

Ringwood Mines/Landfill Superfund Site

Virtual Public Information Session Operable Unit Two Remedial Action

Thursday, October 14, 2021 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM



Agenda

Introductions	Pat Seppi
Presentation	Joe Gowers
Questions and Comments	EPA Team
Closing Comments	Pat Seppi



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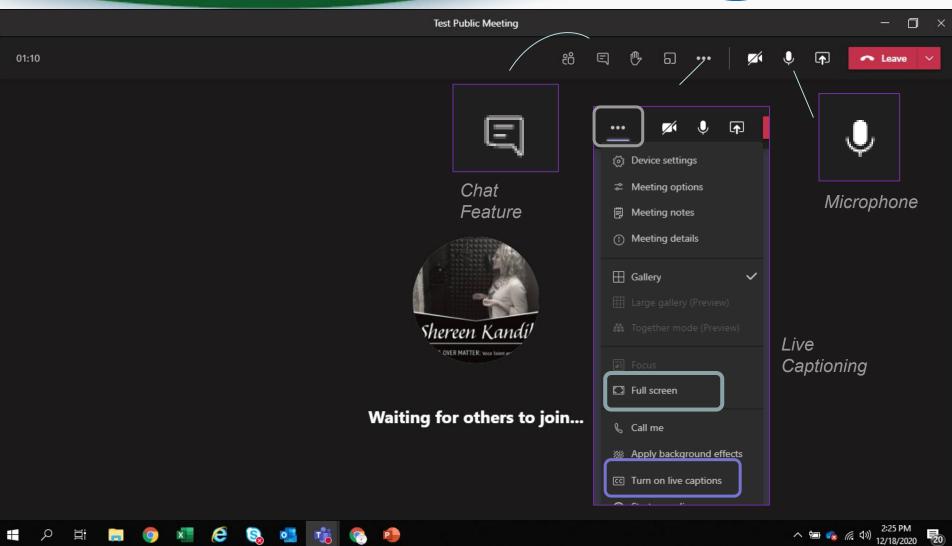
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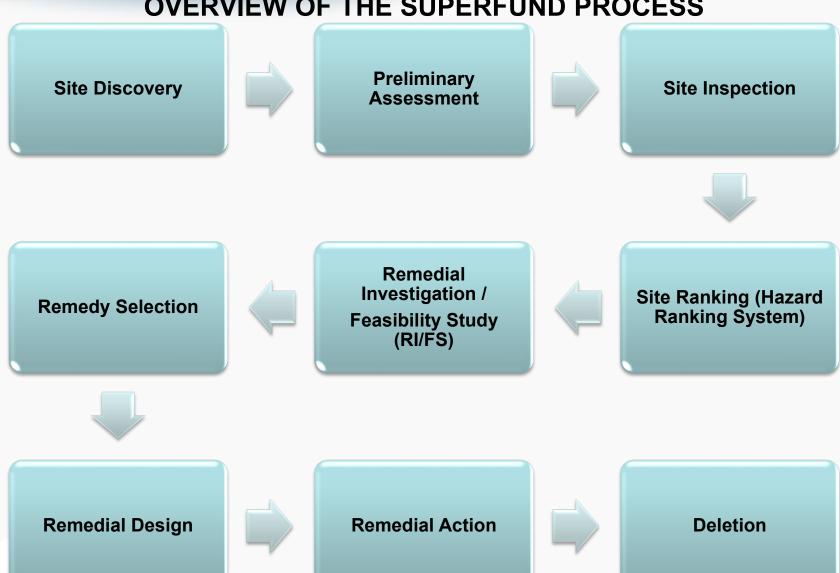


