

**Administrative Record File Available for the
Coastal Metal Finishing, Inc. Site Removal Action**

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) announces that the Administrative Record File for the removal action at the Coastal Metal Finishing, Inc. Site, located in Merrimac, Massachusetts, is available for review. EPA seeks to inform the public of the availability of the Administrative Record File and to encourage the public to review and comment on it. The removal action includes, but is not necessarily limited to, the following activities: consolidating, transporting, and disposing of plating bath solutions, plating bath sludge, drums, and other containers of hazardous material using appropriate environmental controls; sampling and analyzing surface soils, and addressing surface soils as appropriate; arranging for disposal of all cleanup-derived wastestreams, including spent personal protective equipment (PPE); and disposing of all hazardous waste by EPA-approved methods and at EPA-approved facilities.

The Administrative Record File is the collection of documents that formed the basis for the selection of a removal action at the site. Documents in the Administrative Record File include the Action Memorandum.

The Administrative Record File is available for review at the:

- U.S. EPA Records Center, 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, Massachusetts, 02114-2023, (617) 918-1440, by appointment.
- Merrimac Public Library, 34 West Main Street, Merrimac, Massachusetts, 01860, (978) 346-9441.

Written comments on the Administrative Record File should be sent to: On-Scene Coordinator Ted Bzenas, Mailcode HBR, U.S. EPA Region I, 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, Massachusetts 02114-2023. Comments should be sent to the On-Scene Coordinator within 30 days of this announcement.

