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Record of Decision

Site Name: 192 Ralph Avenue

DEC Site #: 224042

Brooklyn, Kings County

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) announces that the printed Record of Decision (ROD) for the 192 Ralph Avenue site ("site") located at 192 Ralph Ave, Brooklyn, Kings County is available for public review (see "Where to View the ROD," below). This ROD pertains to Operable Unit No. 1, the Off-site Remedial Program.

On Tuesday, March 20, 2018 NYSDEC held a public meeting presenting the Proposed Remedial Action Plan (PRAP) for the site. The comments received at this meeting and during the public comment period (February 26, 2018 through March 28, 2018), along with the administrative record, were considered in preparing the final ROD for the site. The ROD presents the remedy selected to address contamination related to the site and the rationale for the chosen remedy. A Responsiveness Summary addressing the public comments received is also included in the ROD.

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The following is a summary of the chosen remedy described in the ROD:

Based on the results of the investigation at the site and the evaluation presented here, the Department has selected No Action with Continued Monitoring as the remedy for the Off-site area. The findings of the investigation of this site indicate that the site does not pose a significant threat to human health or the environment. This remedy is effective in protecting human health and the environment and complies with the New York State standards, criteria, and guidance. The on-site area was addressed in an October 2013 No Further Action ROD which included continued operation of the existing soil vapor extraction system.

Where to View the ROD:

The site ROD with Responsiveness Summary can be viewed at the following locations:

Saratoga Library
8 Thomas S. Boyland St
Brooklyn, NY 11233
phone: 718-573-5224

Who to Contact

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

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