

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE OF RCRA CORRECTIVE ACTION REMEDIATION DECISION

Date of Notice: June 19, 2026

Comments Due: July 14, 2026

The Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) intends to issue a RCRA Corrective Action Remediation Decision for Solid Waste Management Unit (SWMU) 9 – Pesticide Control/R-150 Tank Area for:

Crane Naval Surface Warfare Center
Crane, Indiana
U. S. EPA ID Number IN5170023498

IDEM has reviewed the administrative record and has drafted a Statement of Basis summarizing information found in the administrative records. Following the completion of interim measures (IM) activities in 2008, 2010, and 2012 and baseline groundwater sampling in 2021, IDEM has determined that monitored natural attenuation (MNA) and long-term monitoring (LTM) for groundwater are necessary for groundwater in the northern portion of SWMU 9 to address potential unacceptable risks associated with exposure to groundwater in that portion of SWMU 9. In addition, land use controls (LUCs) for subsurface soil are also required to address Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requirements for polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB)-contaminated soil in the southern portion of SWMU 9. A copy of the Statement of Basis (VFC document # 83981392) and the supporting administrative record are available for your review in the IDEM Virtual File Cabinet at: www.in.gov/idem/legal/public-records/virtual-file-cabinet/.

IDEM is providing the public with an opportunity to submit written comments and/or request changes to the Statement of Basis as proposed. IDEM is particularly interested in receiving comments from people aware of any spills or releases that may have occurred from this facility in the past. Written comments must be postmarked or emailed by July 13, 2026.

You may request that IDEM hold a public hearing. At a hearing, you would have an opportunity to submit written comments, ask questions, make statements, and otherwise discuss any concerns about the Statement of Basis or the administrative record with IDEM staff. If a public hearing is held, IDEM will make a separate announcement of the date, time, and location of that hearing at least 30 days in advance.

IDEM will respond to all significant comments and specify which provisions of the Statement of Basis were changed, if any. To receive a copy of the Notice of Final Decision and Response to Comments, please make a written request to the below. Anyone who submits written comments will receive a copy of the Notice of Final Decision and Response to Comments.

Direct questions or comments to:

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