

Public Notice

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances through the restoration of contaminated resources, enforcement, regulation and pollution prevention.

REMOVAL ACTION WORKPLAN UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD, Commerce

30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: July 5 through August 3, 2012

WHAT'S BEING PROPOSED?

The California State Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites public comment on the Draft Removal Action Workplan (RAW) for the railroad right-of-way located at 4530 Pacific Way, Commerce, California. The RAW proposes capping of the right-of-way.

Environmental investigations found lead contamination in the soil above acceptable levels. There is no immediate health risk to humans or the environment; however capping is required to prevent the potential for future exposure.

Consistent with its responsibilities as a Responsible Agency under CEQA, DTSC's review of the RAW concluded that the cleanup plan will not have a significant impact on the environment. A deed restriction will be placed on the property once the cleanup goals are met, limiting use of the site for industrial purposes only.

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

Comments concerning the proposed soil removal action must be submitted in writing to: **Alberto Valmidiano, DTSC Project Manager, 5796 Corporate Avenue, Cypress, CA 90630-4732, Phone: (818) 717-6550, Fax: (818) 717-6557, email AValmidi@dtsc.ca.gov**. Comments must be postmarked or emailed by **August 3, 2012**. Please note that a public meeting will not be held for this project.

WHERE DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?

A copy of the RAW, and other project documents are available at the City of Commerce Library, 2269 S. Atlantic Blvd., and the DTSC fileroom at the address listed above. For more information about the DTSC, please visit our website at http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/profile_report.asp?global_id=19330383

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HEARING IMPAIRED can call California State Relay Service at 1-888-877-5378 (TDD) and ask for Tim Chauvel.

