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Water Off Limits Near Train Derailment Site

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Residents in McKean County near the site of a train derailment are being warned to stay out of the water.

Friday's accident spilled 16,000 gallons of sodium hydroxide. Officials still aren't sure how much of that chemical made its way into the Portage Creek, but dead fish have been reported in 11 miles of the stream.

The Cameron County Office of Emergency Services said those who live near the polluted streams can receive free well water testing by calling 1-866-869-2834.

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