

OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION PROPERTY LAKE ONTARIO ORDNANCE WORKS

PORTER, NEW YORK



Defense Environmental Restoration Program for Formerly Used Defense Sites
Proposed Plan Public Meeting
January 11, 2017



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WELCOME!

AGENDA

- Introductions
- Background Information
- Evaluation of Remedial Alternatives and Selection of Preferred Alternative
- Public Comments



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STAKEHOLDERS

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Community



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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency



New York State Department of
Environmental Conservation



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ACRONYMS

AOC

Area of Concern

CERCLA

Comprehensive Environmental Response,
Compensation, and Liability Act

COC

Constituent of Concern

DERP-FUDS

Defense Environmental Restoration
Program for Formerly Used Defense Sites

DoD

Department of Defense

EU

Exposure Unit

LOOW

Lake Ontario Ordnance Works

mg/kg

milligrams/kilogram

OCCP

Occidental Chemical
Corporation Property



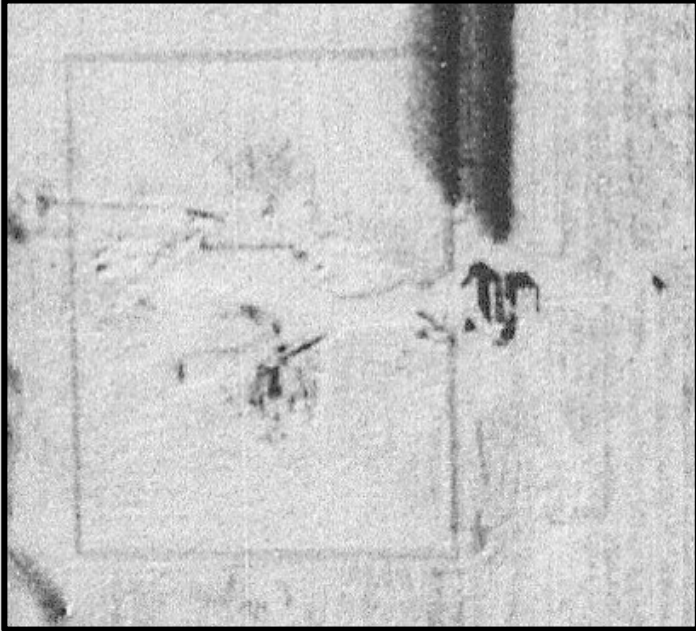
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DERP-FUDS MISSION

Protect human health and the environment

Identify



Investigate



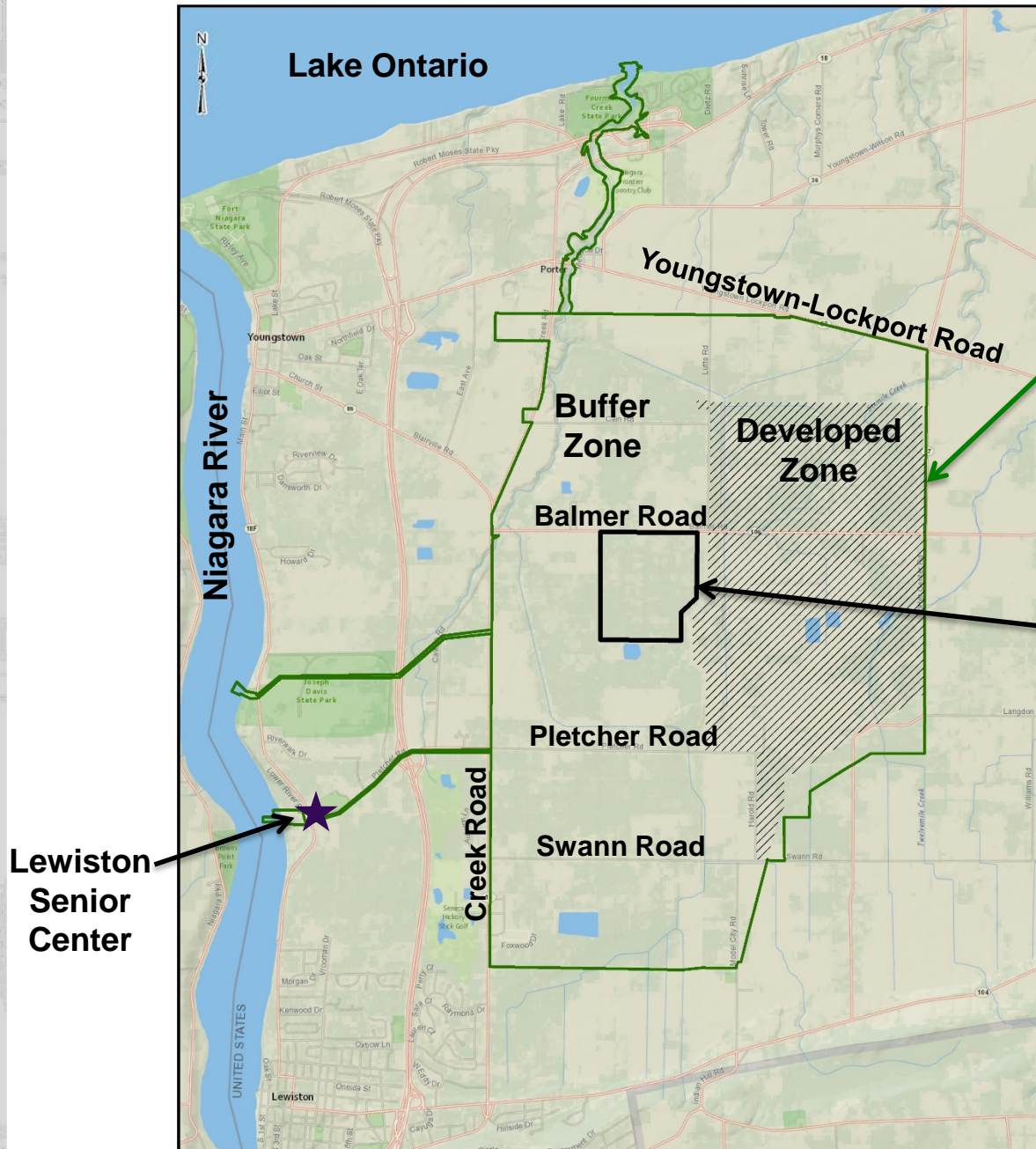
Clean up or control DoD-related material



LOCATION

Lake Ontario
Ordnance
Works with
Easements

Occidental
Chemical
Corporation
Property
(OCCP)

