



## City of Barberton

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#### **Barberton Fire Department Responds to Tuscarawas River Spill**

**Barberton, OH** (July 10, 2023) – The Barberton Fire Department received a call July 6 at 1330 hours for a chemical or oil spill in the Tuscarawas River. Units from Barberton Fire were dispatched. Upon arrival of the units the spill was located south of the Snyder Avenue crossing of the Summit Metro Trail. Booms were placed to contain the spill and the EPA and Summit Metro Parks were notified. The communities of Clinton, New Franklin, and Canal Fulton were notified.

Upon further investigation the spill was traced to PC Sales on Snyder Avenue. The State of Ohio EPA was conducting the investigation. Further details will be released when they become available.

For more information, please call the Ohio EPA at 614-644-3020.

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