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Electric Currents To Detect Decay in Teeth

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U.S. EPA REGION 6 ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING TO RECEIVE COMMENTS ON THE CLEANUP ALTERNATIVES FOR GROUND WATER CONTAMINATION AT THE SPARTON TECHNOLOGY COORS ROAD FACILITY

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) invites you to a public hearing for the Sparton Technology Coors Road facility at 9621 Coors Road in Albuquerque, New Mexico. At this hearing, representatives from EPA will discuss the various cleanup alternatives to address ground water contamination originating from the Sparton Technology facility. EPA encourages you to participate in the decision-making process for the remedy selection by offering comments on the various alternatives outlined in the Statement of Basis. Please make plans to attend the public hearing at:

Date: Thursday, February 1, 1996
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Location: Cibola High School, 1510 Ellison Drive, Albuquerque, New Mexico

EPA will also host an informal question and answer session prior to the public hearing from 5:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. at the Cibola High School.

Testing of the ground water has demonstrated levels of contaminants, such as trichloroethylene, above public health standards in a ground water contaminant plume extending approximately 1/2 mile from the facility. The various alternatives which have been identified to address the ground water contamination include: 1) No Further Action; 2) On-Site Ground Water Extraction; 3) Expanded Ground Water Extraction; 4) Expanded Ground Water Extraction and Soil Vapor Extraction; 5) Expanded Ground Water Extraction, Soil Vapor Extraction, and Air Sparging; 6) Expanded Ground Water Extraction and Soil Flushing; and 7) In Situ Bioremediation.

A summary of the facility history, previous sampling activities, and the cleanup alternatives is presented in the Statement of Basis. This information is also available in greater detail in documents found in the Administrative Record. EPA will begin selection of a remedy for the facility only after the public comment period has ended and the information submitted by the community and other interested parties has been reviewed and considered. The public comment period for the various cleanup alternatives began December 8, 1995, and will end on February 8, 1996.

Interested parties can obtain copies of the Statement of Basis and review the Administrative Record at the following locations:

- Taylor Ranch Branch Library - 5700 Bogart St., NW - Albuquerque, New Mexico
(505) 897-8816 - Hours: Tues, Thurs - 12:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.; Wed, Fri & Sat - 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
- New Mexico Environment Department - 2044-A Galisteo - Santa Fe, New Mexico
(505) 827-1560 - Hours: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- U.S. EPA - 12th Floor Library - 1445 Ross Avenue - Dallas, Texas
(214) 665-6427 - Hours: Mon - Fri 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

During the public comment period, written comments must be postmarked by February 8, 1996, and submitted to: Vincent Malott, Project Manager, U.S. EPA Region 6, Hazardous Waste Enforcement Branch (6EN-HX), 1445 Ross Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75202-2733. If you have any questions or need additional information, please call Vincent Malott at (214) 665-8313.

Media inquiries should be directed to the EPA Region 6 Office of External Affairs at (214) 665-2200.