

South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control

Proposed Plan and Public Meeting

SCE&G Sumter MGP Site

131 Hauser Street, Sumter, South Carolina

July 2011

Summary

The South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) has evaluated cleanup options for groundwater and soil contamination at the SCE&G former Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) site in Sumter. A Proposed Plan has been written summarizing the cleanup options, including the one DHEC is recommending and the basis for the recommendation.

Detailed information about environmental investigations and activities at the site can be found in the Focused Feasibility Study and other files kept by DHEC. This information is known as the **Administrative Record**.

Next Steps

DHEC will hold a public meeting to discuss the site and cleanup options, answer questions and hear comments from interested citizens. Written comments on the Proposed Plan will be accepted through August 24, 2011.

DHEC will select a final cleanup option after review and consideration of all comments received. DHEC may modify its recommended option or select a different option based on new information or public comments. Comments on any or all of the cleanup options are encouraged.

Summary of DHEC's Recommended Cleanup Option (Alternative 5 of the Proposed Plan)

This option involves cleanup of the impacted groundwater using a combination of the following:

- Enhancing the natural breakdown process by injecting a compound into the ground to stimulate the breakdown of contaminants in the shallow zone.
- The deep zone will be chemically treated using a compound to chemically breakdown contaminants
- Groundwater monitoring.

Public Meeting

When: July 25, 2011

Where: Sumter County Library

111 North Harvin Street

Sumter, South Carolina

Time: 6:00PM - 7:30PM

After a brief presentation, DHEC staff will answer questions and listen to your comments.

Public Comment Period

Comments will be accepted on the Proposed Plan through **August 24, 2011.** Please submit written comments or questions to:

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Additional Information

See the Proposed Plan on DHEC's Website at:

www.dhec.sc.gov/environment/lwm/public notice.asp

The Administrative Record may be reviewed at the following locations:

Sumter County Library 111 North Harvin Street Sumter, South Carolina

DHEC Bureau of Land & Waste Management Freedom of Information Office 8911 Farrow Road - Columbia, SC Phone: (803) 898-3817

Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30a.m. - 5:00p.m.