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### **Environmental Incident at Dilaj's Motor Inn**

On April 12, 2022, the Cayuga County Health Department responded to a complaint regarding a septic overflow at Dilaj's Motor Inn. Wastewater was observed to be on the ground surface and flowing into an unnamed minor tributary on the motel's property. This waterbody flows into North Brook. The public is advised to avoid the impacted waterbody at the present time. The facility has been ordered to immediately pump their septic tanks to cease the release of wastewater. Pumping is to continue until the issue is resolved.

The Cayuga County Health Department will continue to monitor the situation.

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