

Media Advisory

Region 2 - New Jersey, New York, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands



EPA Set to Demolish 85 foot silo at the Former Flintkote Plant Building at the Eighteen Mile Creek Superfund Site, Lockport, New York – Saturday, September 27, 2014

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(Buffalo, N.Y. – September 25, 2014) The United States Environmental Protection Agency will conduct a Media Availability session on Saturday, September, 27, 2014 at the former Flintkote Plant Building, 300 Mill Street in the City of Lockport NY where the demolition operation will commence.

The site is approximately 2.5 acres with multiple buildings plus an 85 foot coal silo which is part of the 18 Mile Creek Superfund site in Lockport, NY. The buildings are contaminated with metals such as lead and asbestos, plus polyaromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), a result of industrial activities from 1928 to 1971. EPA will monitor the air near the work areas to protect public health.

Media Availability Session

WHAT: Tour and overview of scheduled demolition activities. Photo op of activities in progress, interviews with officials

WHEN: Saturday September 27, 2014
9 am – 11 am

WHERE: 300 Mill Street, Lockport, NY –
Command Post/Construction Trailers located at 89 Mill St.

WHO: EPA On-Scene Coordinator, Terry Kish and EPA Public Affairs Specialist, Mike Basile

MEDIA: Details about the cleanup will be provided