



Community Update #58

Pompton Lakes Study Area

Pompton Lakes, New Jersey

Pompton Lake Dredging

Community Update

September 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 58th update is to inform the community of the progress of activities related to the dredging that is being performed on the 36-acre portion of the Pompton Lake Study Area known as the Acid Brook Delta (ABD).

Activities performed (week of September 18th):

- ◆ Replaced orange snow fence with steel fencing along shoreline adjacent to Lakeside Park related to dredging in that area.
- ◆ Continue hydraulic dredge operation including sediment dewatering and material handling.
- ◆ Continue trucking of dredged material to the off-site landfill facility.
- ◆ 101 trucks of material sent to landfill between September 15th and September 21st with a total of 2035 truckloads to date.
- ◆ Continued perimeter monitoring— data on website: (www.pomptonlakesworks.com/pompton-lake-project/environmental-monitoring/ including dredging progress to date.
- ◆ No exceedances of dust/ mercury vapor/turbidity action levels during monitoring associated with site activities.

Activities scheduled (week of September 25th):

- ◆ Continue hydraulic dredging operation.
- ◆ Continue sediment dewatering and material handling.
- ◆ Continue load-out and off-site disposal of dredged sediment.
- ◆ Continue perimeter air monitoring and lake turbidity monitoring in accordance with approved Work Plan.
- ◆ Continue routine inspection of site /work areas per approved permits and for safety purposes.

Note:

This Saturday, September 23rd, Severson WILL perform equipment maintenance. There will be no processing of sediment or water and there be no trucking of treated sediment off-site.

Starting Tuesday, September 26th and for about 1 week; Lakeside Ave. will be closed between Van and Schuyler Avenues to through traffic. Access to homes in that area will be permitted. Traffic will be controlled by the Pompton Lakes Police. This is being done to allow continued hydraulic dredging while simultaneously adding additional marine equipment.

Photos: The first photo shows mechanical dredging along shoreline near Lakeside Park. The second photo is shows the excavator loading rock/debris onto the truck for disposal.