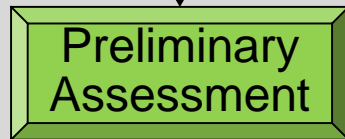


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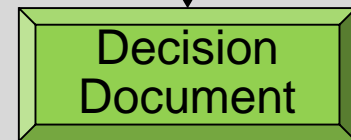
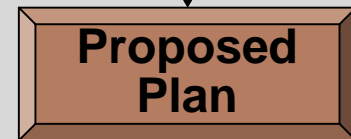
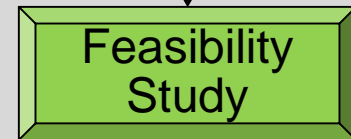
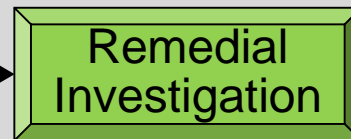


CERCLA PROCESS FOR DERP-FUDS ⁷

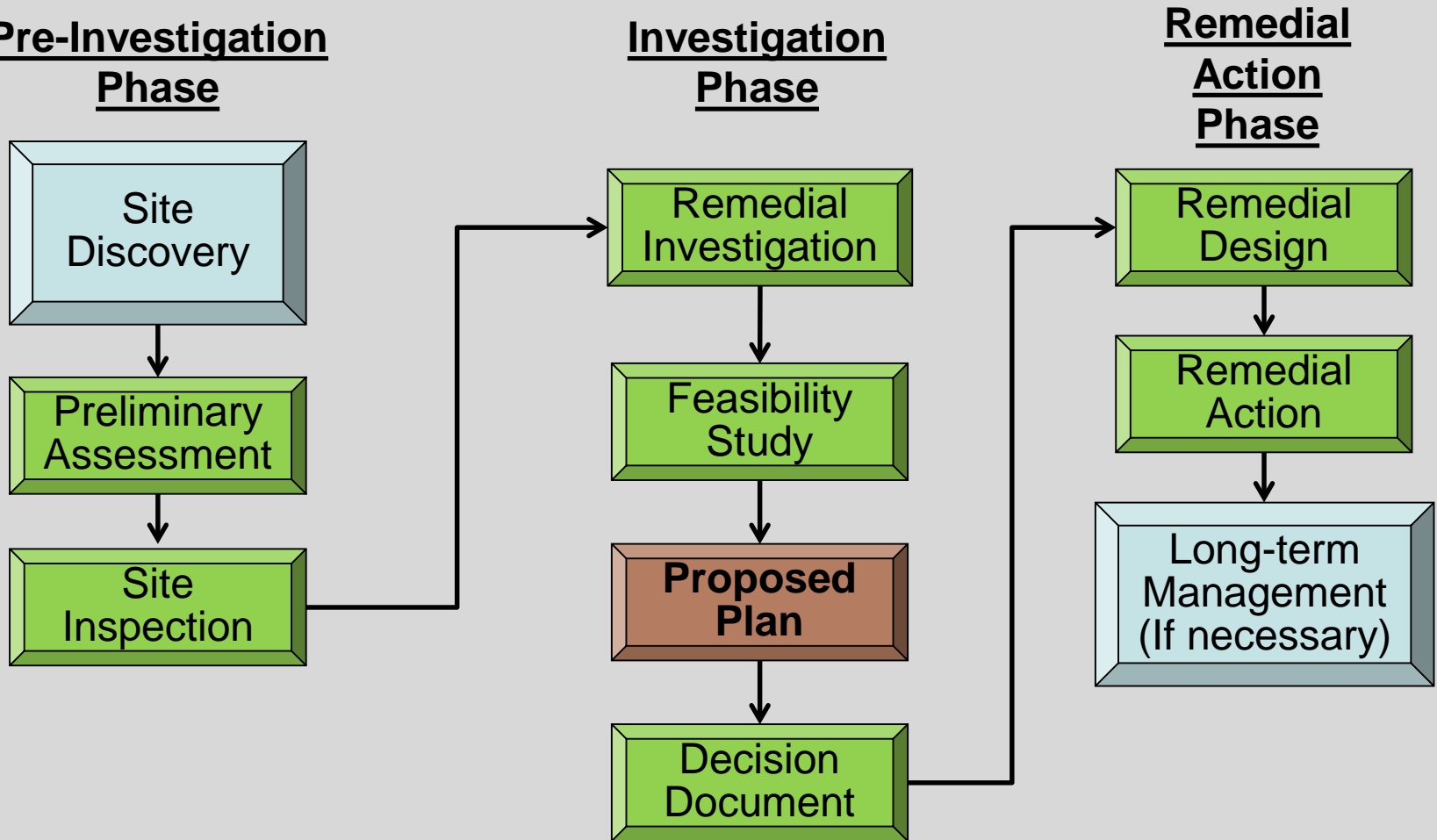
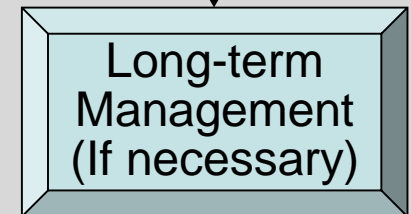
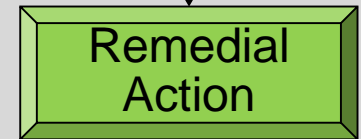
Pre-Investigation Phase



