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DISTRIBUTION AREA: REGIONAL UNIT OF THESSALONIKI

## 3rd PREPAREDNESS DRILL 24 October 2017

«Fire in a grove near a Gas  
Distribution Station»

- 20A NIKOLAOU PLASTIRA STREET, SINDOS  
(DELTA MUNICIPALITY)  
THESSALONIKI

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(24 ώρες το 24ωρο)

➤ The 3<sup>rd</sup> Preparedness Drill for the year **2017** of **EDA THESSALONIKI-THESSALIA** was successfully conducted on **Thursday 24 October 2017** in **Thessaloniki**. The success was achieved through the contribution of all services involved and of **EDA THESS** staff, along with the Authorities and the competent contractor company.


➤ The purpose of the drill conducted by **EDA THESS** in **Thessaloniki** was to:

- test and check the completeness of emergency plans
- ensure the required cooperation between the competent structures
- improve coordination, communication and management of information
- **effectively deal with the incident**

➤ The drill scenario was developed by the Grid Management and Emergency Intervention Unit and involved a **“Fire near a Gas Distribution Station”**, in the western side of the city nearby the Cultural Center of Sindos Village.



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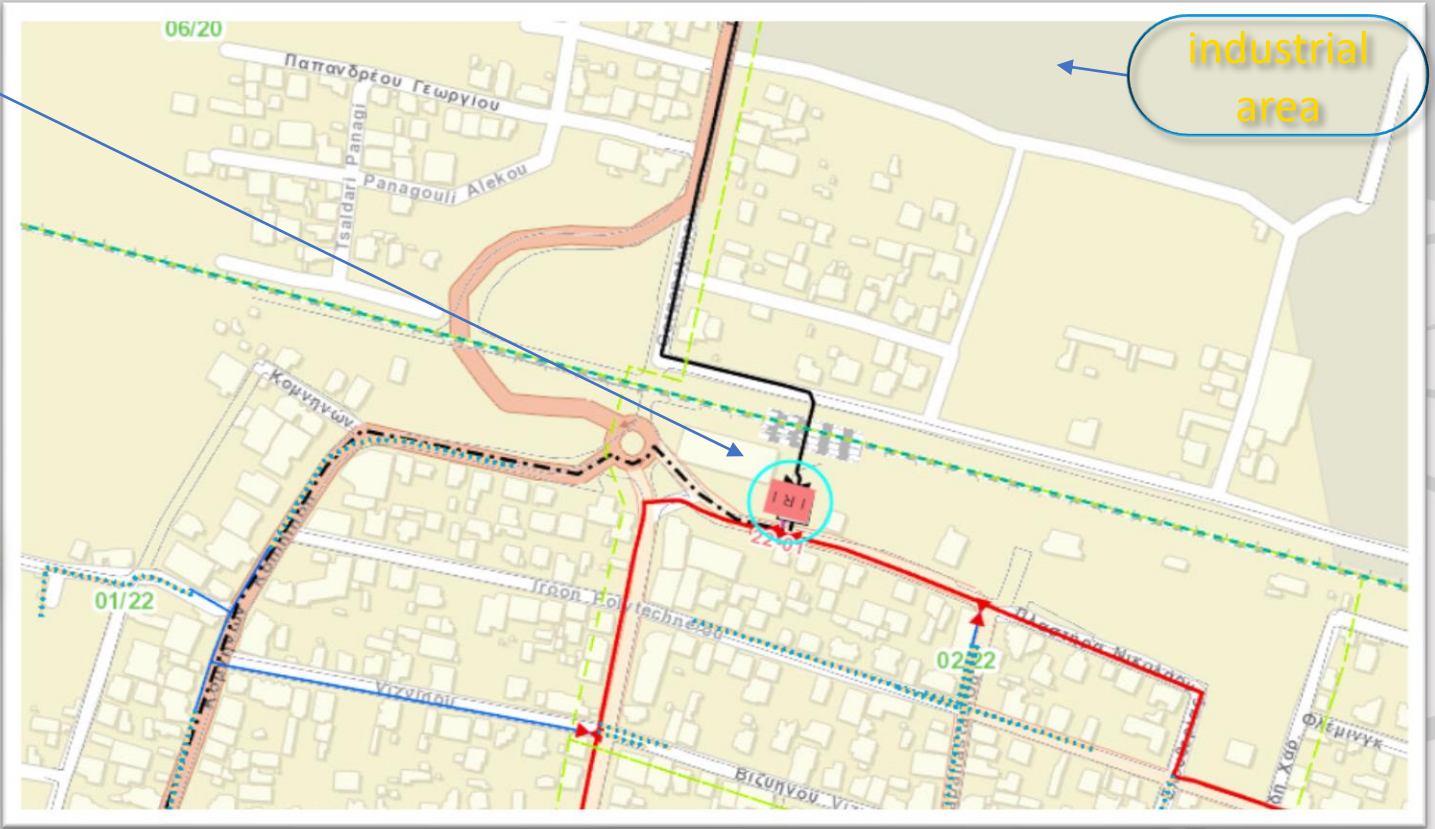
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## Thessaloniki - Drill venue