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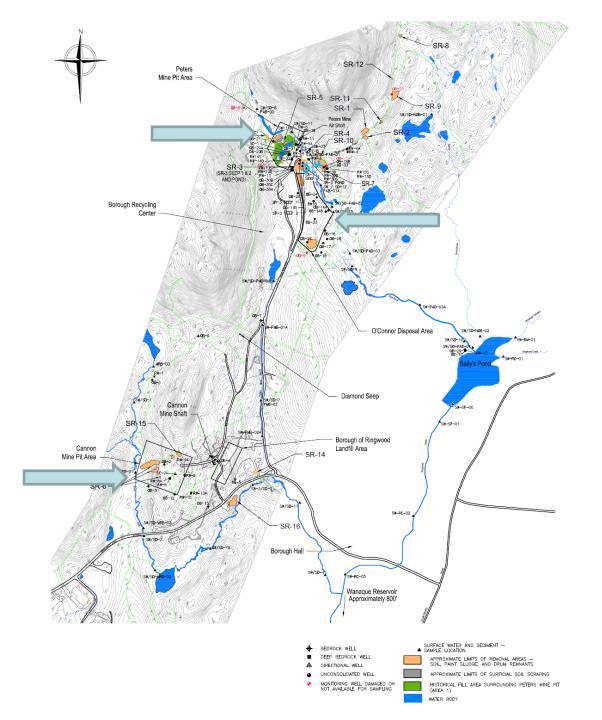
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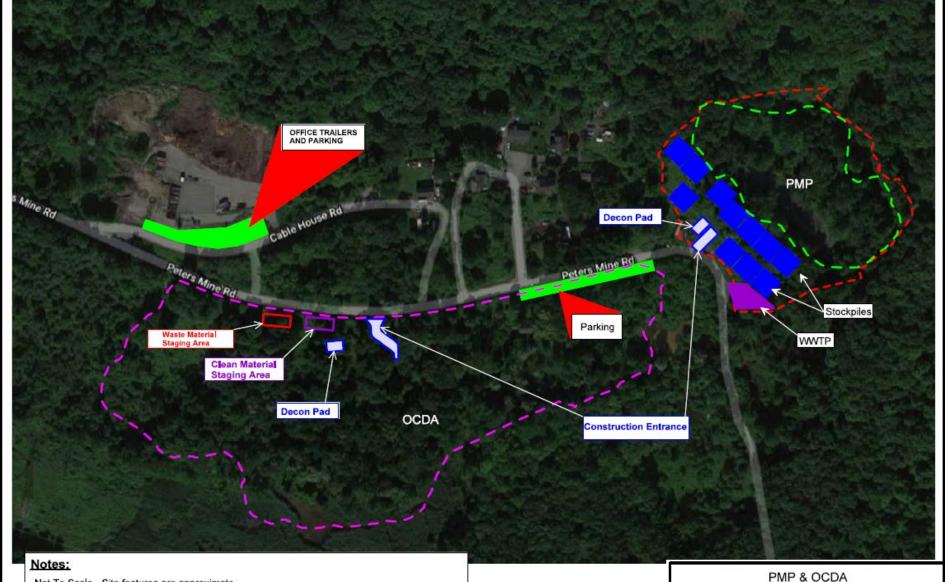




Operable Unit Two (OU2) Peters Mine, Cannon Mine, & O'Connor Disposal Areas

- June 2014: OU2 Record of Decision (ROD)
- April 2015: Explanation of Significant Differences (ESD) for the O'Connor Disposal Area
- October 2018: OU2 Remedial Design approved
- August 2020: Judicial Consent Decree, OU2 remedy by the Ford Motor Company and the Borough of Ringwood
- September 2021: OU2 Remedial Action Work Plan approved





Not To Scale - Site features are approximate Final Site Layout will be field determined by RECON Site Management

