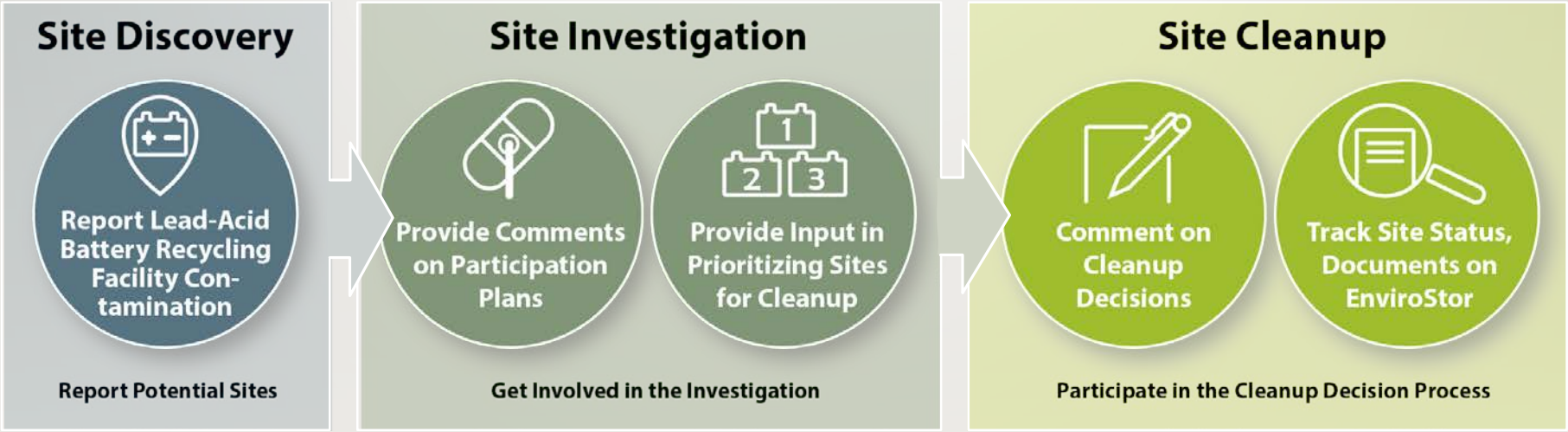
The Department of Toxic Substances Control

presents

Lead-Acid Battery Recycling Facility Investigation and Cleanup Program Public Involvement Workshop



Today's Agenda

- Introduction and purpose of Workshop…….. *Rich Hume and Veronica Villasenor, DTSC*
- US EPA Presentation……... *Sharon Bowen, U.S. EPA*
- Healthy Homes Resources ……..…. *Soni Johnson, Alameda County*
- Site Discovery……... *Steve Ross, DTSC*
- Community Involvement Framework…….. *Tamara Zielinski, DTSC*
- **BREAK**
- **Framework Discussion Questions and Responses**

