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Controlled Anhydrous Ammonia Release at Lamb Weston
GCHD is investigating a controlled gas leak at the frozen food
manufacturing plant in Quincy.

QUINCY, WA - Grant County Health District is investigating the release of a gas, Anhydrous Ammonia, at Lamb Weston located at 1005 E St SW, Quincy. The gas is contained to the facility with no threat to the public. Air monitoring teams are on-site, and have not detected any measurement of Anhydrous Ammonia outside of the building. On-site personnel are in the process of ventilating the Lamb Weston facility, releasing controlled amounts of Anhydrous Ammonia to establish safe working conditions for Lamb Weston personnel. Air monitoring teams will remain on-site until ventilation is complete. Department of Ecology is enroute at the time of this release.

At this time, there is no threat to the public and no action required. Appropriate actions have been taken and Public Health is responding to the situation.

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