# U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY POLLUTION/SITUATION REPORT Kokomo Dump - Removal Polrep Final Removal Polrep



# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY Region V

Subject: POLREP #26

Final Report Kokomo Dump C564

Kokomo, IN

Latitude: 40.4770000 Longitude: -86.1650000

To:

From: Shelly Lam, On-Scene Coordinator

Date: 9/20/2016

Reporting Period: May 1 - September 16, 2016

#### 1. Introduction

#### 1.1 Background

Site Number: C564 Contract Number:

D.O. Number: Action Memo Date: 8/13/2012
Response Authority: CERCLA Response Type: PRP Oversight
Response Lead: PRP Incident Category: Removal Action

NPL Status: Non NPL Operable Unit:

 Mobilization Date:
 2/24/2014
 Start Date:
 8/5/2013

 Demob Date:
 3/10/2016
 Completion Date:
 9/16/2016

 CERCLIS ID:
 INN000510728
 RCRIS ID:
 INR000138982

ERNS No.: State Notification:

FPN#: Reimbursable Account #:

#### 1.1.1 Incident Category

Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) incident category: Waste Management - co-disposal landfill (municipal and industrial)

#### 1.1.2 Site Description

The Kokomo Dump Site is 4.54 acres in size, and contains one small building. The City of Kokomo owns the property, which is currently operated by Howard County as a yard waste recycling center. The City operated a municipal landfill at the site from 1963 to the 1970s. Landfill operations included running a large tepee-style incinerator until the mid to late 1960s.

#### 1.1.2.1 Location

The Kokomo Dump Site is located at 1130 S. Dixon Road in Kokomo, Howard County, Indiana, 46901. The geographical coordinates for the site are latitude 40.477° north and longitude 86.165° west.

The area around the site is mixed use, including residential, commercial, and industrial properties. The site is bounded by the Dixon Road Site to the north; a railroad and Haynes International to the east; residential properties to the south; and Dixon Road to the west. Wildcat Creek is approximately 500 feet from the northern boundary of the site.

#### 1.1.2.2 Description of Threat

See previous Pollution Reports (PolRep).

#### 1.1.3 Preliminary Removal

See previous PolReps.

# 2. Current Activities

#### 2.1 Operations Section

# 2.1.1 Narrative

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) executed an Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent (ASAOC) on August 5, 2013, pursuant to Sections 104, 106(a), 107 and 122 of CERCLA, as amended, 42 U.S. Code (USC) §§ 9604, 9606(a), 9607 and 9622. See previous PolReps for work to be performed under the ASAOC.

#### 2.1.2 Response Actions to Date

For actions conducted prior to May 2016, refer to previous PolReps. During this reporting period:

• Validated analytical data from samples collected in March 2016.

- Removed 54 waste tires from the Site on June 23, 2016. Transported the tires to the Kokomo Public Maintenance and Refuse facility located at 720 East Boulevard Street, Kokomo, Indiana.
- Submitted the Final Report to EPA on September 15, 2016. The Final Report is posted to <a href="www.epaosc.org/kokomodts">www.epaosc.org/kokomodts</a>.
- Submitted a draft Environmental Restrictive Covenant (ERC) to the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM)
  on September 16, 2016. The ERC restricts property use and activity to minimize exposure to contamination remaining on-site
  at depths greater than two feet below ground surface.

# 2.1.3 Enforcement Activities, Identity of Potentially Responsible Parties (PRPs)

EPA executed Docket No. V-W-13 C-018 on August 5, 2013 with the City of Kokomo as the Respondent.

#### 2.1.4 Progress Metrics

Below is a summary of waste transported off-site.

Waste Stream	Medium	Quantity	Manifest #	Treatment	Disposal/Recycling Facility
Non-hazardous purge water	Liquid	100 gallons	70914	NA	CGS Services, Morristown, Indiana
Non-hazardous soil cuttings	Solid	410 gallons	70914	NA	CGS Services, Morristown, Indiana
Concrete (recycled material)	Solid	138.01 tons	NA	NA	Kokomo Gravel, Kokomo, IN
Clay pipe (recycled material)	Solid	2.56 tons	NA	NA	Touby Pike Recycling Center, Kokomo, IN
Scrap tires (recycled material)	Solid	659	NA	NA	Leffler Tire Recycling, Peru, IN
Scrap metal (recycled material)	Solid	1.82 tons	NA	NA	Hunt Salvage, Kokomo, IN
Non-hazardous soil	Solid	223.24 tons	NA	NA	Oak Ridge Landfill, Logansport, IN
Non-hazardous soil	Solid	580 pounds	1408708	NA	Twin Bridges RDF, Danville, IN
Non-hazardous water	Liquid	580 pounds	1408707	NA	Twin Bridges RDF, Danville, IN
Hazardous waste	Solid	117.54 tons	Various	Michigan Disposal Waste Treatment Plant, Belleville, MI	Wayne Disposal, Inc., Belleville, MI
Non-hazardous soil	Solid	1,098.43 tons	Various	NA	Oak Ridge RDF Landfill, Logansport, IN
Scrap tires	Solid	54	NA	NA	City of Kokomo Maintenance and Reuse Facility

