



LOWER DARBY CREEK AREA SUPERFUND SITE UPDATE

PHILADELPHIA AND DELAWARE COUNTIES, PENNSYLVANIA

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SOIL SAMPLING AT CLEARVIEW LANDFILL

EPA is currently sampling surface and subsurface soils in a northern portion of the Eastwick City Park and in the “southern industrial area” (SIA) portion of the Clearview Landfill. **See the figure below.**

Surface soils are considered to be the top 2 to 4 inches of soil. They are the soils that people are most likely to contact.

Sampling Map — The boxes indicate the areas from which samples will be collected.



The purpose of this soil investigation is to better define localized areas identified in the Clearview Landfill Remedial Investigation (RI) where levels of certain contaminants such as lead, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) were elevated. The results of this investigation will assist EPA in determining if any immediate action is necessary.

LANDFILL WARNING SIGNS



**WARNING
NO TRESPASSING**

**U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Lower Darby Creek Area Superfund Site
Clearview Landfill**

To obtain more information on this site, call 215-814-9016

To report suspicious activity, call 1-800-424-8802

New EPA warning signs are going to be installed around the boundary of the Clearview Landfill. The purpose of the signs is to warn potential trespassers that they shouldn't go onto the landfill where they could potentially come into contact with contaminated soils or other physical hazards. Phone numbers to obtain more information about the Clearview Landfill or report suspicious activity are included on the signs. An example of the sign is shown above.

CLEARVIEW REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT AVAILABLE

In May 2011, EPA finalized the remedial investigation (RI) report for the Clearview Landfill. The RI report discusses the types and levels of contamination found in and around the landfill, how those contaminants can move, how people and animals can come into contact with those contaminants and what potential health risks could be posed by exposure to those contaminants.

The Final Clearview Landfill RI Report and other important documents are available on the Lower Darby Creek Area Superfund website at <http://www.epa.gov/reg3hwmd/super/sites/PASFN0305521/index.htm>.

HOW CAN I STAY INFORMED?

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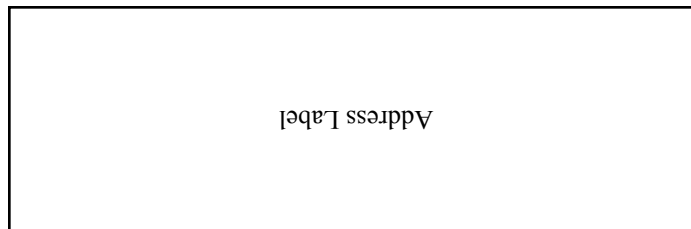
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