

Hoffman, Andrew

From: Dumville, Kelsey <Dumville.Kelsey@epa.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, February 24, 2021 4:22 PM
Cc: Hull, Richard; Hoffman, Andrew; Peter Britz
Subject: EPA Update and Public meeting information for the Coakley Landfill Site
Attachments: Draft Agenda Coakley meeting March 3 2021.pdf

EXTERNAL: Do not open attachments or click on links unless you recognize and trust the sender.

Good afternoon,

Please see the attached draft agenda for details on the upcoming virtual meeting on the Coakley Landfill Superfund Site, which will be held next Wednesday, March 3, 2021 from 6:30 – 8 pm. The meeting will be held via Microsoft Teams, details to access the meeting are below.

In advance of the meeting, below is a brief update on the site status and links to documents that have been added to the Site profile webpage (www.epa.gov/superfund/coakley) since our last update was sent out via email in November 2020. Direct links to the documents are provided below.

March 3, 2021 Virtual Public Meeting Details and Meeting Link:

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer or mobile app

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Or call in (audio only)

[+1 857-299-6148,,323149543#](#) United States, Boston

Phone Conference ID: 323 149 543#

[Find a local number](#) | [Reset PIN](#)

By participating in EPA hosted virtual meetings and events, you are consenting to abide by the agency's terms of use. In addition, you acknowledge that content you post may be collected and used in support of FOIA and eDiscovery activities.

[Learn More](#) | [Meeting options](#)

EPA Update on the Coakley Landfill Site

Please see the update below regarding the Coakley Landfill Superfund Site, including actions taken by the Coakley Landfill Group (CLG). Also note the documents that have been added to the Site profile webpage (www.epa.gov/superfund/coakley) since our last update was sent out via email on November 2, 2020. Direct links to the documents are provided below.

- In response to NH House Bill 494 (HB494) CLG conducted a pilot study using bioavailable absorbent media (BAM) contained in flow-through mats that were deployed in Berrys Brook to test the efficiency of reducing PFAS loading in Berrys Brook. Three BAM-filled mats were placed in Berrys Brook just south of the Breakfast Hill Road crossing for three weeks. Three rounds of pre- and post-treatment water quality samples were collected from Berrys Brook and analyzed for PFAS. CLG is currently compiling the results and developing a report for submission to the agencies.

- The CLG's contractor conducted a semi-annual sampling round, including the sampling of more than 20 private wells, in October 2020, with the continued implementation of stringent health and safety protocols. Results were provided to the private well owners in January 2021.
- On October 21, 2020, the CLG submitted a workplan for performing a groundwater pumping test to further characterize groundwater flow in bedrock. EPA and NHDES provided comments back to CLG, which responded to the comments and revised the workplan on November 20, 2020. EPA and NHDES ultimately approved the workplan, with conditions, on December 15, 2020.
- A new bedrock borehole was drilled on NHDOT property to the west of the landfill in January and February 2021. The borehole was installed to allow for location-specific sampling of bedrock groundwater as part of the ongoing bedrock investigation. The borehole will also be used for monitoring during an upcoming groundwater pumping test to be performed in the coming months. The pumping test schedule was pushed from Fall-2020 to Spring-2021, due to delays associated with gaining access for the new well and with technical issues related to drilling the new well. The pumping test is anticipated to be one of the final field activities in the bedrock investigation.
- EPA has initiated the fifth Five-Year Review for the Coakley Landfill site. The five-year review process allows for the periodic review of the effectiveness of the remedial actions implemented at a site. The fifth Five-Year Review includes community and stakeholder input, and is scheduled to be published in September 2021.

1/19/2021 FALL 2020 PRIVATE WATER SUPPLY WELL SAMPLING RESULTS

<https://semspub.epa.gov/work/01/100016382.pdf>

12/17/2020 EPA COMMENTS ON DRAFT 2019 ANNUAL SUMMARY REPORT DATED 07/31/2020

<https://semspub.epa.gov/work/01/100016022.pdf>

12/15/2020 LETTER REGARDING CONDITIONAL APPROVAL OF 11/20/2020 RESPONSE TO COMMENTS FOR DRAFT DEEP BEDROCK INVESTIGATION PUMPING TEST WORK PLAN AND REVISED PUMPING TEST WORK PLAN

<https://semspub.epa.gov/work/01/100016014.pdf>

11/1/2020 DEEP BEDROCK INVESTIGATION - RESPONSE TO COMMENTS AND PUMPING TEST WORK PLAN

<https://semspub.epa.gov/work/01/100015955.pdf>

Kelsey Dumville
Public Affairs Office
Senior Community Involvement Coordinator
Office: 617-918-1003
Cell: 857-998-0226

Virtual Public Meeting – Coakley Landfill Superfund Site*
March 3, 2021 6:30 PM to 8 PM

- 6:30** **Introductions and Agenda Review, *Kelsey Dumville, EPA***
- 6:40** **EPA Update and Current Status, *Skip Hull, EPA***
- Site History and Background
 - Ongoing Investigations
 - Five Year Review
- 6:55** **NHDES Update and Current Status of Private Well Sampling, *Drew Hoffman, NHDES***
- 7:10** **Project Updates, *Peter Britz, CLG, and Chris Buckman / Haley Ward, Consultant to CLG***
- 7:30** **Question and Answer, *via online chat and phoneline***
- 8:00** **Adjourn**

* Each agenda item will involve a short presentation and will leave time for clarifying questions and answers. Presenters will attempt to answer questions right away, however certain questions require additional follow-up and we will work to do so following the presentation-portion of the meeting.