

NPL Site Narrative for Brewster Well Field

BREWSTER WELL FIELD

Brewster, New York

Conditions at listing (December 1982): The Brewster Well Field serves the Village of Brewster in Putnam County, New York. Volatile halogenated organics from an unknown source contaminate 18 shallow wells. Two emergency wells show a rise in trichloroethylene.

Status (July 1983): EPA is preparing a Remedial Action Master Plan outlining the investigations needed to determine the full extent of cleanup required at the site. EPA and the State are negotiating a Cooperative Agreement for a remedial investigation/feasibility study to determine the type and extent of contamination at the site and identify alternatives for remedial action.

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