Hello from the US Army Corps of Engineers Buffalo District,

Thank you to those that attended our meeting last week for the former Harshaw Chemical Company Site regarding the Proposed Plan for Investigative Area-06. It is important to note that this Proposed Plan makes a no-action recommendation in relation to FUSRAP-related materials only. Any contaminants that may be present in IA-06 that are not related to FUSRAP are not considered or addressed in this Proposed Plan. IA-06 is privately owned property; therefore, the Corps does not have control over what can or cannot be built there.

The presentation and the transcript from our meeting last week are available on our website at: http://www.lrb.usace.army.mil/fusrap/harshaw/#Documents.

The comment period for the Proposed Plan ends May 26, 2010. Your written comments can be emailed to fusrap@usace.army.mil by close of business on May 26, 2010, or by postal mail to the USACE FUSRAP Team, 1776 Niagara Street, Buffalo, New York 14207-3199 postmarked by May 26, 2010.

Also, if you would like additional information regarding the Energy Employee's Occupational Illness Compensation Program, please contact the Portsmouth Resource Center, 1200 Gay Street, Portsmouth, OH 45662, (740) 353-6933 or toll free (866) 363-6993 or by visiting the program's website at http://www.dol.gov/owcp/energy/.

Additional information regarding the Ohio and Erie Canal Towpath Trail is available at: http://www.ohiocanal.org and http://www.ohioeriecanal.org.