

Griffin Pipe Products Co. (Thomas Road Landfill)

Thomas Road & Route 685 (River Road)

Madison Heights, Virginia 24572

Congressional District

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Current Progress at the Site

In July 2002 EPA issued Griffin Pipe a Consent Order. The purpose of this Order is to require Griffin to 1) perform Interim Measures (“IM”) to prevent or mitigate any threats to human health or the environment; 2) perform a RCRA Facility Investigation (“RFI”) to determine fully the nature and extent of any release of hazardous waste and/or hazardous constituents at or from the Facility; and 3) perform a Corrective Measures Study (“CMS”) to identify and evaluate alternatives for corrective action necessary to clean up contaminated media to levels protective of human health and the environment. EPA approved the revised RFI workplan on September 27, 2006. Groundwater monitoring is currently underway at the facility. A draft RFI report was received on July 31, 2007. EPA has provided comments on this report. The final RFI report was submitted on July 14, 2008, EPA is currently reviewing this report.

Site Description

Griffin Pipe is approximately 15 acres and is located on Thomas Road, 0.8 miles north of the intersection of Thomas Road and Route 685. The landfill consists of approximately 8 acres. The Facility was acquired by Griffin Pipe in 1981, it was previously owned by GEF Corporation. Waste from Griffin Pipe’s iron foundry in Lynchburg, Virginia was received at the landfill, this waste included baghouse dust produced by the air emission control system for the iron melting cupola. The cupola dust was EP-toxic for cadmium and lead (D006 and D008).

Site Responsibility

RCRA Corrective Action activities at this facility are being conducted under the direction of EPA Region 3 with assistance from the State.

Institutional Controls

No institutional controls are currently in place.

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