

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

✓ Acid spill cleaned up

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SANTA CRUZ — A hazardous waste material team was finishing the clean-up of a 200-gallon acid spill late this morning at Ezeflow Fittings Corp., 2119 Delaware Ave.

No one was injured in the mishap that occurred at 2:15 a.m.

According to Ezeflow President Peter Petersen, a large 30-inch fitting slipped while being lowered into a large tank of nitrate acid to be cleaned. The stainless steel fitting hit the side of the tank, allowing acid to spill onto the floor.

The Santa Cruz Fire Department responded, along with county Hazardous Materials Manager Elsa Kolbus. A hazardous waste material team was called in from San Jose to clean the spill.