



EPA PUBLIC NOTICE

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Reviews Cleanup of the Hooker S-Area Superfund Site

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is conducting its sixth five-year review of the implemented remedy at the **Hooker S-Area Superfund site**, located in the Niagara Falls, Niagara County, New York. This review seeks to confirm that the implemented remedy continues to protect human health and the environment. The last five-year review was completed in September 2019. A summary of the review and an evaluation of the protectiveness of the implemented remedy will be included in a five-year review report.

What is a Five-Year Review?

The purpose of a five-year review is to ensure that implemented remedies at Superfund sites function as intended and continue to be protective of human health and the environment. These regular reviews, which are required by federal law when contaminants remain at a site, include:

- inspection of the site and cleanup technologies;
- review of monitoring data, operating data and maintenance records, and
- determination if any new regulatory requirements have been established since EPA's original cleanup decision was finalized.

When will the Five-Year Review Report be available?

It is anticipated that the five-year review report will be available at the website noted below by September 2024.

For more information

There are several ways to review information about this site. The Administrative Record, which includes the EPA decision documents used for selecting the cleanup plan, is available for public review at the information repositories listed below. Project information is also available online at the website noted below.

Western New York Public Information Office
186 Exchange Street
Buffalo, New York 14204

OR

EPA Region 2
Superfund Records Center
290 Broadway, 18th Floor
New York, New York 10007
(212) 637-4308 (call to make an appointment)

You may also contact

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