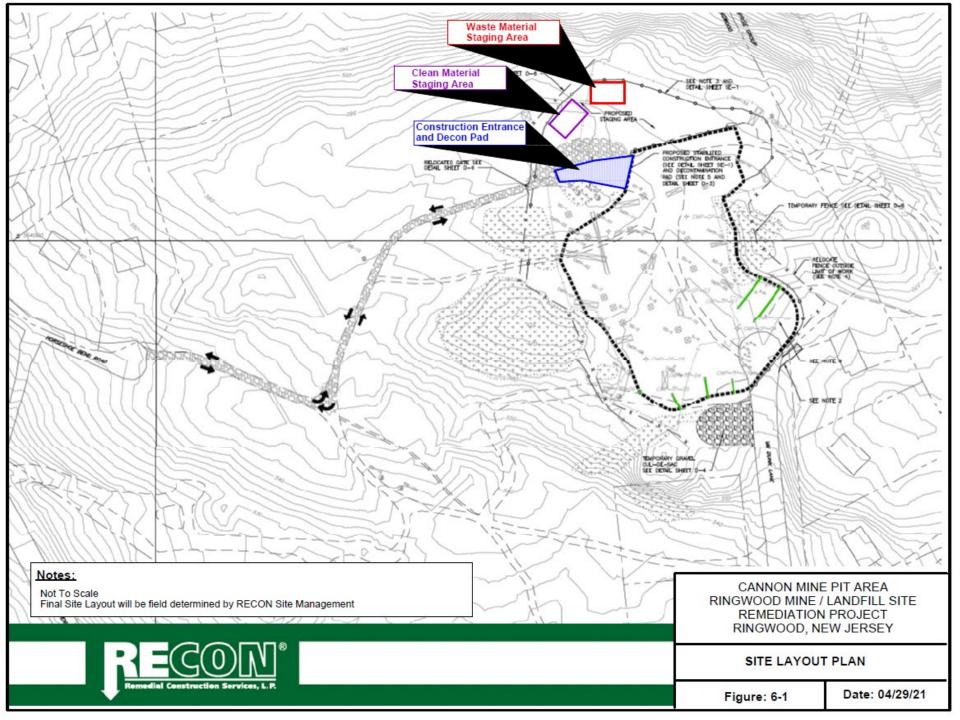
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SITE LAYOUT PLAN

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OU2: Peters Mine Pit Area Remedy

- Excavating soil and fill material
- Removing drums of waste or paint sludge, if encountered
- Placing and compacting non-hazardous fill, as needed
- Installing a geotextile fabric over the fill materials, followed by placing clean fill and topsoil on top of the fabric
- Revegetating with trees and other vegetation indigenous to the Ringwood area
- Long-term monitoring and maintaining capped area
- Monitoring groundwater quality



OU2: Cannon Mine Pit Area Remedy

- Consolidating shallow fill materials
- Placing and compacting clean fill material, followed by installing permeable engineered soil cap
- Revegetating the surface of the soil cap
- Implementing engineering controls
 - Installing fencing to restrict access to the capped area
- Long-term monitoring and maintaining capped area
- Monitoring groundwater quality



OU2: O'Connor Disposal Area (OCDA) Remedy

- Consolidating fill to the center of the OCDA
- Installing engineered permeable soil cap, including a geotextile fabric over the consolidated fill materials
- Placing clean fill in excavated areas beyond the engineered cap where soil/fill was moved
- Revegetating the soil cap and the surrounding fill areas
- Implementing engineering controls
 - Installing fencing to restrict access to the capped area;
- Long-term monitoring and maintaining the capped area
- Monitoring groundwater quality



OU2 Construction Schedule

- Mobilization: Early November 2021
- Clearing of trees and vegetation: November and December 2021
- Cannon Mine Pit Area: November 2021 thru February 2022
- Peters Mine Pit Area: February 2022 thru July 2022
- O'Connor Disposal Area: January 2022 thru July 2022
- New Ringwood Recycling Center: June 2022 thru October 2022
- Remove Old Recycling Center: September and October 2022



Truck Traffic

- Truck traffic only permitted from 8:00 am through 5:00 pm
- Truck traffic restricted during periods of Upper Ringwood school bus activity
- 15 miles per hour speed limit
- A flag person will be used to manage truck traffic from Peters Mine Road and Petzold Avenue onto Margaret King Avenue
- Trucks entering and leaving the site will be covered
- Trucks will be decontaminated prior to leaving work areas



LEGEND



7 = Proposed Route into and out of AC

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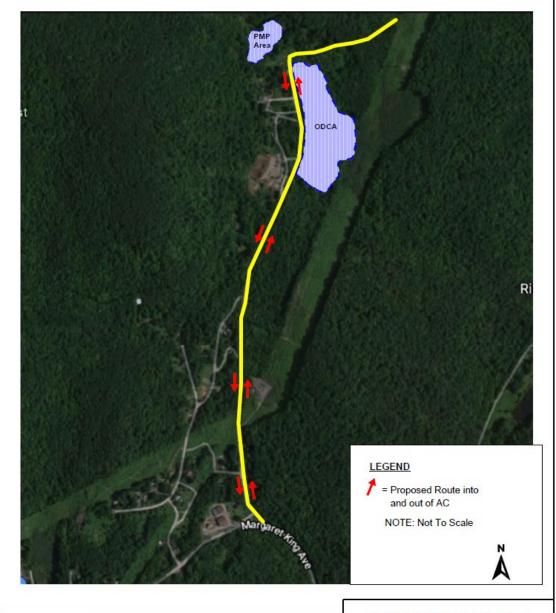


