

Fire Reported at City of Northfield Wastewater Treatment Plant

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Northfield—May 29, 2018, at approximately 10 p.m. Northfield Area Fire & Rescue and Police responded to a call at the City of Northfield Wastewater Treatment Plant. There was a report of a fire in the biosolids building.

The treatment discharging process continued through the fire and the Wastewater Treatment Plant is still functioning. For approximately 45 minutes, ultra violet treatment finishing process ceased. There are no reports of injuries or public health concerns at this time.

Staff notified Minnesota Pollution Control Agency immediately. The cause of fire and damage to the building are being evaluated at this time. Expect an additional report tomorrow.

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