



RINGWOOD MINES/LANDFILL SITE WEEKLY CONSTRUCTION UPDATE RINGWOOD BOROUGH, NEW JERSEY



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UPDATE #1

Cleanup Activities This Week

- Construction trailers were delivered to the Site and are being set up
- A temporary generator was delivered and set up in the recycling center
- Initial worker Project Safety and Orientation was completed
- An initial wildlife survey was conducted in the Cannon Mine Pit Area (will continue during work)
- Vibration monitors were set up at the Cannon Mine Pit Area
- Air monitoring setup completed near the Cannon Mine Pit Area
- Materials for installation of silt fencing were received at the Site

Cleanup Activities Next Week

- Brush clearing activities in the Cannon Mine Pit Area
- Silt fence installation in the Cannon Mine Pit Area
- Continued air and vibration monitoring in the Cannon Mine Pit Area
- Setup of air monitoring equipment in the Peters Mine Pit Area
- Brush clearing in the Peters Mine Pit Area
- Silt fence installation in the Peters Mine Pit Area
- Groundwater and surface water sampling

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Site Background

The 500-acre Ringwood Mines/Landfill site is in a historic iron mining district in the borough of Ringwood in Passaic County, New Jersey where auto assembly plant wastes, including paint sludge, were dumped on the ground and in abandoned mine pits.

EPA originally placed the site on the Superfund program's National Priorities List (NPL) in September 1983. The site was deleted from the NPL in 1994. EPA placed the site on the NPL in 2006 a second time after discovering more contamination.