



Eau Claire Fire & Rescue
News Media Report

Date: 02/05/15 Dispatch Time: 19:50 Incident Number: 15 - 00786

Location: Golf Road and London Road

Incident type: [ ] Fire [ ] Hazardous Materials [ ] Mass Casualty
[ ] Auto Casualty [x] Other Natural Gas Leak

Alarms: [x] 1st Alarm [ ] 2nd Alarm [ ] 3rd Alarm [ ] Special Call

Engine(s) Responding: 2 Rescue/Medical vehicle(s): 0

Command Vehicle(s): 1 Number of Personnel Responding: 7

Injuries: Civilian(s) 0 Firefighter(s): 0

Transported by Ambulance: [ ] Yes (number \_\_\_\_\_) [ ] No Where: NA

Fatalities: [ ] Yes (number \_\_\_\_\_) [x] No

Evacuation: [ ] Yes [x] No Comments:

Relocation: [ ] Yes [x] No Note:

Mutual Aid: [ ] Given [ ] Received (units) [x] N/A

Business Name: Kwik Trip

Occupant Information

Name:
Address:

Phone:

Property Owner Information

Name:
Address:

Phone:

Structure Type: Business Area of Origin: Under Investigation

Under Investigation: [x] Yes [ ] No By Whom: ECPD

Probable Cause:

Damage Estimate: (structure & contents)

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### **Narrative:**

Fire units were dispatched to a natural gas leak at Kwik Trip on Golf Rd. The initial dispatch was that a semi truck hit a natural gas pipe near the edge of the parking lot. Fire crews found a damaged natural gas vent line releasing pressure into the atmosphere. Fire crews worked to evacuate approximately 10 businesses in the immediate area. Xcel Energy arrived on scene and shut a valve off to stop the leak. Fire crews monitored gas levels throughout the incident, and let occupants back into their businesses when levels were safe. ECPD and WI State Patrol assisted with traffic control. All fire units cleared at 2130 hours with Xcel Energy still on scene. Traffic flow was back to normal prior to fire units clearing.

*Officer:* Battalion Chief Scott Walby  
*Eau Claire Fire Department*