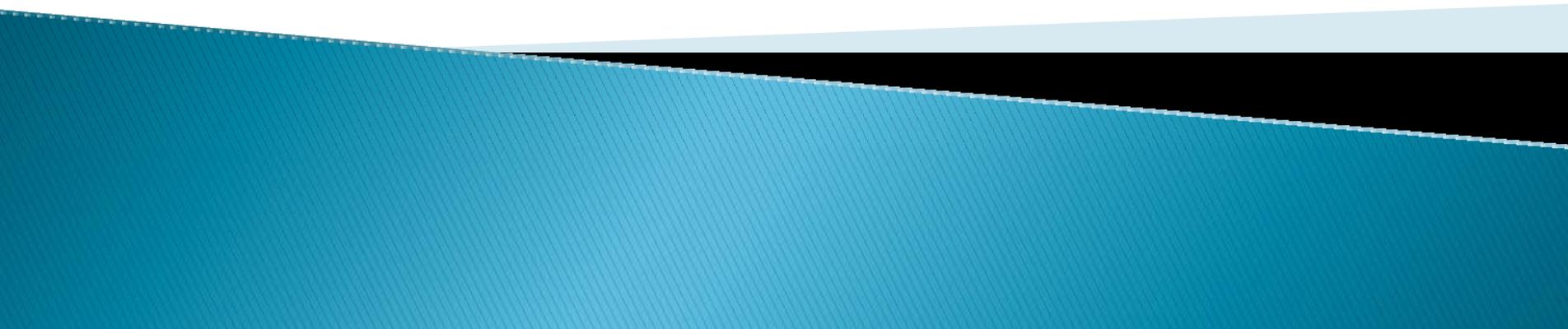


Paducah Environmental Information Center

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Environmental Information Center

- The Paducah Environmental Information Center (EIC) opened in 1993 to provide area residents a convenient way to participate in and learn more about the Paducah Gaseous Diffusion Plant (PGDP) Environmental Restoration program.
- EIC visitors have been primarily DOE contractors, potential DOE contractors, or attorneys/legal representatives involved in PGDP litigation issues or research.

Document Types in the EIC

Administrative Record

- The EIC houses the Administrative Record (AR), Post Decision (PD), and General Reference Compendium (GRC) documents. It is administered under the guidelines of Section 113(k) *Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA)* and EPA's *Revised Guidance on Compiling Administrative Records for CERCLA Response Actions*.

... *“the administrative record file shall also be made available for public inspection at or near the site at issue.”*

Administrative Record File

- Some examples of documents that may comprise the Administrative Record File:
 - FFA Primary and Secondary Documents
 - EPA/KDEP/DOE Signature Correspondence
 - Preliminary Assessment Reports
 - Action Memorandums
 - Site Investigation Reports
 - Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Work Plans
 - Sampling and Analysis Plans
 - Technical Studies
 - Fact Sheets
 - Engineering Evaluation/Cost Analysis (EE/CA)
 - Public Notices
 - Public Comments
 - Community Relations Plan
 - Feasibility Studies
 - Records of Decision (ROD)

Post Decision File

- The Post Decision File may include:
 - Documents relevant to the response selection, but generated or received after the decision document is signed
 - EPA/KDEP/DOE Signature Correspondence
 - Post-Construction Reports
 - Post Record of Decision Modifications
 - Public Comments
 - Public Notices

Administrative Record/ Post Decision Index

- An AR/PD index is distributed monthly and quarterly to the AR Coordinator and the EIC and uploaded to the EIC website. The AR Coordinator forwards the index to DOE, the applicable contractor staff, Project Managers, and the McCracken County Library.