Investigation Phase



Remedial Action Phase



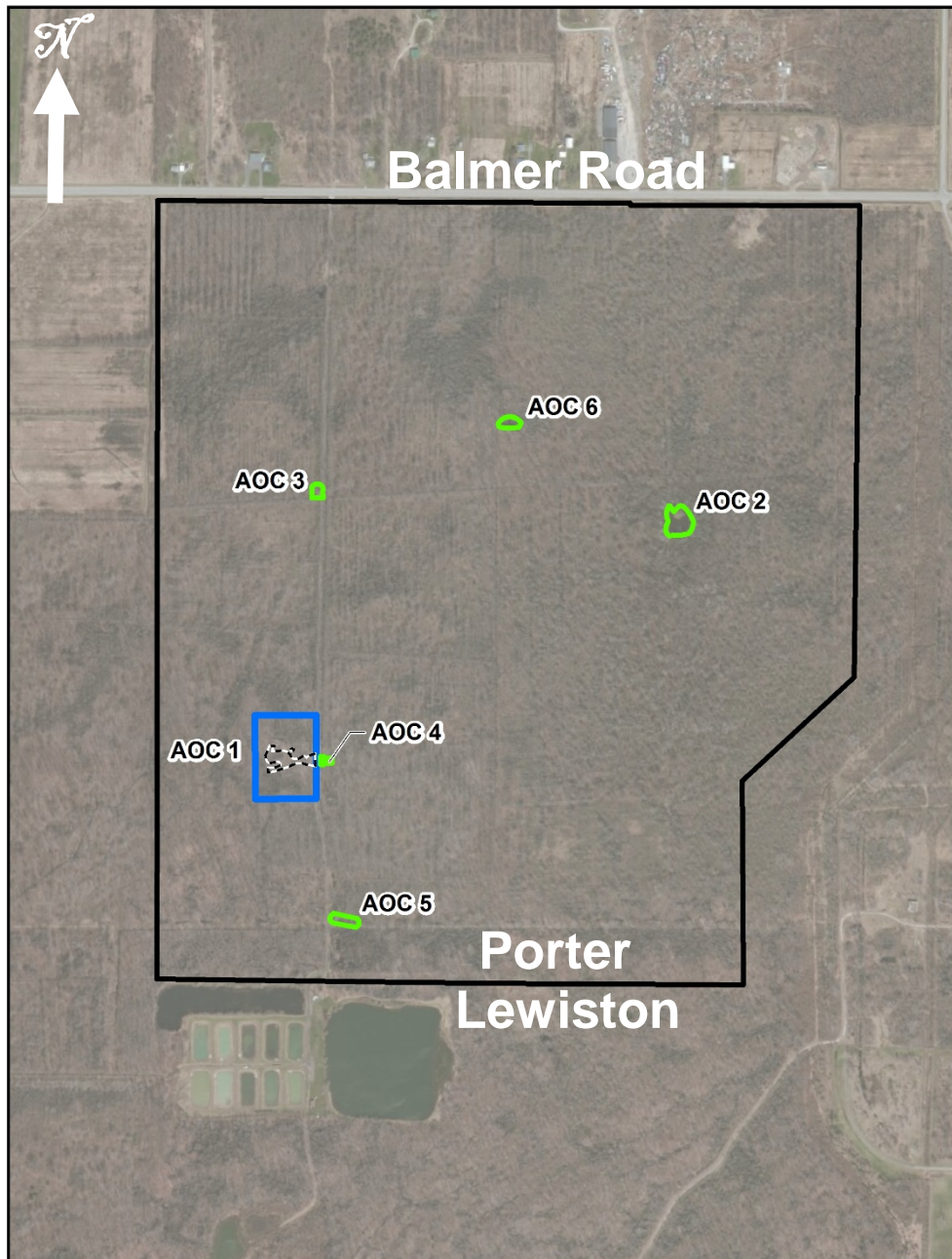
OCCP CERCLA PROCESS TIMELINE

- 1992 - Preliminary Assessment
- 2002 - Phase 2 Remedial Investigation LOOW
- 2004 - Small-Bermed Clearing Investigation
- 2008 - Phase 3 Remedial Investigation LOOW
- 2013 - Remedial Investigation OCCP
- 2015 - Feasibility Study OCCP EU 8 (AOC 1)
- 2016 - Proposed Plan OCCP



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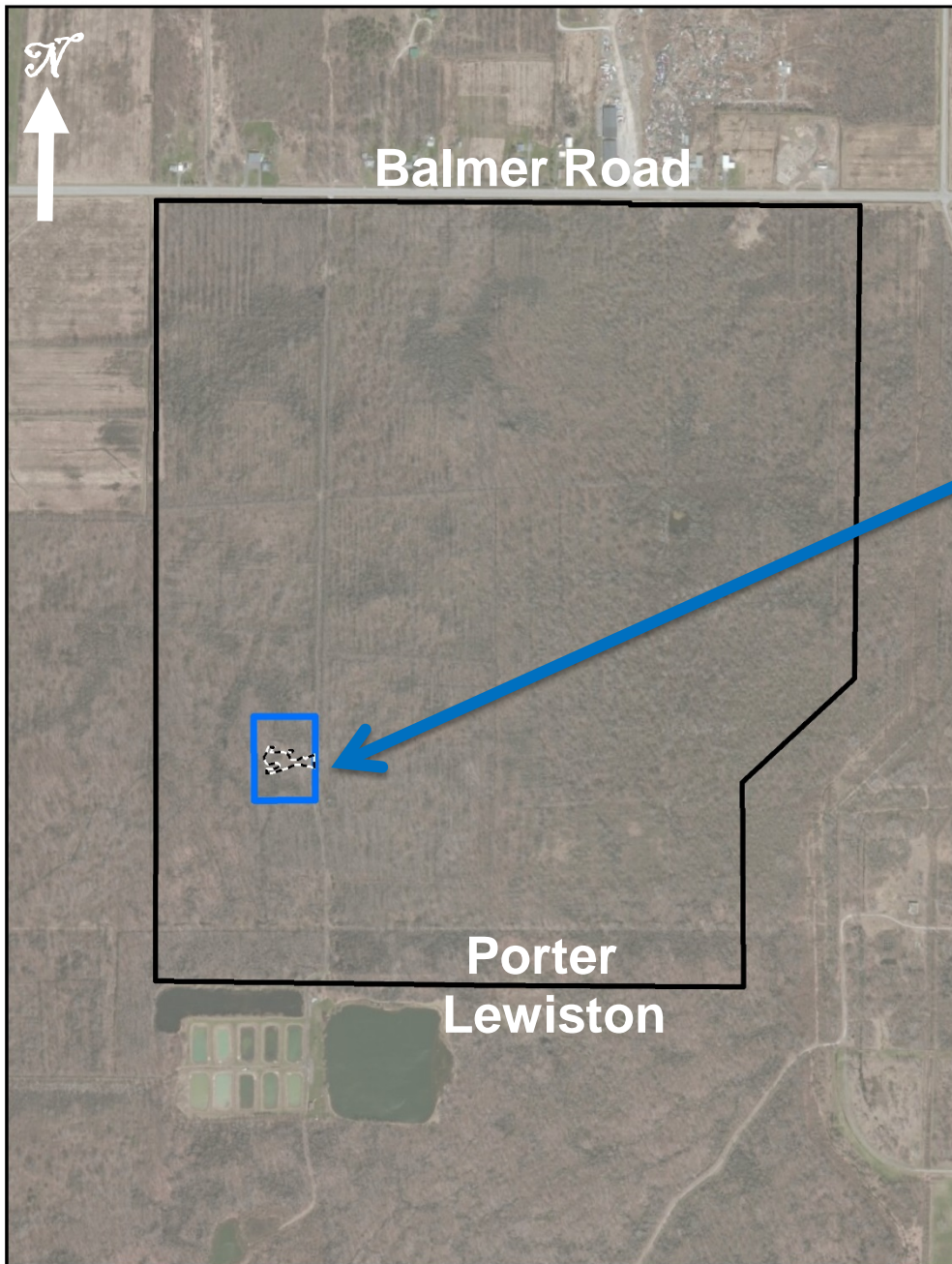


OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION PROPERTY AREAS OF CONCERN



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AREA OF CONCERN 1



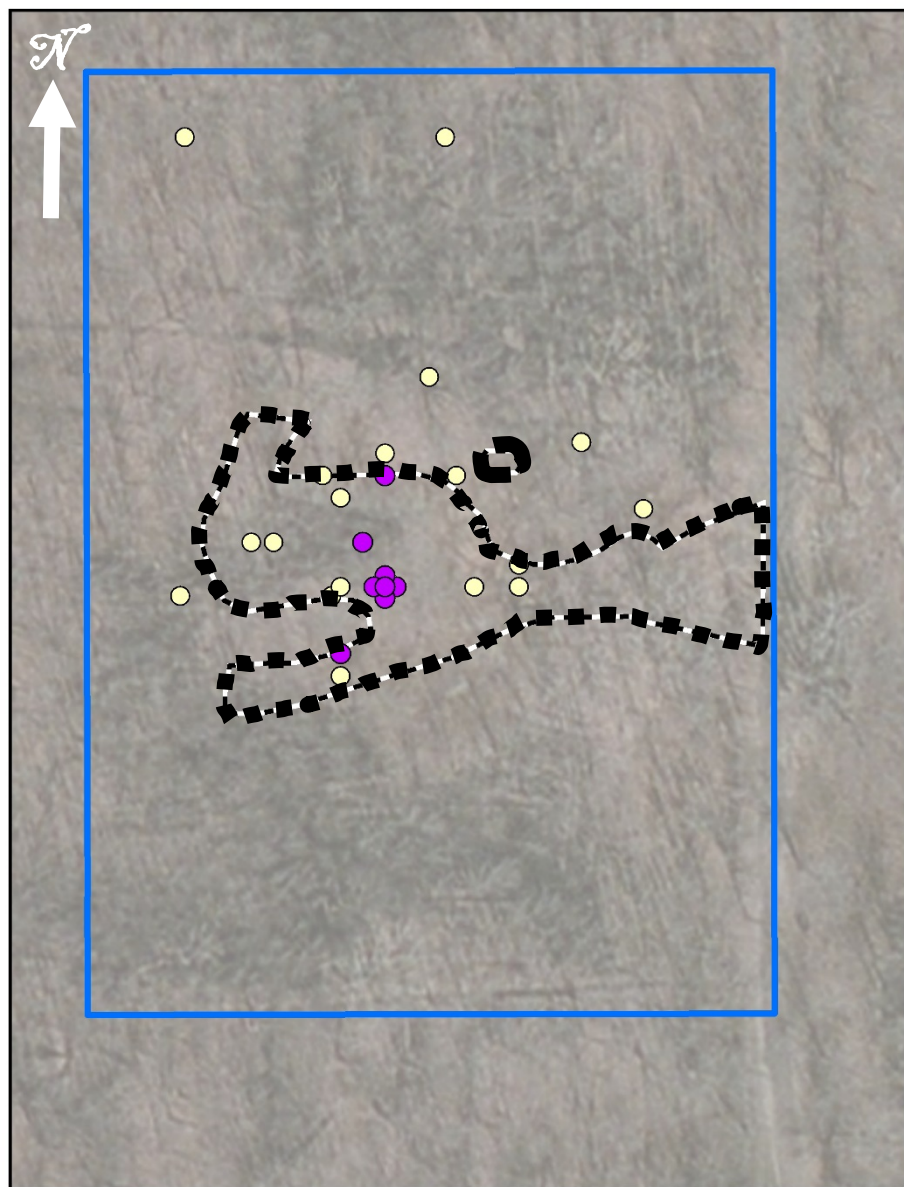
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AOC 1 RISK-BASED SOIL REMEDIATION GOALS

TNT – 18 mg/kg

Lead – 400 mg/kg



Legend



Soil Sample Location with TNT or Lead Exceeding Risk-Based Remediation Goal



Soil Sample Location



Approximate Areas of Debris



Area of Concern 1

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REMEDIAL ALTERNATIVES EVALUATION

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SELECTION OF PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE

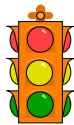


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CERCLA EVALUATION CRITERIA

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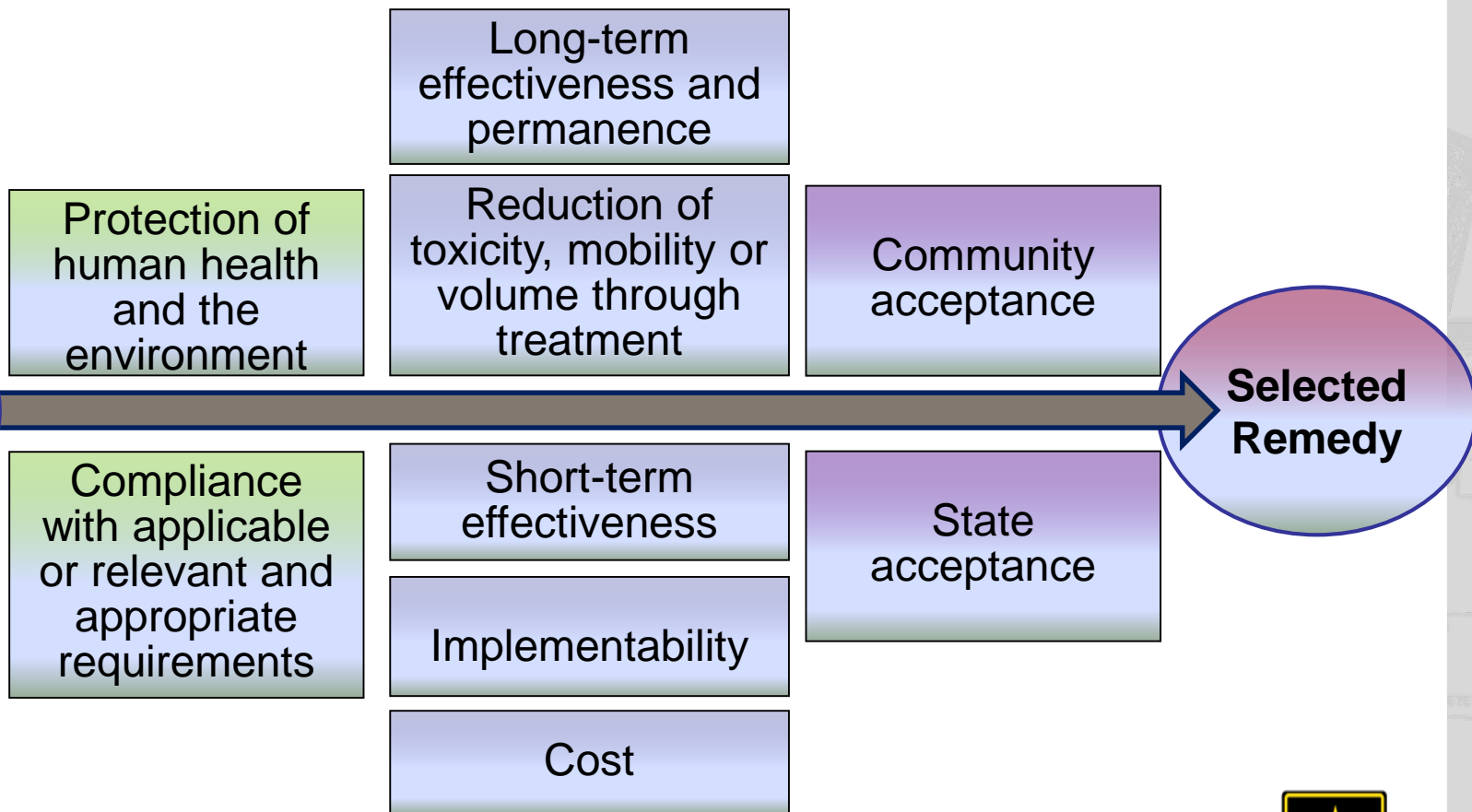
Threshold



