

## Mile-and-a-half long train derails on way to Fort Mac

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Highway 63 north of Newbrook was closed to traffic Saturday after a CN train derailed, Redwater RCMP said in a news release.

A northbound 2,590-metre-long CN train carrying three locomotives and 162 cars derailed around 9:30 a.m. near Highway 63 and Township Road 624, said CN spokeswoman Julie Senecal. The train originated in Edmonton and was headed for Fort McMurray.

Two of the locomotives and 18 empty cars came off the tracks, Senecal said.

There were no injuries and no environmental damage, she added. Crews worked Saturday to clear the area.

Newbrook is 111 kilometres northwest of Edmonton.

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