



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



FEBRUARY 18 – FEBRUARY 24, 2022 UPDATE #15

Cleanup Activities This Week

- Installed topsoil at additional area of the Cannon Mine Pit (CMP)
- Continued rock placement for snake habitat at the CMP
- Continued waste pull back at the O'Connor Disposal Area (OCDA)
- Maintained decon pad at the OCDA
- Maintained the laydown area at the Peters Mine Pit (PMP)
- Began construction of stockpile containment area at the PMP
- Completed installation of access road to pond at the PMP
- Continued surface debris collection and staging at the PMP
- Continued Soil Erosion and Sediment Control (SESC) inspections for all areas
- 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

- Continue waste pull back at the OCDA
- Begin truck delivery of clean fill at the OCDA
- Complete construction of stockpile containment area at the PMP
- Begin truck delivery of clean stone at the PMP for backfill of the pond
- Continue SESC inspections for all areas
- 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.