

AUGUST 2021

EPA Proposes Site to NPL

EPA has completed its site inspection of the Paden City Groundwater Site (site). The inspection concluded that the site poses a risk and may require long-term cleanup.

On September 9, 2021, EPA will propose the site to the National Priorities List (NPL).

The NPL is a list of the most serious sites identified for long-term cleanup. When a site is proposed to the NPL, EPA publishes a rule in the Federal Register about its intention and notifies the community. EPA also holds a 60-day comment period for community members to comment on the proposal.

EPA would like to hear from you!

EPA is holding a 60-day public comment period from **September 9 - November 8, 2021**.

Comments can be submitted one of two ways:

Online: <http://www.regulations.gov>
Search for "EPA-HQ-OLEM-2021-0467"

Mail: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
EPA Docket Center
Docket # EPA-HQ-OLEM-2021-0467
Mailcode 28221T
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20460



Next Steps

Following the comment period and responses, if the site still qualifies for cleanup under Superfund, the site is formally listed on the NPL by a final rule, to be published in the Federal Register in Spring 2022 and becomes a Superfund Site. The site would be eligible for federal financial assistance and a long-term cleanup. EPA will continue to keep the Paden City community informed throughout the NPL proposal.

Additional Resources

For more information about the site, scan the QR Code with your smartphone or visit the website:

www.epa.gov/superfund/padencitygroundwater



Questions? Contact us!

Connor O'Loughlin
EPA Site Assessment Manager
215-814-3323
oloughlin.connor@epa.gov

Meg Broughton
EPA Community Involvement Coordinator
215-814-5494
keegan.megan@epa.gov