Cultural Center of Sindos

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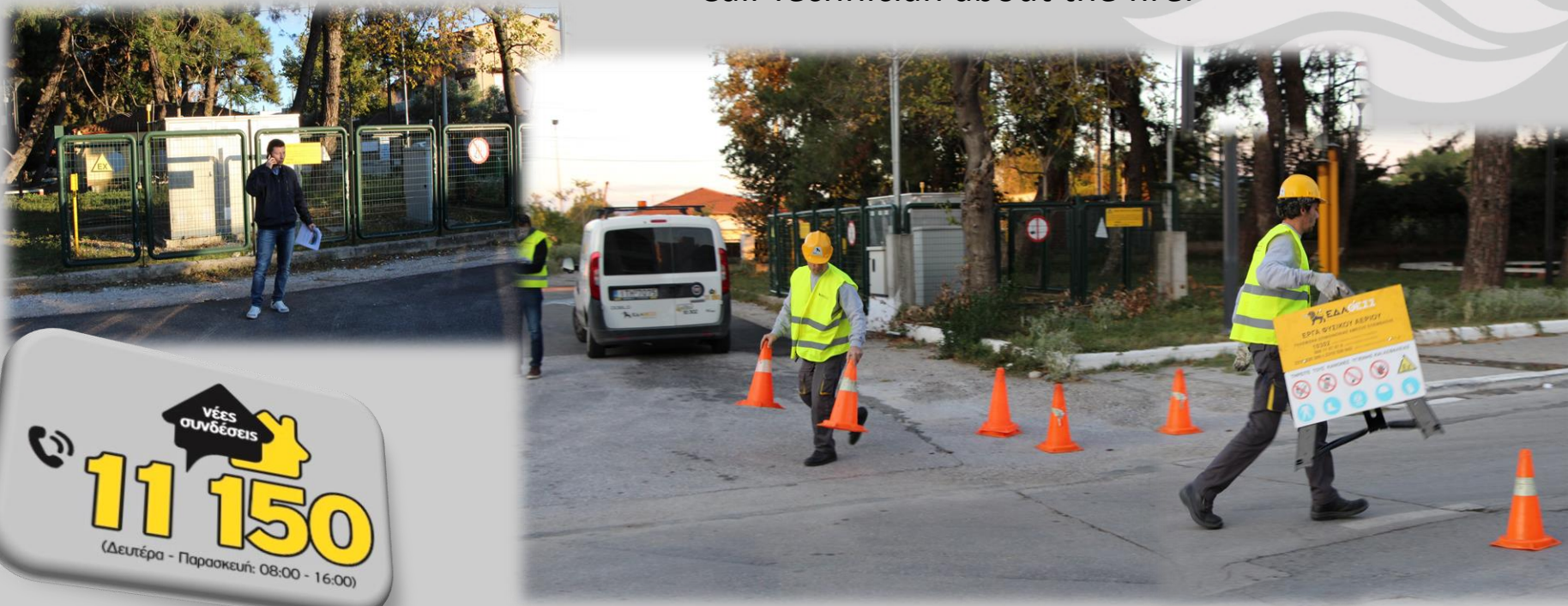


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- The drill was launched at **5:44 p.m.** when a citizen perceives a fire in a grove in the village of Sindos, where there is a fenced natural gas installation. He called the Emergency Intervention Call Center of **EDA THES** to report the incident.
- Citizen calls the Emergency Call Center
- Arrival of the West Area On-Call Technicians of **EDA THES** who performed the initial autopsy secure the Area. They inform the Operational On-Call Technician about the fire.



