

Caldwell, Dwayne

From: Caldwell, Dwayne
Sent: Thursday, May 30, 2024 11:22 AM
To: Becovitz, Joseph David
Subject: RE: RM 112657 Herbicide Leak Benton County

Hey Joe,

Sorry, I should have checked on if there was something previous.

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Dwayne,

I have a call in to Mr. Spikes. This seems to be the same incident that David Cage made us aware of about 3 to 4 weeks ago. Jason Fisher with Benton County Emergency Management responded and I thought the situation was resolved. I will let you know if Mr. Spikes calls me back.

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Hello!

We got a call from a man that said his neighbor at 514 W Darby Dr, Otterbein, IN 47970 brought home a tote. He said the tote leaked 2-3 months ago and caused an area of 10'X80" of grass to die. He called the police at the time who told him it was an herbicide. No thing has been done since that time and he is concerned about this. Is this something you could have somebody look at?

The caller was Michael Spikes 765-441-5015

Take care,

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