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Proposed Truck Access Route CMP Area

Figure: 3-1

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Proposed Truck Access Route PMP Area and OCDA

Figure: 3-2

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Vibration Monitoring

- Vibrations will be monitored during construction work due to the use of heavy equipment (bull dozers, excavators, dump trucks)
- Pre-construction inspections need to be conducted to help develop vibration criteria and location of vibration monitoring stations
- Vibrations monitors to be placed between work area and sensitive receptors (residential structure)
- RECON Project Manager receives automated warning of vibration level exceedance and can stop work
- Settlement monitoring conducted in areas of historic subsidence



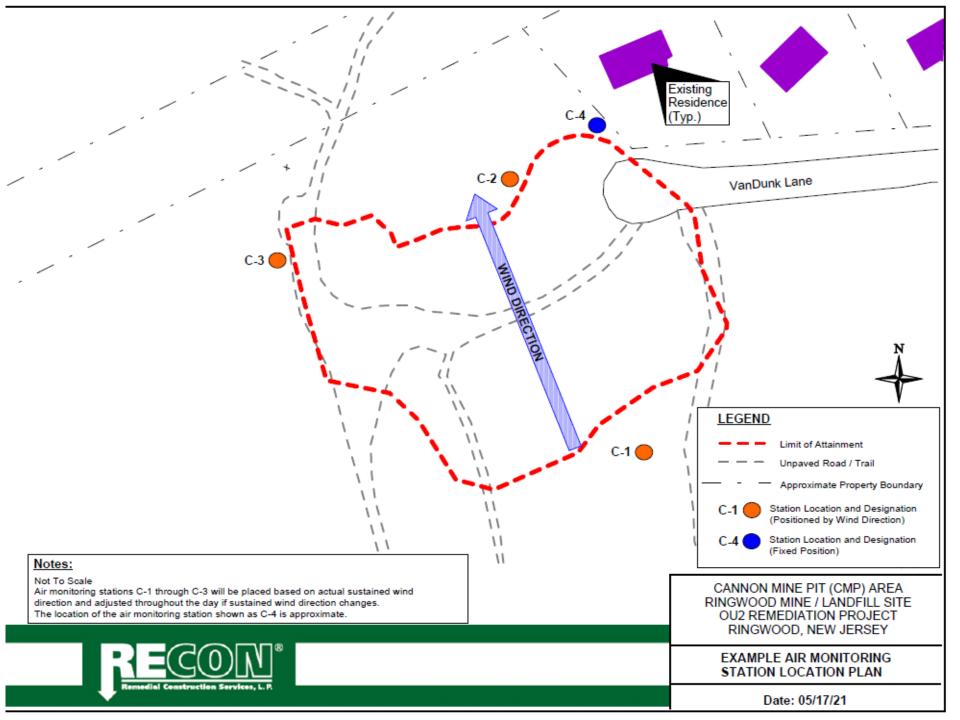
Air Monitoring

- Air monitoring will be conducted in the work zone using handheld real time monitors
- Air monitoring will also be conducted continuously at the perimeter of the work zones
- Perimeter air monitoring stations will be located at upwind and downwind locations in each work zone.
- An air monitoring station will be located between the work zone and the nearest residence
- Dust and particulate levels as well as total volatile organic compound (TVOC) levels will be monitored



Air Monitoring (continued)

- The location of perimeter air monitoring stations may be changed if wind direction changes
- Water misting will be used to control dust and particulate emissions
- Odor suppressing foams will be available to cover soil if elevated
 TVOC levels are detected
- Field personnel will receive automated notifications of action level exceedances





Communications

- A weekly report will be distributed to Upper Ringwood residents and e-mail list
 - Cleanup activities performed during the week
 - Anticipated cleanup activities over the next two weeks
- Weekly reports will be available at: <u>www.epa.gov/superfund/ringwood-mines</u>
- Contacts will be identified in the weekly reports



QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS



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