



PRESS RELEASE – March 26, 2015

Fire Department: 972-625-3944

Gas lines cut along Main Street

THE COLONY, Texas — At about noon today, a 6-inch natural gas main was accidentally cut by crews conducting roadwork near the corner of Main Street and Cougar Alley. At about 2:45 p.m., another gas line was accidentally cut on Main Street near South Colony Boulevard in front of Stan's Restaurant.

The Colony Fire Department immediately responded and secured both scenes while Atmos crews were en route to repair the leaks. Repair work on Cougar Alley is underway and expected to be completed within about an hour of this notice. TCFD personnel are remaining at both scenes to monitor conditions.

Fire Chief Scott Thompson said neither scene required evacuations of homes or businesses but subsequent repair work has forced temporary closure of Cougar Alley. Lewisville ISD was also notified. Thompson said conditions are not hazardous and that today's strong winds are a benefit under the circumstances.

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