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SUFFOLK FIRE & RESCUE RESPONDS TO GAS LEAK

SUFFOLK, VA (November 21, 2017) Suffolk Fire & Rescue are currently on the scene of a gas leak in the 3800 block of Jackson Road. The call was received by Suffolk Emergency Communications at 1:34 p.m. advising of the leak in an underground propane tank at the residence and the first units were on scene at the rural location at 1:45 p.m.

Battalion Chief William Kessinger advised that two residences were evacuated out of an abundance of caution due to the leak, affecting 6 people. A propane company is currently en route to address the leak.

The 3800 block of Jackson Road is currently closed and Suffolk Police are on scene providing traffic control.

There were no injuries.

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