Stark County Emergency Management Agency (EMA) activated their Emergency Operations Center to support and coordinate the local response. Ohio EMA, OSP and Stark County responded to Stark County to assess, support and evaluate additional needs. Ohio EPA reported the absence of elevated explosive gasses or volatile organic compounds at 10:25 PM.

20151214 - Franklin County - Warehouse Fire 3 months ago
A fire at a warehouse in Franklin County resulted in the evacuation of the surrounding area. No injuries were reported. The cause of the fire is under investigation.

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