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Subject: FYI Gas Incident-PG&E not the cause

All,

Just a heads up in case you receive inquires:

At about 10:00 pm last night a car (not PG&E vehicle) appears to have hit some PG&E gas meter equipment causing a gas leak.

PG&E was on site in less than a half hour and the gas was shut off within 45 minutes. Sacramento news media followed the story so you may get inquires. About 300 people were evacuated due to the leak.

I have attached the official report as background below.

Please don't hesitate to call if you have questions or need additional information.

Enjoy the rest of your weekend!

Jennifer
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Background:

At approximately 20:07 hours on September 17, 2011 a vehicle impacted a gas meter set at Redacted in Nevada City causing a break in the riser just below the regulator. There was escaping gas causing an evacuation of approximately 300 people. There were no injuries as a result of this incident. PG&E personnel were on scene at 20:31 hours and gas was shut off at 20:45 hours.

This incident was reported to the CPUC due to the presence of Sacramento major media (Channel 40 news). This incident did not meet criteria for reporting to the DOT.