Balancing



Modifying



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APPLICABLE OR RELEVANT AND APPROPRIATE REQUIREMENTS (ARARS)

Potential Action-Specific ARARs:

Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

- ✓ Design and Operating Requirements
 - Subpart N (40 CFR 264.301)
- ✓ Land Disposal Restrictions
 - Subpart D (40 CFR 268.48)



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REMEDIAL ALTERNATIVES

~~1: No Action - (screened out)~~

2: Land-Use Controls

3: Landfill Cap

4: Excavation and Off-Site Disposal

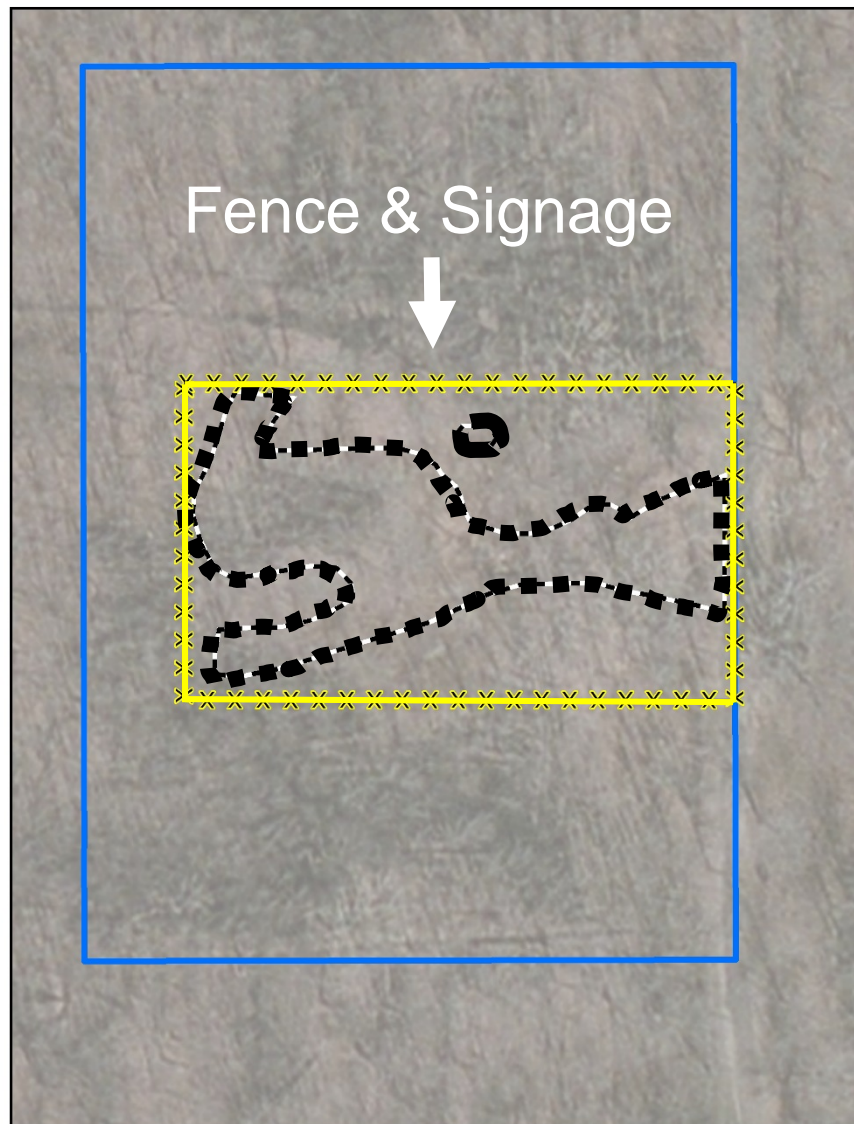
5: In Situ Chemical Reduction/Oxidation and Stabilization



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ALTERNATIVE 2: LAND-USE CONTROLS



