



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



DECEMBER 13 – DECEMBER 16, 2021 UPDATE #5

Cleanup Activities This Week

- Cannon Mine Pit (CMP) access road improvement completed
- CMP temporary fence installation completed
- Hay bale installation in the O'Connor Disposal Area (OCDA) completed
- Began OCDA tree clearing
- Peters Mine Pit (PMP) clearing and grubbing completed, moved equipment to OCDA
- PMP temporary fence installation completed
- Completed PMP decontamination pad installation
- Final electrical installation at trailer complex completed
- Additional speed limit and work area signs placed on Peters Mine Road, Van Dunk Lane, and Horseshoe Bend Road
- Continued air, vibration, and settlement monitoring
- Began waste material pull back at CMP

Cleanup Activities Next Week

- Continue waste material pull back at CMP
- Continue OCDA tree clearing
- Clean fill deliveries for CMP scheduled to begin 12/17/21, increased truck activity therefore continuing
- Continue air, vibration, and settlement monitoring

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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.