

Ball Metal Beverage Container Corp.

**750 Old Abingdon Hwy.
Bristol, VA 24201
Congressional District
EPA ID #: VAD 055 576 326
Final Update**

Current Progress at the Site

The Ball Metal Beverage Container Corporation (Facility) is a manufacturing facility that produces aluminum tops for beverage cans. The Facility produces tops from aluminum sheet metal stock, and applies a rubberized compound liner to the tops.

A Final RCRA Site Visit Report was issued on January 14, 2008 for the Facility. A Statement of Basis (SOB) was noticed in the Bristol Herald Courier on March 3, 2009. The EPA issued its Final Decision regarding the facility on April 8, 2009 stating that Corrective Action was Complete without Controls.

Site Description

The Ball Metal Beverage Corporation (Ball) facility is located at 750 Old Abingdon Highway, Bristol, VA 24201 (hereinafter referred to as the Facility).

The Facility is bordered by the Norfolk and Western Rail line to the northwest. Across from the railroad are apartment buildings. Beaver Creek borders the facility from the north corner to the southeast side of the main building. Old Abingdon Highway follows the same route as Beaver Creek. Residential buildings are located along the northeast side of the building, across Beaver Creek and Old Abingdon Highway.

In 1971, the Reynolds Metals Corporation (Reynolds) built the plant that is now occupied and operated by Ball. In 1973, Reynolds started metal beverage end manufacture operations at the plant. In August of 1998, Ball conducted Phase I and Phase II Environmental Site Assessments, purchased the plant and continued facility operations.

The Facility utilizes metal working equipment, and two liner material process lines. The first liner process line is water based compound, the second is a volatile organic compound (VOC) solvent based rubberized compound. The rubberized compound liner material consists of 43% VOC solvent (heptane).

Site Responsibility

RCRA Corrective Action activities are being conducted under the direction of the U.S. EPA with assistance from Virginia's Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ).

Institutional Controls

None required.

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