CERCLA Balancing Criteria

Short-Term
Effectiveness

High

Long-Term
Effectiveness and
Permanence

Low

Reduction of
Toxicity, Mobility,
and Volume
Through
Treatment

Low

Implementability

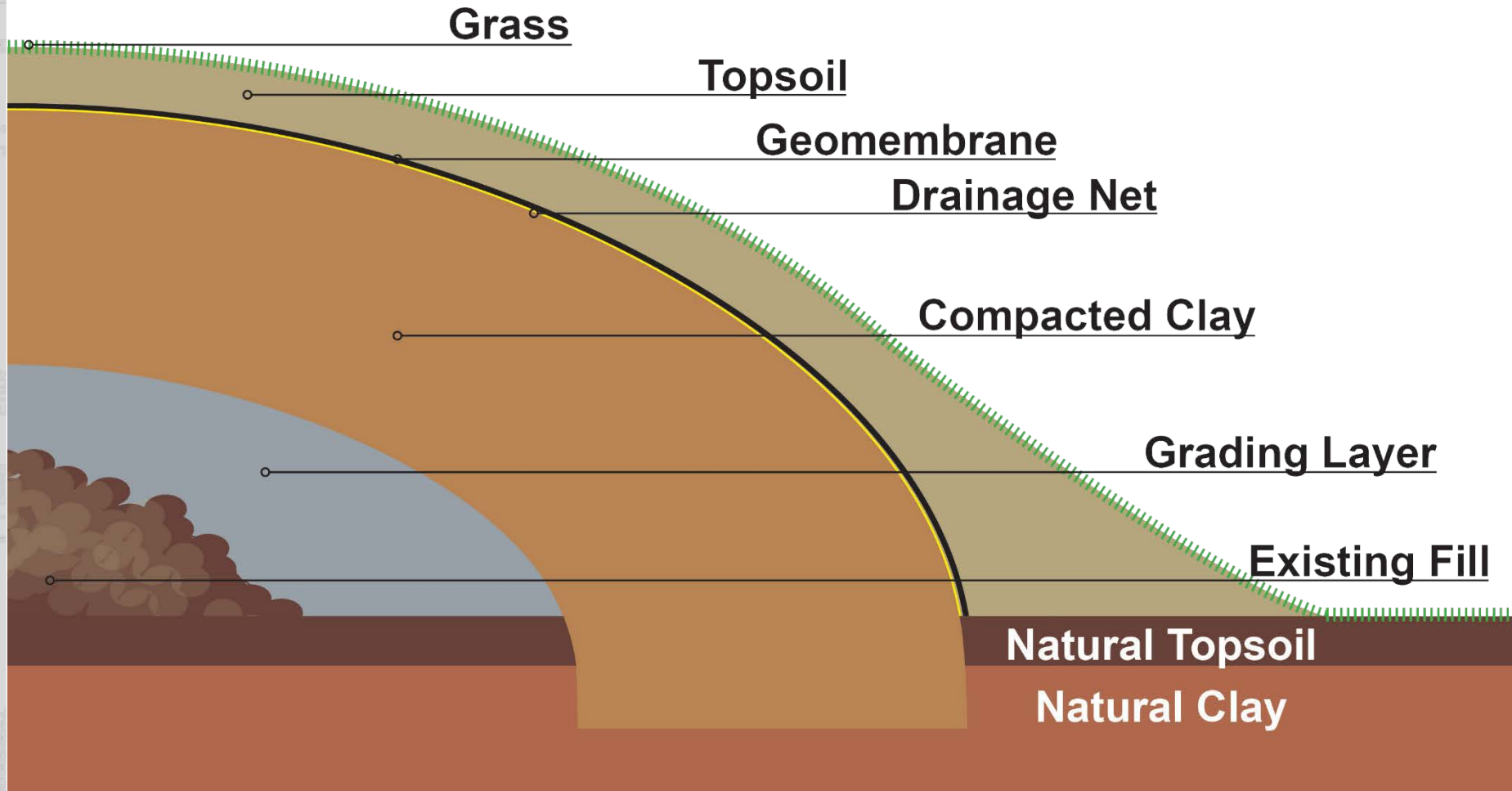
Moderate

Total Cost

\$3,000,000

ALTERNATIVE 3: LANDFILL CAP

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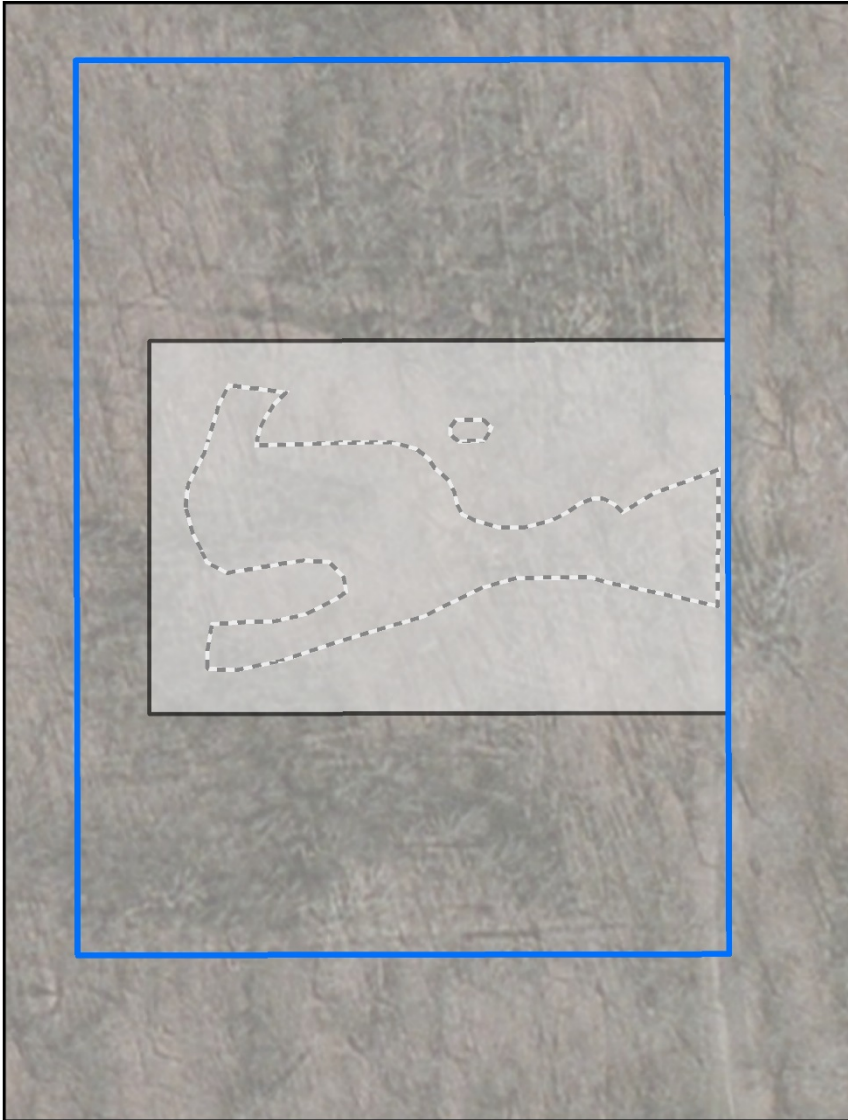
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ALTERNATIVE 3: LANDFILL CAP

