What is the Decontamination and Deconstruction Process?

Preparation CAUTION

To protect the community, a barrier fence and warning signs have been put up around the former Exide facility. Workers must have health and safety training to work on site.

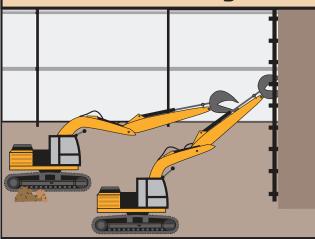
Construct Full Enclosure Unit

Contractors built full enclosure units around the buildings to be deconstructed.

Decontaminate Building

Once the enclosure units are built, workers will vacuum and power wash the buildings then remove all interior materials.

Deconstruct Building



Deconstruction is done under negative air pressure to prevent dust from moving off site. Workers will deconstruct the building by using excavators to cut metal and tear down each piece of the building.

Waste Disposal



Workers will transport hazardous waste to a specialized landfill and decontaminated metal to a recycling center. The trucks carrying the waste have a yellow flag attached to the back and avoid driving in residential areas.

Post Deconstruction



After deconstruction is done, workers will pave the area of the removed buildings. After this is complete, they will wash, dismantle, and safely dispose of the full enclosure units.