



# Community Update #41

## Pompton Lakes Study Area

### Pompton Lakes, New Jersey

## Pompton Lake Dredging

Community Update

May 2017

### **EPA CLEANUP ACTIVITIES**

#### **Basic Site Information—2017**

The scope of work in 2017 involves hydraulic dredging, processing and off-site disposal of sediment containing mainly mercury and lead in a 36-acre area within Pompton Lake called the Acid Brook Delta (ABD). Placement of the eco-layer in Area A, the Island Area and the ABD will also be completed. The work will be performed by The Chemours Company FC, LLC., through its contractor, Severson Environmental Services with EPA/NJDEP oversight.

#### **Further information:**

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EPA's 41st update is to inform the community of the progress of activities related to the upcoming dredging that will be performed on that 36-acre portion of the Pompton Lake Study Area known as the Acid Brook Delta (ABD).

*Batch testing of dredged sediment has been successfully completed pending receipt of acceptable analytical results for the treated water from the dredged sediment. Sediment from the batch testing has not been removed from the site. The treated water from the batch testing has not been discharged to the lake. This batch testing is done to ensure the system will operate efficiently. No trucks of treated dredged sediment were loaded/left the site. Treated water from dredged sediment is temporarily stored on-site and was not discharged to the lake.*

#### ***PROJECTED START-UP OF FULL-SCALE IMPLEMENTATION OF DREDGING OF THE 36-ACRE ABD IS JUNE 1ST.***

Preparatory activities performed (week of May 22nd):

- ◆ Completed installation of sediment processing and water treatment equipment
- ◆ Leak testing of equipment with potable water successfully completed.
- ◆ Batch testing of dredged sediment completed and awaiting analytical results of treated water.
- ◆ Continue routine inspections of site and work areas per approved permits and for safety purposes.

Activities scheduled (week of May 22nd):

- ◆ Perform final checks on equipment.
- ◆ Initiate dredging in the ABD on June 1st.
- ◆ Initiate monitoring activities (e.g. turbidity/perimeter air, etc.)
- ◆ Continue routine inspection of site and work areas per approved permits and for safety purposes.