

Current Status -

The two ground water extraction wells located west of Mud Gully have resumed operations.

The site is currently in an operations and maintenance phase. The Second Five Year Review was completed in August 2003. The review found that the remedy at the site is currently protective of human health and the environment. A notice of a direct final deletion from the National Priorities List was published in June 2006. No comments were received and the list was deleted in August 2006.

Benefits -

The completion of the construction of the containment remedy in 1993 will provide long-term reduction of risk to human health. The soil cover over the site reduces the risk from direct contact with the residual wastes at the site.

The site is currently ready for anticipated use (non-residential).

National Priorities Listing (NPL) History

Proposed Date: 06/24/1988 Final Date: 10/04/1989 Deletion Proposal Date: 06/23/2006 Final Deletion Date: 08/22/2006

Location: The site is located at 2501 Dixie Farm Road in southern Harris County, Texas.

Population: Approximately 3600 people live within the 2000 census tract surrounding the site.

Setting: The site occupies approximately 26 acres; Dixie Farm Road divides the site into two parcels, the northern tract of 19 acres, historically used for storage purposes, and the southern tract of about 7 acres where processing activities occurred. The surrounding area is a combination of undeveloped and developed properties. Developed properties include residential homes and the San Jacinto Community College.

Principal Pollutants: Ethylbenzene, hexachlorobenzene and copper.

Health Considerations -

The risk assessment concluded there are elevated health risks associated with exposure to residual wastes at the site. The implementation of the remedy has addressed this risk.

The site's Environmental Indicator status is human exposure under control and ground water migration under control.

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The ROD was issued on March 31, 1988.

Main cleanup components of the included:

- Removal of surface tanks and disposal of residuals,
- Covering the site with 6 inches of topsoil and grading to promote runoff, and
- Channelizing Mud Gully to remove any flow restrictions.

Construction completion was achieved on June 9, 1993.

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