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 Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) Immediate Action Investigation

As part of the ongoing environmental response actions, Department of Natural Resources asked Madison Kipp Corporation to complete a Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) immediate action investigation, including residential soil sampling, by July 18, 2012. MKC has made good progress over the past several weeks, and has completed the original sampling that was requested of them. However, the Environmental Protection Agency, who also has authority over PCB investigations under the Toxic Substances Control Act, and DNR agree that additional investigation work is necessary. MKC provided DNR with a work plan for the additional on- and off-site requirements and DNR has granted an extension to the deadline for the PCB work to be completed. Completion is anticipated by the end of August 2012. This additional work is meant to best inform any necessary immediate and remedial actions aimed at protecting the short- and long-term health of the neighboring residents and the environment. For more information, please contact Linda Hanefeld, DNR, at 608-275-3310, or Kenneth Zolnierczyk, EPA, at 312-353-9687.

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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