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Cleanup Remedy Selected for Site in Caddo County

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) have selected a cleanup remedy for contaminated soil, contaminated sediment, surficial asphaltic waste, and light non-aqueous phase liquid (LNAPL) located in the area of the Oklahoma Refining Company (ORC) site, referred to as ORC North, Caddo County, Cyril, Oklahoma. The selected remedy for the cleanup of the site is described in the Operable Unit 2 Record of Decision (ROD). The Operable Unit 2 ROD was issued by EPA June 17, 2013. The Operable Unit 2 ROD and other site documents can be found at the Anadarko Public Library and the DEQ Oklahoma City Office. It can also be found on the DEQ website at http://www.deq.state.ok.us/.

The remedy includes:

- The excavation and disposal in the on-site hazardous waste landfill of contaminated soil, contaminated sediment, and surficial asphaltic waste.
- Recovery of LNAPL, off-site disposal of LNAPL, and monitoring of LNAPL thickness.
- Engineering controls, such as warning signs and fences to limit access to impacted areas.
- Institutional controls, such as deed notices, which will help to ensure the appropriate reuse of the site.

For questions or further information about the Operable Unit 2 ROD, contact Amber Brawdy with DEQ at (405) 702-5133. For press inquiries, please contact Skylar McElhaney at (405) 702-7167.

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