

# Neighborhood Update

Madison Kipp Corporation Investigation & Cleanup  
Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR)



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*To keep the neighborhood well advised of progress in the investigation and cleanup at the Madison Kipp Corporation Property, DNR will release updates directly to neighbors through the DNR's website (dnr.wi.gov, search: "Kipp") and through this e-newsletter system. DNR will make efforts to notify property owners and tenants, in advance, when specific data is released that references their property or an adjacent location.*

## **Update on rain garden remediation**

As noted in the [neighborhood update from December 20, 2013](#), the rain garden soils, which exhibit PCB contamination, will be excavated to a depth of four feet inside the excavation area. The contaminated soil will be disposed of at an approved and licensed solid waste landfill.

Sidewall and base confirmation soil sampling – based upon 20 feet spacing– will be performed to determine residual soil PCB concentrations; approximately 27 base and side wall samples will be collected.

The excavated areas will be backfilled using clean fill soils. City of Madison staff and/or city contractors will complete the re-planting and establishment of rain garden vegetation.

The excavation was originally schedule to be completed the week of January 27<sup>th</sup>. However, due to unforeseen circumstances, the excavation will be rescheduled for a future date to be determined. When a date is selected, a neighborhood update will be released to notify the community.

## **Additional Resources**

### **Where Can I Find More Information?**

- Website:** dnr.wi.gov: Search "Kipp"
- Public Document Repository:** Hawthorne Public Library Information Desk  
*For hours and contact information visit*  
www.madisonpubliclibrary.org/hawthorne, 608-246-4548

### **Whom Can I Contact to Ask a Question or Make a Comment?**

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