

**United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region IV
POLLUTION REPORT**

Date: Tuesday, November 16, 2004

From: Amy Feingold

Subject: Loflin Gold Mine

Loflin Hill Road, Trinity, NC

Latitude: 35.7250000

Longitude: -80.0433000

POLREP No.:	6	Site #:	A4AE
Reporting Period:	11/8/2004 - 11/14/2004	D.O. #:	
Start Date:	10/19/2004	Response Authority:	CERCLA
Mob Date:	10/18/2004	Response Type:	Time-Critical
Demob Date:		NPL Status:	Non NPL
Completion Date:		Incident Category:	Removal Action
CERCLIS ID #:	NCN000407301	Contract #	
RCRIS ID #:			

Site Description

Please refer to Polrep 3 for background information.

Current Activities

During the reporting period, activities at 1234 Loflin Hill Road included the completion of placement of gravel under the trailer and placement of approximately 18 inches of backfill (clay) and 6 inches of topsoil. To date, 87 loads of contaminated soil have been loaded out at 1234 Loflin Hill Road; 373 loads of backfill and 144 loads of topsoil have been placed on the property.

Activities at 1241 Loflin Hill Road included completion of excavation and load out of contaminated soil; as well as, completion of placement of approximately 18 inches of backfill (clay) and 6 inches of topsoil. To date, 36 loads of contaminated soil have been loaded out at 1241 Loflin Hill Road; 120 loads of backfill and 20 loads of topsoil have been placed on the property.

Planned Removal Actions

The Removal Action at the 5 affected residences will involve a combination of excavation and capping with a barrier of clean soil of up to 2 feet and restoration. Residents will be relocated while activities are conducted at their residence.

Next Steps

ERRS will replace items around the trailers at 1234 and 1241 Loflin Hill Road (including stairs and other miscellaneous items in the yard). Crush and run will be used to restore the driveways of both properties. KEMRON has subcontracted a private landscaping company to seed both yards and restore shrubbery removed during excavation.

Residents in 1234 will end temporary location on November 17, 2004; residents in 1241 will end temporary location on or before November 19, 2004.

Key Issues

Heavy rain hindered operations on November 12 and 13; however, ERRS was able to "catch up" on November 14 (Sunday) and the removal schedule was not affected.

Estimated Costs *

	Budgeted	Total To Date	Remaining	% Remaining
Extramural Costs				
ERRS - Cleanup Contractor	\$800,000.00	\$370,289.10	\$429,710.90	53.71%
RST/START	\$96,000.00	\$23,025.00	\$72,975.00	76.02%
Intramural Costs				

Total Site Costs	\$896,000.00	\$393,314.10	\$502,685.90	56.10%
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* The above accounting of expenditures is an estimate based on figures known to the OSC at the time this report was written. The OSC does not necessarily receive specific figures on final payments made to any contractor(s). Other financial data which the OSC must rely upon may not be entirely up-to-date. The cost accounting provided in this report does not necessarily represent an exact monetary figure which the government may include in any claim for cost recovery.

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