

Department of Environmental Conservation

PUBLIC NOTICE

State Superfund Program

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October 2018

Site Name: Morse Industrial Corporation Site No. 755010 Tax Map Nos. 106.-1.8 and 40.-3-3 (partial) Site Location: City and Town of Ithaca

Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Boundary Modification Notice

The Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Program (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 Class 2 site identified above, and located on the attached map, has been modified on the Registry for the following reasons:

The modification includes the removal of 34.34 acres of undeveloped land on the southern portion of the site. Approximately 25 acres of this area has a slope equal to or greater than 15%, inhibiting access/development. Historical aerial photographs show no evidence of disturbance of this area which is bounded to the north by a creek which effectively isolates this area from the remainder of the site. A sanitary sewerline, originating at the adjacent former NCR facility, extends across this area, with an easement of 10 feet on either side. Logs and samples from soil borings show no evidence of fill material or debris within the 34.34-acre area and only slight exceedances of soil cleanup objectives in a few subsurface locations. There were no exceedances of site related constituents in groundwater. The property owner has filed a deed restriction with the Town of Ithaca that covers an area of 40 feet wide on either side of the sewer which requires that an evaluation of soil vapor intrusion be conducted prior to any construction activity that involves connecting to the sewerline or erection of any structure within 40 feet of the sewer. The resultant size of the remaining site area will be approximately 60 acres.

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

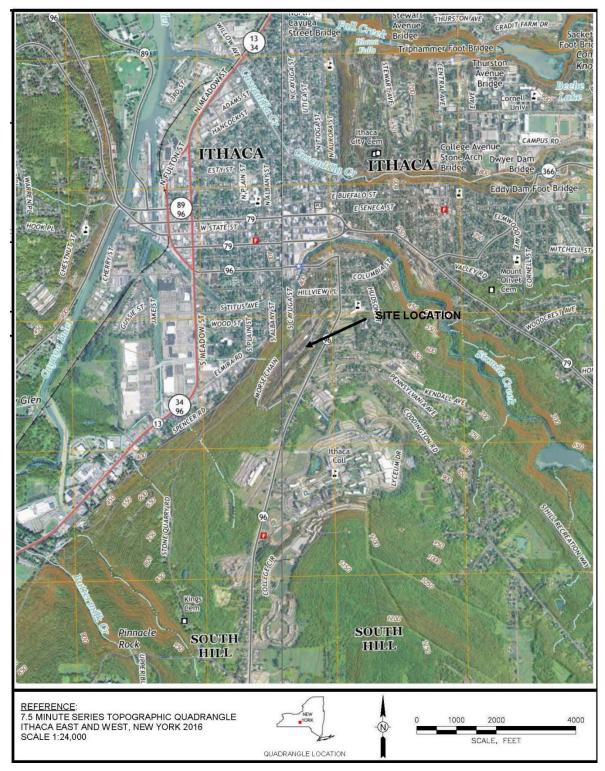
Additional site details, including environmental and health assessment summaries, are available on NYSDEC's Environmental Site Remediation Database (by entering the Site ID, 755010) at: www.dec.ny.gov/cfmx/extapps/derexternal/index.cfm?pageid=3

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

Project Related Questions Karen Cahill, Project Manager NYS Department of Environmental Conservation 615 Erie Blvd W Syracuse, NY 13204 315-426-7551 karen.cahill@dec.ny.gov <u>Site Related Health Questions</u> Steve Karpinski NYS Department of Health Empire State Plaza-Corning Tower, Room 1787 Albany, NY 12237 518-402-7860 BEEI@health.ny.gov

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.

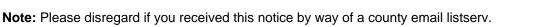
Approximate Site Location Morse Industrial Corporation Site, 755010 620 South Aurora Street, Ithaca, NY 14850



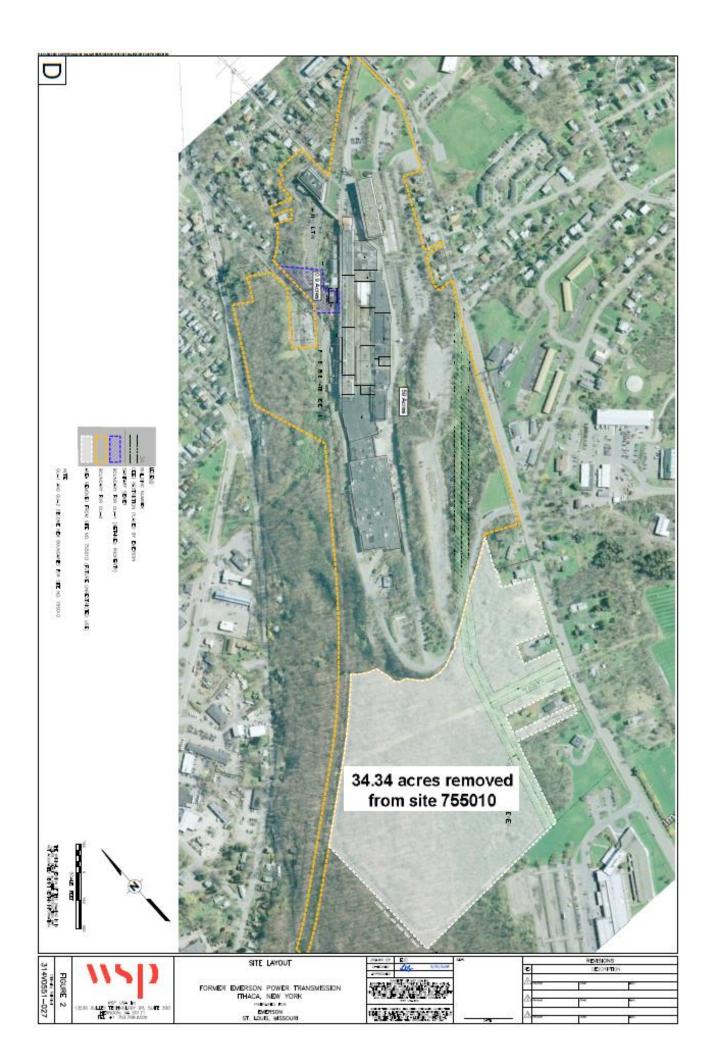
Receive Site Updates by Email

Have site information such as this public notice sent right to your email inbox. DEC invites you to sign up with one or more contaminated sites county email listservs available at the following web page: www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/61092.html. It's *quick*, it's *free*, and it will help keep you *better informed*.

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







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