

7:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday thru Thursday. Pre-remediation activities will include removing trees, relocating fences, and constructing a temporary haul road on the east side of the properties at the Palm Drive cul-de-sac near St. Cin Park.

SAFETY IS ALWAYS A CONSIDERATION

For construction safety purposes, the work areas will be sectioned off with yellow and magenta rope, and “Restricted Area - Do Not Enter” signs will be posted. In addition, perimeter construction fences will be set up around the areas being remediated and the planned haul-road area. Flagmen will direct pedestrian and vehicle traffic in vicinity of the Palm Drive cul-de-sac and haul road when equipment is present.

Remediation will involve using standard construction equipment (excavators, dump trucks). Perimeter air monitors will be placed around the excavation sites to obtain sample data that is evaluated on a daily basis. Dust control measures (such as watering down the material for excavation) will be used. In addition, USACE follows specific safety procedures to segregate the area of excavation, placing warning signs and taking safety precautions to ensure contamination is not going offsite during transportation of the contaminated materials from the excavation.

YOU'RE INVITED

To learn more about the St. Louis FUSRAP, you can go to our website at <http://bit.ly/FUSRAPstl>. If you have any questions or concerns, you can call our Public Affairs at 314-331-8000 or email us at STLFUSRAP@usace.army.mil.

The public is invited to attend the public meeting at Hazelwood Civic Center East at 8969 Dunn Road on Thursday, February 16, 2017 at 6:30. More information will be given at that time, and you may share concerns and ask questions of the project team.

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FUSRAP PUBLIC MEETING

Status update with focus on
Palm Drive Properties,
including Chez Paree Apartments

Hazelwood Civic Center East
8969 Dunn Road

Thursday, Feb. 16,
from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Learn more about FUSRAP at
<http://bit.ly/FUSRAPstl>

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Environmental remediation involves use of standard construction equipment. Air monitors, shown in the foreground, collect samples for daily evaluation.

SOIL REMOVAL AT PALM DRIVE PROPERTIES

The Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) is an environmental remediation program that addresses radiological contamination generated by activities of the Manhattan Engineer District and Atomic Energy Commission during development of atomic weapons in the 1940s and 1950s.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) St. Louis District will start remedial activities (soil removal) in late March 2017 at the Palm Drive Properties. These properties include five residences located on Palm Drive, Chez Paree Apartments, and the Metropolitan Sewer District property adjacent to Coldwater Creek.

NO IMMEDIATE HEALTH RISKS

These areas contain low levels of radioactive contamination above current regulatory guidelines. However, none of them pose an immediate health risk to the public or environment in their current land uses.

The creek will not be re-contaminated because the sources of the contamination have been remediated by USACE. USACE performs long term environmental monitoring that includes twice-a-year sampling of Coldwater Creek water and sediment. The data show no evidence that additional contamination has been moving into the creek.

Remediation of the Palm Drive Properties will start in late March 2017 at the back areas of the Chez Paree Apartments and work south eastward. Working hours will be from



Palm Drive Properties and its cul-de-sac area require soil removal.



Similar remedial activities are taking place at Duchesne Park.



Coldwater Creek runs directly south along Palm Drive Properties.

