

Fw: Public Notice of Pollution - Initial Notice Received

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Is DEP going to require Radium sampling?

Paul Still

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**Pollution Notice**

Pursuant to Section 403.077, F.S., the Department of Environmental Protection has received the following Public Notice of Pollution for a reportable release. All information displayed was submitted by the reporting party.

**Type of Notice:** Initial Report

**Date of Notice:** 07/29/2024

**Incident Information**

**Name of Incident:** Trail Ridge South Mine - Upset - Pump Malfunction

**State Watch Office Case Number:** 20246237

**Start of Incident:** 07/29/2024 10:30 AM

**End of Incident:** 07/29/2024 10:30 AM

### **Incident Description**

We would like to report an "upset" condition at the Trail Ridge South Mine. A discharge end of a pipe blew off of a pump. This pump is located at the process pond and adjacent to the industrial waste water ponds. The pipe/line is on the back (discharge) side of the pump. Water flowed to two areas, one being previously mined upland with sand tailings. This area was within our permit limits. The second flow path was into Industrial wastewater pond 1. Water then flowed into IWW pond 2 and 3 at which went out the D001 outfall. This outfall goes into a man made ditch (surface water) from the historic mining operations. This portion of the surface water is permitted for impacts through Permit MMR 137482-018. We continue to work on specific duration and quantity of release. Release was identified at 19:30 am and stopped immediately. Estimated quantity released from D001 is around 30,000 gallons. Water was captured in the 3 IWW ponds and remains site. The following samples for turbidity samples were taken. Process Pond 9.7. D001 Outfall 8.0 Receiving water 7.9 TRS WQ Sampling station BG1 (ERP Permit) ? 9.7

### **Incident Location**

**Facility/Installation Name:** Trail Rdige South Mine

**Address Line 1:** 5222 Treat Road

**Address Line 2:**

**Directions:**

**City:** Starke FL

**State:** FL

**Zip Code:** 32091

**Coordinates (in decimal degrees):**

Lat: 29.898, Long: -82.041

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**Impacted Counties:** Clay

**Updated Impact:**

### **Incident Reported By**

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