EPA CLEANUP ACTIVITIES

Basic Site Information—2018

The scope of work in 2018 involves placement of the eco-layer in the Island Area and the ABD as well as site restoration. 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) is complete. The work will be performed by The Chemours Company FC, LLC., through its contractor, Sevenson Environmental Services with EPA/NJDEP oversight.

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EPA continues its presence at Borough Hall Thursdays from 10 a.m. till 4 p.m.

EPA’s 76th update is to inform the community of the progress of activities related to the dredging performed on the 36-acre portion of the Pompton Lake Study Area known as the Acid Brook Delta (ABD).

Activities performed (week of April 9th):
- Continued demobilization/disassembly of water treatment equipment.
- Performed mechanical and hydraulic placement of ecological layer (i.e. sand) material in the ABD.
- Four loads of remnant material from demobilization/disassembly of equipment transported off-site for disposal.

Activities scheduled (week of April 16th):
- Complete demobilization/disassembly of equipment.
- Continue placement of ecological layer within the ABD.
- Receive trucks delivering ecological material on a daily basis.
- Continue routine inspection of site work areas per approved permits and for safety purposes.
- Continue lake turbidity/perimeter air (dust) monitoring.

Note:
THERE WILL BE WORK ON SATURDAY, APRIL 14th FROM 8 a.m. TILL 5 p.m. WORK ON THE WATER AND LAND WILL INVOLVE EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE. GATES WILL BE CLOSED WHEN POSSIBLE.

EPA WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC ON TUESDAY, APRIL 24th AT THE CARNEVALE CENTER FROM 10 a.m. UNTIL 8 p.m. TO DISCUSS THE SCOPE OF WORK/ANSWER QUESTIONS REGARDING ACTIVITIES ON POMPTON LAKE FOR 2018 INCLUDING ECOLOGICAL PLACEMENT AND RESTORATION ACTIVITIES.

THERE WILL BE INCREASED TRUCK TRAFFIC DURING THIS PHASE DUE TO THE DELIVERY OF ECOLOGICAL MATERIAL (i.e. SAND). TRAFFIC CONTROLS WILL BE IN PLACE.

PHOTO: THE PHOTO SHOWS HYDRAULIC PLACEMENT OF A 2-INCH LIFT OF ECOLOGICAL MATERIAL IN THE ABD.