



PUBLIC NOTICE

State Superfund Program

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Site Name: FMC Corporation

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Site No. 932014

Tax Map Nos. 86.00-3-11.2, 86.00-3-12.11, 86.00-3-12.121, 86.00-3-12.122, 86.00-3-12.2, 86.00-3-7.1, 86.00-3-9, 86.17-1-24 (partial), 86.17-1-25.111, 86.17-1-25.112, 86.17-1-25.12, 86.17-1-25.2, 86.17-1-80.1, 86.17-1-98.1

Site Location: Niagara Street, Telegraph and Rochester Road, Village of Middleport, Town of Royalton, Niagara County

Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Boundary Modification Notice

The Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Program (the State Superfund Program) is the State's program for identifying, investigating, and cleaning up sites where the disposal of hazardous waste may present a threat to public health and/or the environment. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) maintains a list of these sites in the Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites (Registry). The boundary of the site identified above, and located on a map on the reverse side of this page, was recently modified in the Registry for the following reason(s):

The original hazardous waste site was only 15 acres of the FMC plant. This boundary change encompasses the entire 102.9 acres currently owned by FMC and the 10.5 acres former Research & Development (R&D) site (previously owned by FMC) (113.4 acres). The 113.4 acres include numerous former manufacturing areas across the site, waste disposal areas, and 54 solid waste management units. The Site has been used for manufacturing/formulation of pesticide products and R&D since the 1920s. Products manufactured historically include lime, arsenic and lead-based pesticides, sulfur dust, and other pesticides. Processes employed to manufacture these products used acetic acid, ammonia, dimethylamine, 7-hydroxybenzofuran, and methylene chloride.

Prior to 1974, pesticide wastes were handled in accordance with standard practices of the time, including storage, treatment, and/or disposal in lagoons or land (in landfills and trenches) at the Site. As a result, soils and groundwater in the northern half of the site have been extensively contaminated with arsenic, lead, chlorinated pesticides, ethylene thiourea (ETU), methylene chloride, and other chemicals. Soils throughout the northern half of the site are mixed with fill and pesticide-containing waste materials. Contaminated soils and fill/waste materials are present down to bedrock within portions of the Site. A low permeability clay/ asphalt cover (North Site Cover) has been installed over the contaminated soil/disposal areas in the northern half of the Facility.

DEC will continue to keep you informed throughout the investigation and cleanup of the site.

If you own property adjacent to this site and are renting or leasing your property to someone else, please share this information with them. If you no longer wish to be on the contact list for this site or otherwise need to correct our records, please contact DEC's Project Manager listed below.

FOR MORE SITE INFORMATION

Additional information about this site can be found using DEC's "Environmental Site Remediation Database Search" engine which is located on the internet at: www.dec.ny.gov/cfm/xtapps/derexternal/index.cfm?pageid=3

Comments and questions are always welcome and should be directed as follows:

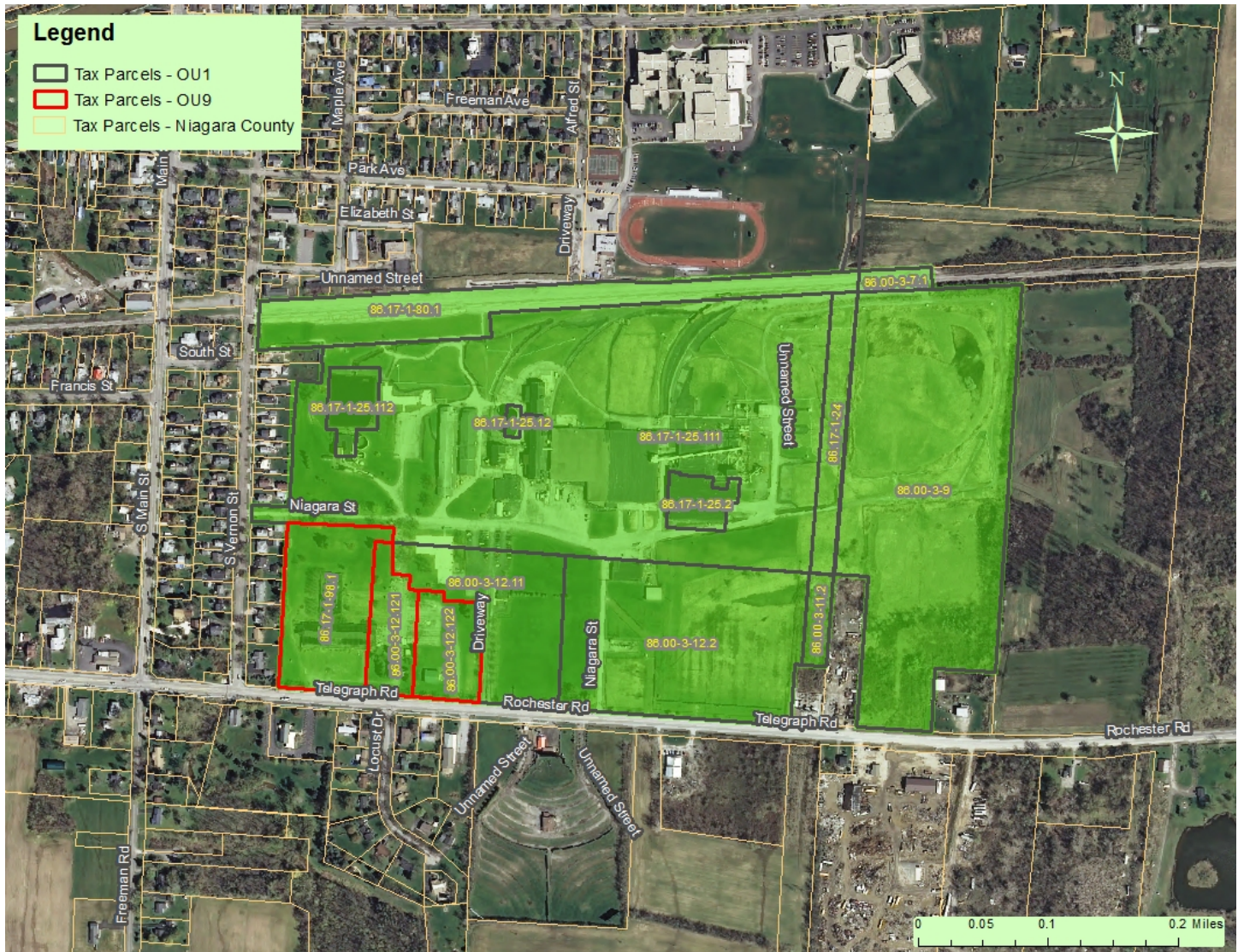
Project Related Questions

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Approximate Site Location
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As a listserv member, you will periodically receive site-related information/announcements for all contaminated sites in the county(ies) you select.

You may continue also to receive paper copies of site information for a time after you sign up with a county listserv, until the transition to electronic distribution is complete.

Note: Please disregard if you received this notice by way of a county email listserv.

DEC is sending you this notice in accordance with Environmental Conservation Law Article 27, Title 13 and its companion regulation (6 NYCRR 375-2.7(b)(6)(ii)) which requires DEC to notify all parties on the contact list for this site of this recent action.