

U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS ANNOUNCES DECISION DOCUMENT AVAILABLE FOR AREA 2 OF FORMER FRANKFORD ARSENAL CLEANUP

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has released its Decision Document regarding the selected cleanup actions for Area 2 Soils at the Former Frankford Arsenal, located at 5601 Tacony Street in Philadelphia.

Frankford Arsenal operated as a munitions manufacturing, research and development facility from 1816 until 1977. The 109-acre site consists of numerous remaining buildings of various size, age and condition. The soil in the 37-acre portion of the site designated as Area II is the subject of this DD.

The Decision Document for Area 2 outlines the Army's selected cleanup actions for remaining unacceptable chemical risks in soil in Area 2. The selected cleanup actions involve a combination of excavation and disposal of soil in certain areas within Area 2 and the installation of a cap and future use restrictions in other areas within Area 2.

The public is encouraged to review the project documents in the public record, including the Decision Document, at the Frankford Branch Library at 4634 Frankford Ave in Philadelphia. More information, including the Decision Document, is also available online at www.nab.usace.army.mil/frankford.

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