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Four Train Cars Derail in Lafayette – Crews on The Scene

LAFAYETTE, INDIANA – June 22, 2024 – Four train cars have derailed in Lafayette which has closed traffic, in both directions, on the Harrison Street Bridge. The four derailed cars made contact with the bridge supports and due to safety concerns, has closed the Harrison Street Bridge until the structures are examined by safety personnel. On site at the derailment is the Lafayette Fire Department, West Lafayette Fire Department, Tippecanoe Emergency Management Agency (TEMA), Lafayette Police Department, and personnel from CSX Railroad. Of the four derailed train cars, two have hazardous materials, but there are no leaks from those derailed cars. Cause of the derailment is still being reviewed.

Please avoid this area as emergency personnel are managing the site. Further information will be provided as it is released.

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