

PUBLIC NOTICE
PROPOSED CONDITIONAL REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN APPROVAL FOR
FORMER DUPONT FLINT AUTOMOTIVE FACILITY
SITE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER MID 005 512 066

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Waste and Hazardous Materials Division (WHMD), hereby gives notice of its intent to issue a conditional approval for a Remedial Action Plan (RAP) to E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company (DuPont) for its facility located 1555 James P. Cole Boulevard in Flint, Michigan (Facility). DuPont and the DEQ entered into a Voluntary Corrective Action Agreement (VCAA) to complete corrective actions at the Facility on December 19, 2003, pursuant to Part 111, Hazardous Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451), and the federal Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976 (RCRA). The VCAA includes submitting a RAP that specifies final remedial actions for releases of hazardous wastes, hazardous constituents, and hazardous substances at or from the Facility. The DEQ hereby gives notice that on July 22, 2005, a RAP was received from the Facility. The RAP was revised January 30, 2006, April 8, 2008, and October 3, 2008. The DEQ believes the revised RAP is conditionally acceptable pursuant to Part 111 of Act 451 to protect human health and the environment.

DuPont stored ignitable, corrosive, toxic, and spent solvent hazardous wastes from the automotive industry in above ground tanks and in containers at the Facility. The hazardous waste management units were certified closed on March 8, 1996. A RCRA Facility Assessment (RFA) was completed at the Facility on April 27, 1989, and found seven solid waste management units (SWMUs) subject to corrective action. The MDEQ inspected the Facility on March 26, 1996, and reviewed its files regarding the Facility on April 11, 1996 to verify the information provided in the RFA. Based on this review 10 additional SWMUs and three Areas of Concern were identified. Releases of contamination from some SWMUs were found in soils and groundwater.

The DEQ feels it has completed a thorough review of the Facility and RAP; however, the DEQ invites public comment on the proposed conditional approval of the RAP. The public comment period begins January 30, 2009, and ends February 28, 2009. No public hearing is currently scheduled for the proposed conditional approval; however, a request for a public hearing can be made during the public comment period. Any requests for a hearing must be made in writing, and state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised at the hearing. Significant comments made during the public comment period, and if requested at the public hearing, will be evaluated in making the final decision regarding the proposed conditional approval. Information regarding the final decision will be communicated to all persons whom submit written comments or are on the Facility mailing list.

The administrative record for the Facility, including a copy of the RAP, may be reviewed at the DEQ, Waste and Hazardous Materials Division, Constitution Hall, Atrium North, 525 West Allegan St., Lansing, Michigan (contact Mr. Dan Dailey at 517-335-6610). In addition, copies of the RAP and related documents are available at the Flint Public Library, 1026 E. Kearsley St., Flint, Michigan 48502, (contact Nyama Marsh during regular library hours at 810-232-7111). Comments and requests regarding the Facility and requests to be placed on the Facility mailing list, should be sent to Mr. Dailey at P.O. Box 30241 Lansing, Michigan 48909-7741. Written comments concerning the Facility should include the name and address of the author, a concise statement of the basis for the comments, and the supporting facts upon which the comments are based. Written comments must be postmarked no later than February 28, 2009.