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## NEWS RELEASE

### Oil Spill Reported at Gregorio D. Perez Marina in Hagåtña

**Piti, Guam, April 16, 2024:** An oil spill at the Gregorio D. Perez Marina in Hagåtña occurred Monday evening during construction activity taking place on Guam Fishermen's Co-op property by a private contractor hired by the Co-op.

The Port Authority of Guam has been notified that the incident occurred at 10:30 p.m. Monday, April 15, 2024 when contractors working for the Guam Fishermen's Co-op were excavating and dredging the rocks behind the Co-op. The Guam Fishermen's Co-op engaged in the services of an environmental emergency response company to come and assist in containing the oil spill.

"Our Safety Division worked diligently with the emergency response contractor to ensure that the oil booms placed in the waterway did not impede or endanger the safety of our marina boaters," said Port Authority of Guam General Manager Rory J. Respicio.

The United States Coast Guard and Guam EPA will take the lead in determining the source of the underwater oil spill and how much oil has actually been spilled into the marina.