

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

Date: Wednesday, December 19, 2007

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Response Section Chief

Subject: Continuation of Action
Circle Environmental #1
170 5th Ave SW, Dawson, GA
Latitude: 31.7731000
Longitude: -84.4478000

POLREP No.:	7	Site #:	A4RC
Reporting Period:	12/10/07-12/15/07	D.O. #:	
Start Date:	9/11/2007	Response Authority:	CERCLA
Mob Date:	9/10/2007	Response Type:	Emergency
Demob Date:		NPL Status:	NPL
Completion Date:		Incident Category:	Removal Action
CERCLIS ID #:	GAR000005439	Contract #	
RCRIS ID #:			

Site Description

The Circle Environmental #1 Site is located at 170 5th Street in downtown Dawson, Terrell County, Georgia. The facility consists of a brick/wood-construction warehouse measuring approximately 120 by 60 feet in size.

USEPA received a request from the Georgia Environmental Protection Division to take action at the Site, on September 10, 2007. Reports from the State indicated that the Site is an inactive waste management facility that cleaned oil and solvent tainted wipe rags. The FOSC responded to the facility on September 10, 2007, met with local officials, and based upon conditions present at the Site, initiated an Emergency Removal Action.

A total of 536 drums of waste materials were present at the Site. The primary chemicals of concern are tetrachloroethylene, waste oil, and solvent and paint waste.

Current Activities

START conducted continuous air monitoring while the ERRS crew worked to organize and prepare remaining drums for transportation and disposal.

During this reporting period the transportation and disposal of orange, blue, yellow, paint and flammable liquid waste streams continued. The crew worked to overpack 76 drums. A total of 201 drums were transported off-site for disposal.

From December 13 - 15 the crew utilized time to take care of general housekeeping and clean-up. Empty drums and other non-hazardous solid wastes were loaded into 2- 20 cubic yard roll off containers.

Next Steps

Transportation and disposal of remaining hazardous and non-hazardous waste will be completed next week.

A dry decontamination of the building will be conducted and indoor air samples will be collected.

Estimated Costs *

	Budgeted	Total To Date	Remaining	% Remaining
Extramural Costs				
ERRS - Cleanup Contractor	\$375,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$225,000.00	60.00%

RST/START	\$40,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$15,000.00	37.50%
Intramural Costs				
USEPA - Direct (Region, HQ)	\$5,000.00	\$6,500.00	(\$1,500.00)	-30.00%
Total Site Costs	\$420,000.00	\$181,500.00	\$238,500.00	56.79%

* 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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