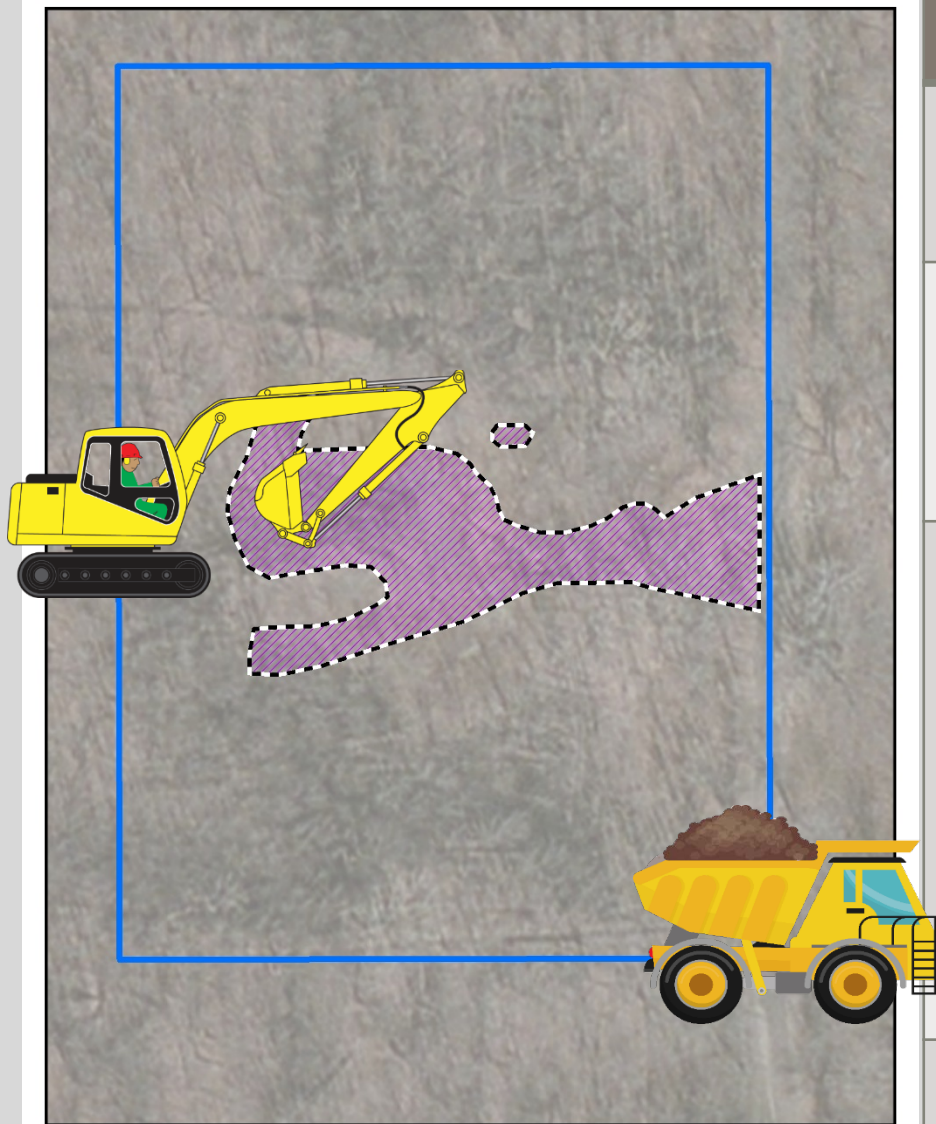


CERCLA Balancing Criteria

Short-Term Effectiveness	High
Long-Term Effectiveness and Permanence	Moderate
Reduction of Toxicity, Mobility, and Volume Through Treatment	Moderate
Implementability	Moderate
Total Cost	\$5,500,000