## Drill venue

**Due to the fire, the access to the station is not possible** and for safety reasons, the mains supply must be interrupted by closing the medium pressure valve, which interrupts the supply of Natural Gas in the adjacent settlement of Sindos (totally 186 gas supplies και 1 GRM Station)



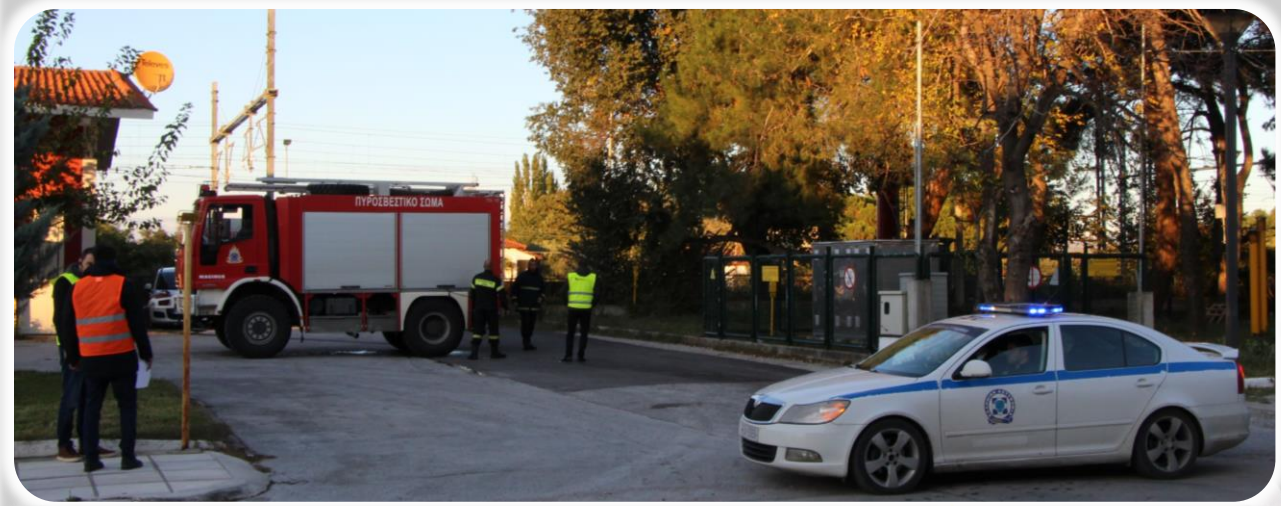
The Operational Watchkeeping Technician informs the Watch Officer of the incident, who gives the approval to shut down the power supply from the valve.

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➤ Immediate intervention by the Fire Officers and Police Officers to the site



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➤ Interventions of the Technicians.



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## Drill venue

- Interventions by the Technicians, in order to close the valve



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The Emergency Intervention team of the contractor company arrives with all staff and equipment:

- JCB excavator with jackhammer
- Welding vehicles for PE pipes, Risers and Steel pipes
- Crane truck
- Technicians, drivers, operators, welders and workers with the head of the contractor company



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Intervention by the contractor company



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### Intervention by EDA Technicians and the contractor company



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During the rehabilitation, the Natural Gas Distribution Network was decompressed

The Operational Watch Technician gives the permission to open the supply valve, in order to restore the natural gas supply to the village of Sindos and also to normalize the pressure to the Gas Network



- The Drill was conducted in compliance with all relevant procedures and instructions, while all necessary preventive actions were taken and inspections were made to the gas distribution system.



- The drill was completed at **08:00 p.m.**, successfully dealing with the simulated incident.

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