



RINGWOOD MINES/LANDFILL SITE WEEKLY CONSTRUCTION UPDATE RINGWOOD BOROUGH, NEW JERSEY



JANUARY 13 – JANUARY 19, 2022 UPDATE #10

Cleanup Activities This Week

- Completed excavation on Van Dunk Lane near the Cannon Mine Pit (CMP)
- Continued placement of clean fill on Van Dunk Lane near the CMP
- Relocated fencing on the west side of the CMP to allow additional waste material pull back
- Continued pull back of additional waste material at the CMP
- Completed vibration tests for roller and dozer at the CMP
- Continued placement of clean fill in waste material pull back areas at the CMP
- Continued truck delivery of clean fill at the CMP
- Installed additional signs on eastern section of fence at the Peters Mine Pit (PMP)
- Conducted air quality, vibration, and settlement monitoring

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Immediate concerns regarding ongoing construction can also be referred to:

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Cleanup Activities Next Week

- Complete waste material pull back at the CMP
- Complete backfill and grading at Van Dunk Lane
- Relocate fencing at Van Dunk Lane near the CMP
- Survey as built subgrade at the CMP
- Continue clean fill truck deliveries at the CMP
- Install geotextile on the CMP
- Install clean cover soil on the CMP
- Mobilize equipment to O'Connor Disposal Area (OCDA)
- Install temporary parking area at the OCDA
- Continue to enhance erosion control berms at the OCDA
- Continue air quality, vibration, and settlement monitoring

Additional Information:

www.epa.gov/superfund/ringwood-mines

Site Background

The 500-acre Ringwood Mines/Landfill site is in a historic iron mining district in the borough of Ringwood in Passaic County, New Jersey where car parts and paint sludge wastes were dumped on the ground and in abandoned mine pits.

EPA originally placed the site on the Superfund program's National Priorities List (NPL) in September 1983. The site was deleted from the NPL in 1994. EPA placed the site on the NPL in 2006 a second time after discovering more contamination. The selected cleanup action for the Peters Mine Pit Area, Cannon Mine Pit Area and the O'Connor Disposal Area is currently being constructed.