ALTERNATIVE 4: EXCAVATION AND OFF-SITE DISPOSAL

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CERCLA Balancing Criteria

Short-Term
Effectiveness

High

Long-Term
Effectiveness and
Permanence

High

Reduction of
Toxicity, Mobility,
and Volume
Through
Treatment

High

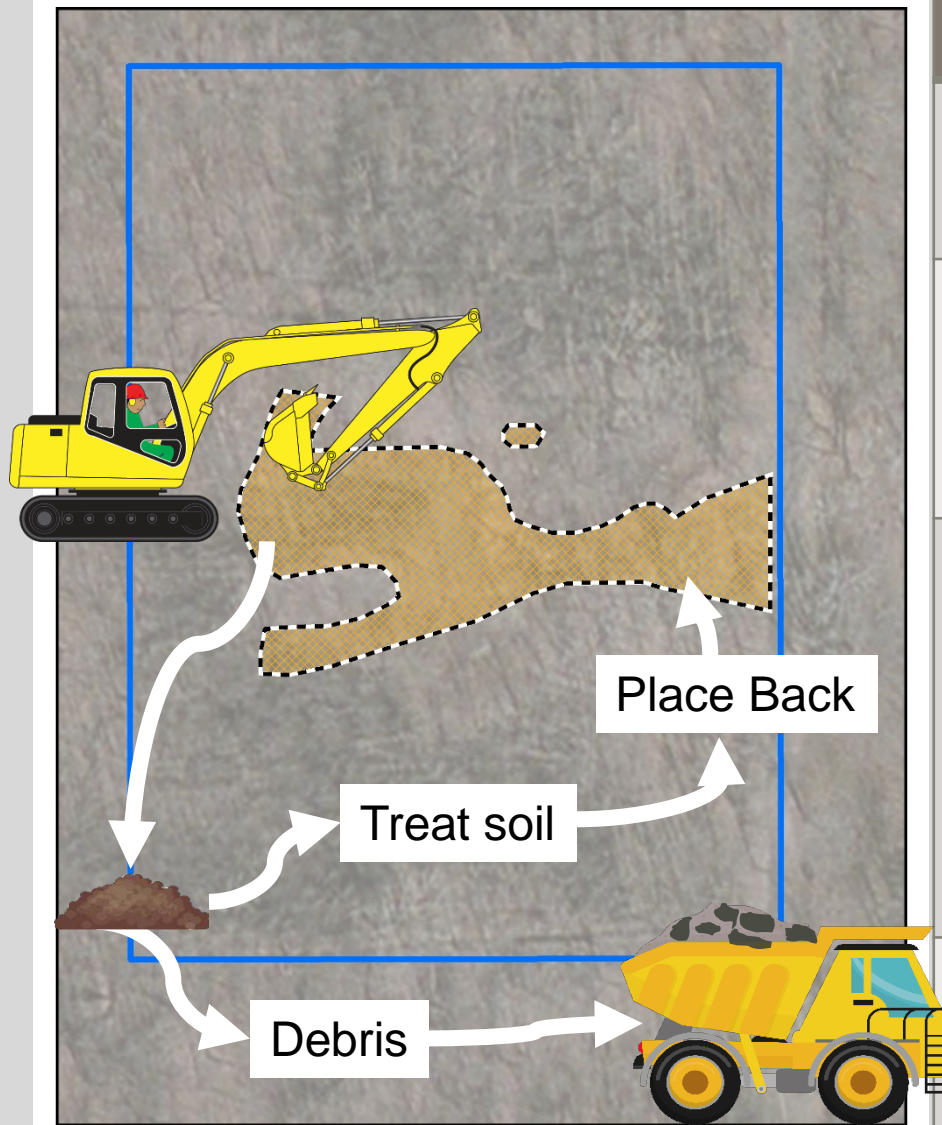
Implementability

High

Total Cost

\$846,000

ALTERNATIVE 5: IN SITU CHEMICAL REDUCTION/OXIDATION AND STABILIZATION



CERCLA Balancing Criteria

Short-Term
Effectiveness

High

Long-Term
Effectiveness and
Permanence

Moderate

Reduction of
Toxicity, Mobility,
and Volume
Through
Treatment

High

Implementability

Moderate

Total Cost

\$6,371,000

COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS

CERCLA Balancing Criteria	Alt 2: Land-Use Controls	Alt 3: Landfill Cap	Alt 4: Excavation and Off-Site Disposal	Alt 5: In Situ Chemical Reduction/Oxidation and Stabilization
Short-Term Effectiveness	High	High	High	High
Long-Term Effectiveness and Permanence	Low	Moderate	High	Moderate
Reduction of Toxicity, Mobility, or Volume Through Treatment	Low	Moderate	High	High
Implementability	Moderate	Moderate	High	Moderate
Total Cost	\$3,049,000	\$5,510,000	\$846,000	\$6,371,000

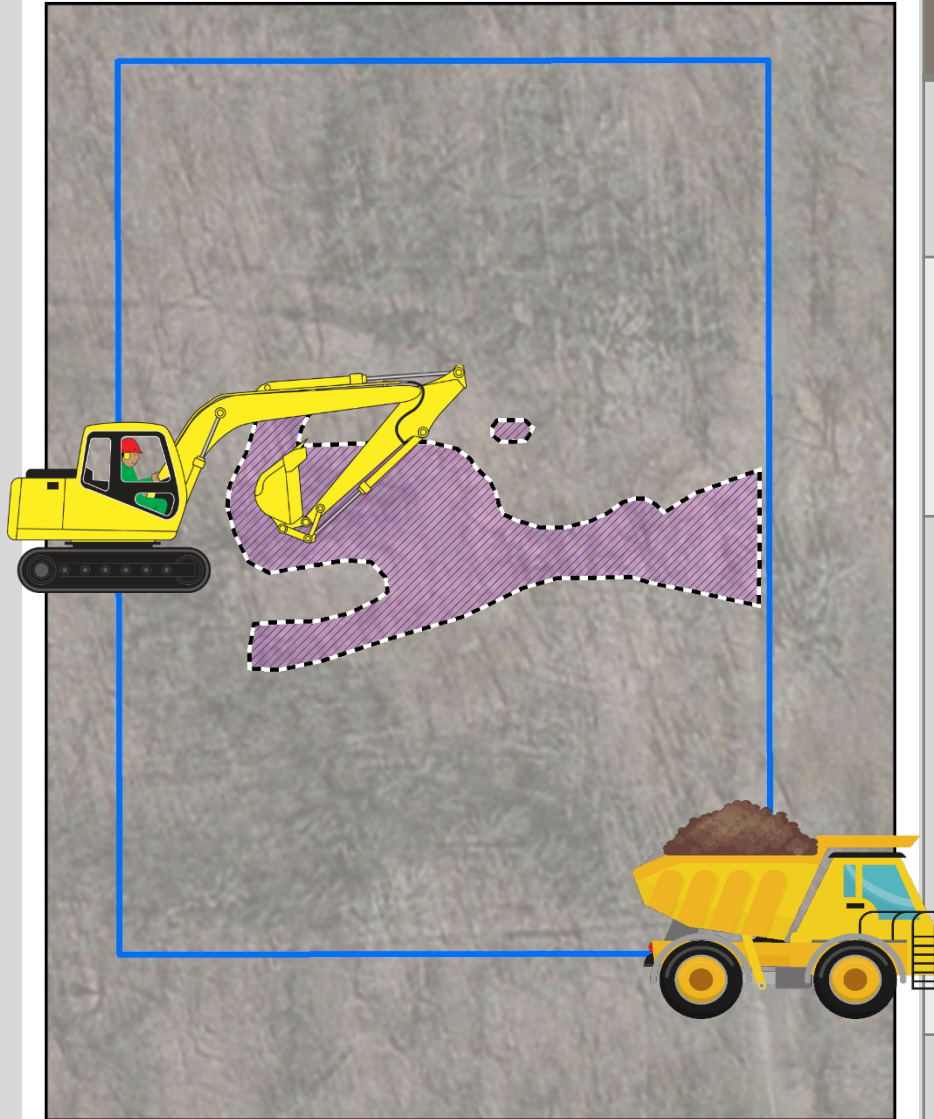


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PREFERRED ALTERNATIVE: ALTERNATIVE 4: EXCAVATION AND OFF-SITE DISPOSAL

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CERCLA Balancing Criteria

Short-Term Effectiveness	High
Long-Term Effectiveness and Permanence	High
Reduction of Toxicity, Mobility, and Volume Through Treatment	High
Implementability	High
Total Cost	\$846,000

OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION PROPERTY PATH FORWARD

- Public Comments
- Decision Document and Responsiveness Summary
- Remedial Design/Remedial Action
- Response Complete



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COMMENT PERIOD



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ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD LOCATIONS

Lewiston Public Library
305 South Eighth Street
Lewiston, New York 14092

Youngstown Free Library
240 Lockport Street
Youngstown, New York 14174

By Appointment:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
1776 Niagara Street
Buffalo, New York 14207
800-833-6390 (Option 4)

RESPONSES TO COMMENTS

- We will respond to oral and written comments on the proposed plan in the responsiveness summary of the record of decision.
- Your comments will become part of the official record and be placed in the administrative record.



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OPERATING PRINCIPLES FOR COMMENTING

- Stenographer will be recording proceedings.
- One person speaks at a time.
- Please use the microphone when speaking.
- State your name and affiliation.
- Speakers are limited to three minutes to allow everyone an opportunity to speak.
- Limit subject to the proposed plan.



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PROVIDE COMMENTS

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Written comments should be postmarked by February 7, 2017, and mailed to:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Buffalo District
Special Projects Branch
1776 Niagara Street
Buffalo, NY 14207-3199

or send an email by close of business February 7, 2017, to:

derpfuds@usace.army.mil

please include “Occidental Chemical Corporation Property Proposed Plan” in the subject line.



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FOR MORE INFORMATION

DERP-FUDS Questions

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By writing: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Buffalo District
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Environmental Project Management Team
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On the web:

www.lrb.usace.army.mil/Missions/HTRW/DERP-FUDS.aspx



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