Regional Metrics					
This is an Integrated River Assessment. The numbers should overlap.	Miles of river systems cleaned and/or restored	NA			
	Cubic yards of contaminated sediments removed and/or capped	NA			
	Gallons of oil/water recovered	NA			
	Acres of soil/sediment cleaned up in floodplains and riverbanks	NA			
Stand Alone Assessment	Number of contaminated residential yards cleaned up	NA			
	Number of workers on site	9			
Contaminant(s) of Concem	1				
Oil Res	ponse Tracking				
Estimated volume	Initial amount released	NA			
	Final amount collected	NA			

CAN	APS Info	FPN Ceiling Amount	NA
		FPN Number	NA
		Body of Water affected	NA
	Administrative and Logistical	Factors (Place X where applica	ble)
F	Precedent-Setting HQ Consultations (e.g.,	Community challenges or high	Radiological
	fracking, asbestos)	involvement	
1	More than one PRP	Endangered Species Act / Essential Fish Habitat issues	Explosives
x /	AOC	Historic preservation issues	Residential impacts
ı	JAO	NPL site	Relocation
1	DOJ involved	Remote location	Drinking water impacted
(	Criminal Charges Have Been Filed*	Extreme weather or abnormal field season	Environmental justice
	Tribal consultation or coordination or other ssues	Congressional involvement	High media interest
	Statutory Exemption for \$2 Million	Statutory Exemption for 1 Year	Active fire present
ŀ	Hazmat Entry Conducted – Level A, B or C	Incident or Unified Command established	Actual air release (not threatened)
	Gree	en Metrics	** Continues in the contract of the contract o
	Metric	Amount	Units
Dies	el Fuel Used	NA	gallons
Unle	aded Fuel Used	NA	gallons
	mative/E-85 Fuel Used	NA	gallons
Elec	tricity from electric company	NA	kWh
Elec	tric Company Name and Account #	NA	100
Elec	tricity from sources other than the electric company	NA	kWh
	d waste reused	NA	
Solid	d waste recycled	142.39 tons + 713 tires	
Wate	er Used	NA	gallons

#### 2.2 Planning Section

# 2.2.1 Anticipated Activities

The following sections discuss planned response activities and next steps.

#### 2.2.1.1 Planned Response Activities

The PRP will work with IDEM to manage the ERC.

## 2.2.1.2 Next Steps

No additional activities are planned.

## 2.2.2 Issues

None

# 2.3 Logistics Section

NA

# 2.4 Finance Section

No information available at this time.

# 2.5 Other Command Staff

#### 2.5.1 Safety Officer

Personnel conducted work under an approved Health and Safety Plan. EPA's On-Scene Coordinator (OSC) had overall responsibility for health and safety.

#### 2.5.2 Liaison Officer

NA

# 2.5.3 Information Officer

NA

#### 3. Participating Entities

# 3.1 Unified Command

NA

#### 3.2 Cooperating Agencies

EPA coordinated removal activities with IDEM.

#### 4. Personnel On Site

No personnel were on-site for removal activities during the reporting period.

#### 5. Definition of Terms

ASAOC Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

EPA Environmental Protection Agency
ERC Environmental Restrictive Covenant

IDEM Indiana Department of Environmental Management

NA Not Applicable
OSC On-Scene Coordinator
PolRep Pollution Report

PRP Potentially Responsible Party

START Superfund Technical Assessment and Response Team

USC U.S. Code

#### 6. Additional sources of information

#### 6.1 Internet location of additional information/report

Additional information is posted to www.epaosc.org/kokomodump.

#### 6.2 Reporting Schedule

No additional PolReps will be submitted.

# 7. Situational Reference Materials

NA