

IRVING FIRE DEPARTMENT



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EMERGENCY SITUATION

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Irving Fire Department

Irving, Texas - On 5/26/2020 at 1:30 P.M., the Irving Fire Department responded to a Minor Accident (Train Derailment), at 1252 N Britain Rd. N. The first emergency personnel were on-scene at 1:40 P.M. hours. There were 2 pieces of emergency equipment sent to this scene. There were no injuries to civilians and no injuries to first responders.

Additional Comments: This call came from Irving Police Dispatch stating that several railroad cars had slipped off of the tracks. Railroad Maintenance is currently on scene. No Fire equipment was requested to the scene as no injuries or significant damage noted. Truck 3 and Engine 3 responded code 1 to this location to make an assessment of the traffic and access situation. Currently, N. Britain Rd is blocked between Grauwlyer Rd and Union Bower Rd. Britain Road is estimated to be blocked for the next several hours.