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Subject: Accidents mentioned during EJHA meeting and relationship to RMP
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Accident	Who mentioned it?	RMP accident?
Philadelphia Energy Solutions explosion/HF release (2019)	John Paul Smith (USW), others	Yes
TPC Butadiene explosion/fire (Port Neches, TX) (2019)	Hilton Kelley (Community in Power)	Yes
Marathon refinery tank fires, Carson, CA (2020)	Jesse Marquez (Coalition for Safe Env)	Yes
ExxonMobil Torrance CA ESP explosion, near miss HF release (2015)	Jesse Marquez	Yes
Wood Pellet facility fire in Port Arthur, Texas (2020)	Hilton Kelley	No
Valero refinery heavy oil tank fire, Port Arthur (2017)	Hilton Kelley	No
ITC Deer Park tank fires (2019)	Neil Carman (Sierra Club)	No
Peptides International biotech lab HF leak, Louisville (2015)	Ebony Cochran (REACT – Louisville)	No

Also, FYI – I checked the RMP database to see how many accidents have been reported (so far) for 2020. Only 60 accidents have been reported. We are not 6 months into 2021, so we expect this number to go up as facilities meet the 6-month accident history reporting requirement. That said, unless that total basically doubles, this will be the lowest number of accidents we've ever seen for any calendar year. The low total is probably somewhat COVID-related, since some facilities were shut down much of last year. Just a data point to keep in the back of your mind.

Jim