General Reference Compendium (GRC)

- The GRC documents are documents that do not meet the CERCLA guidelines for the Administrative Record, but are deemed to be of interest to the public regarding the PGDP environmental restoration.
- GRC examples include Site Management Plans, SWMU Reports, PCB Annual Reports, Annual Site Environmental Reports, and Discharge Monitoring Reports

EIC Website

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PADUCAH ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION CENTER

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ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD AND POST DECISION FILE

Each Administrative Record (AR) and Post Decision (PD) File must be indexed. This index enables easier identification and location of documents in the record file and provides DOE and Swift & Staley Mechanical Contractors, Inc. a degree of control over the AR and PD documents.

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GENERAL REFERENCE COMPENDIUM

In addition to the Administrative Record (AR), the Environmental Information Center also stores guidance and policy documents, referred to as the General Reference Compendium (GRC) documents.

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ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD - POST DECISION INDEX LIST

The Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liabilities Act (CERCLA) requires that an Administrative Record (AR) of the documents that form the basis for selection of a response action at a site be made available to the public.

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EIC Website Facts

- Since July, the website has averaged 160 visitors per week.
- During the previous 18 months, the EIC Office had four visitors and 15 document requests.

EIC Website Facts

- Google and other search sites are in the process of indexing the EIC's documents. This means they will begin to show up as results in Google searches with direct links to the documents.
- Most popular document searched to-date:
SAFETY ANALYSIS REPORT (SAR) VOLUME 1 AND VOLUME 2: Chapter 6, Prevention of Inadvertent Criticality

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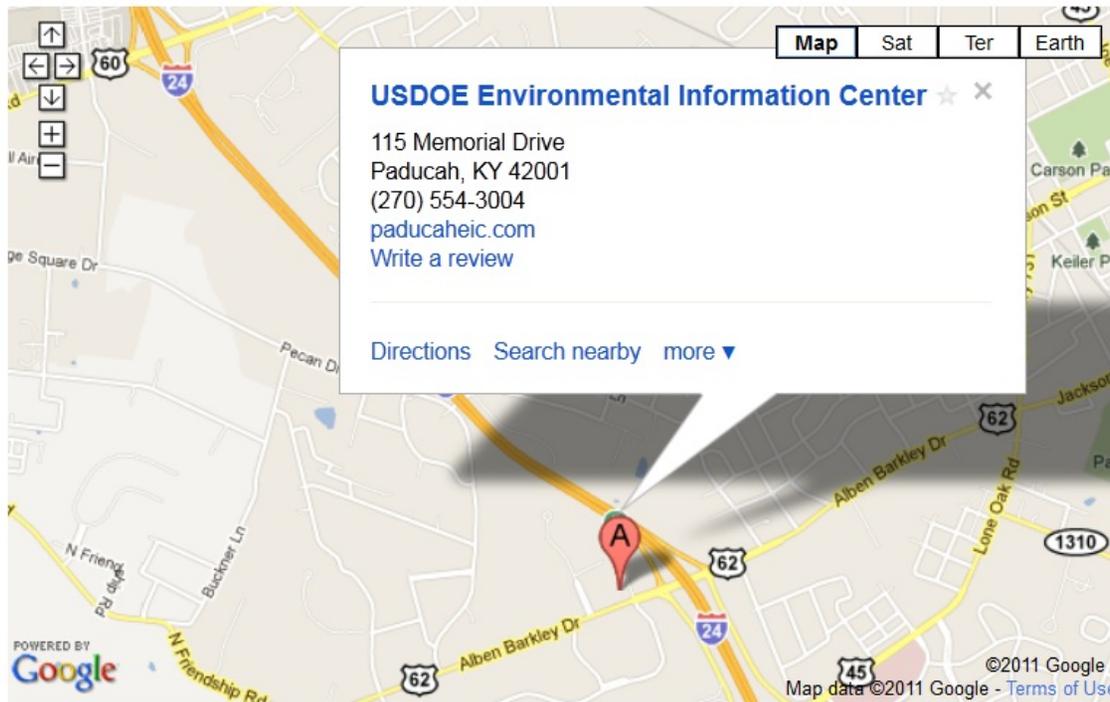
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