US EPA and DTSC Working Together to Protect Communities

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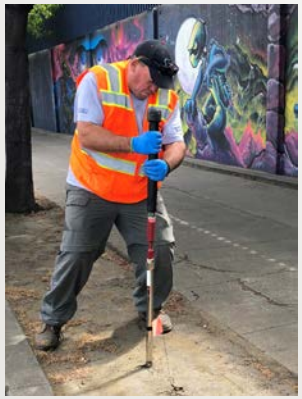
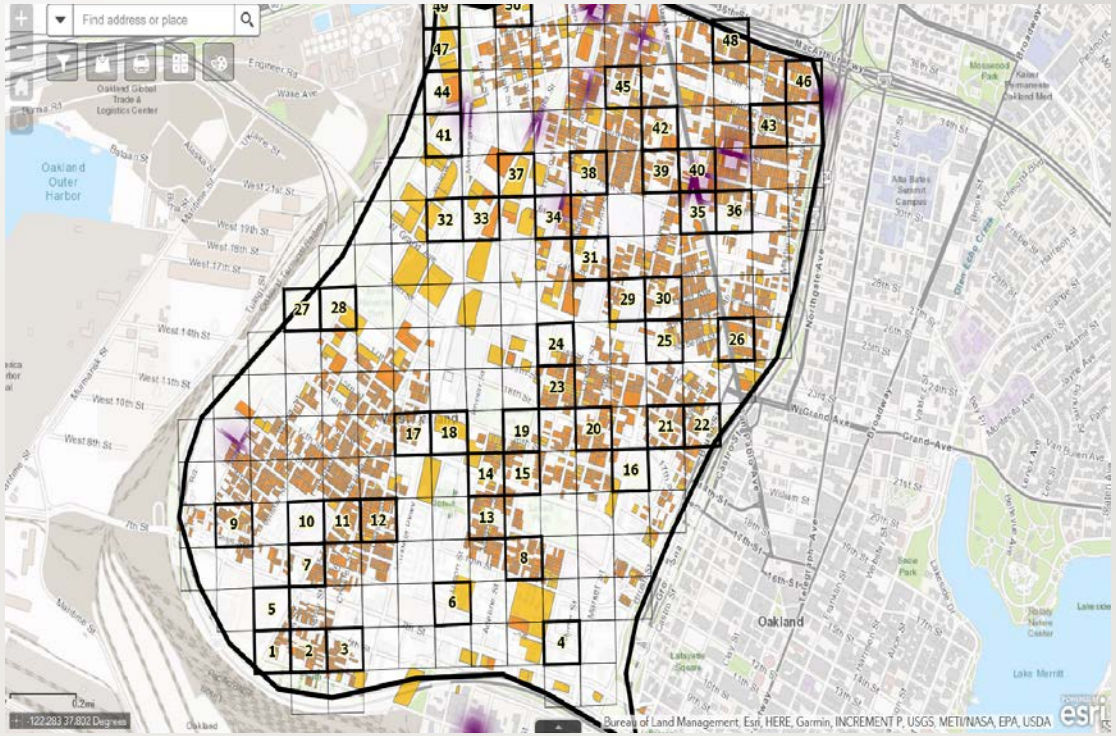
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

West Oakland:

Bercovich Former Smelter Residential Yard Cleanup and Urban Metals Study





ALAMEDA COUNTY

Healthy Homes Department

Partnering with Alameda County to Reduce Lead Exposures

Child Safety

Housing Safety

Worker Safety

Child Blood Lead Test Info

Find out more at the CDC website.

Grants for Lead Hazard Repair Work

Find out more and apply here.

Grants to Fix Your Home

Find out more and sign up here.

DTSC and US EPA Working at One of 39 Potential Historical Smelter Sites

Community Involvement Framework

Site Discovery

Report Potential Sites

DTSC has identified a number of potential lead-acid battery recycling facilities, or lead smelter facilities which may have received lead-acid batteries. DTSC is seeking the public's input on these sites or any other potential lead-acid battery recycling facilities, past or present, that may have contaminated areas of the state for further evaluation.

Site Investigation

Get Involved in the Investigation

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Site Cleanup

Participate in the Cleanup Decision Process

DTSC is interested in local community and public involvement in the cleanup decision making process by providing opportunities to provide comments on the removal action plans and associated California Environ-mental Quality Act documents. To increase transparency in the cleanup process DTSC is requesting interested individuals subscribe for updates regarding community activities, documents for review, and status for sites in your community on DTSC's EnviroStor Webpage www.EnviroStor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/

Framework Discussions

Question 1 – Site Discovery
How can we enhance the way we inform you about the Discovery of Lead-Acid Battery Recycling Facilities?

Question 2 - Site Investigation
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Question 3 – Site Cleanup
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ECKEL#	Name	City Name
449	Bercovich, A., Co. a/k/a Sunset Smelting and Refining Co.	Oakland
173	Smelter Supply Co. A/k/a C and S Battery and Lead Co.	W Sacramento
164	Berg Metals Corp.	Los Angeles
NA	Western Lead Products	Commerce
170	Electric Smelting Co.	San Francisco
437	Cook Metal Co.	Culver city
438	Kramer, H. and Co.	El Segundo
441	J. Chersky and Sons a/k/a Universal Smelting and Refining Co.	Inglewood
443	California By-Products	Los Angeles
446	California Smelting and Refining Co.	Los Angeles
447	Electric Babbitt Metals a/k/a Los Angeles Smelting Co.	Los Angeles
451	Berg Metals Corp. [found by FOIA]	San Francisco
452	Bondrat Metals Corp.	San Francisco
454	Finn, John, Metal Works	San Francisco
455	Gollan Type Metal Co.	San Francisco
456	Magnolia Metal Co.	San Francisco
460	United American Metals Corp. of California	San Francisco
165	Electric Babbitt Metals.a/k/a Los Angeles Smelting Co.	Los Angeles

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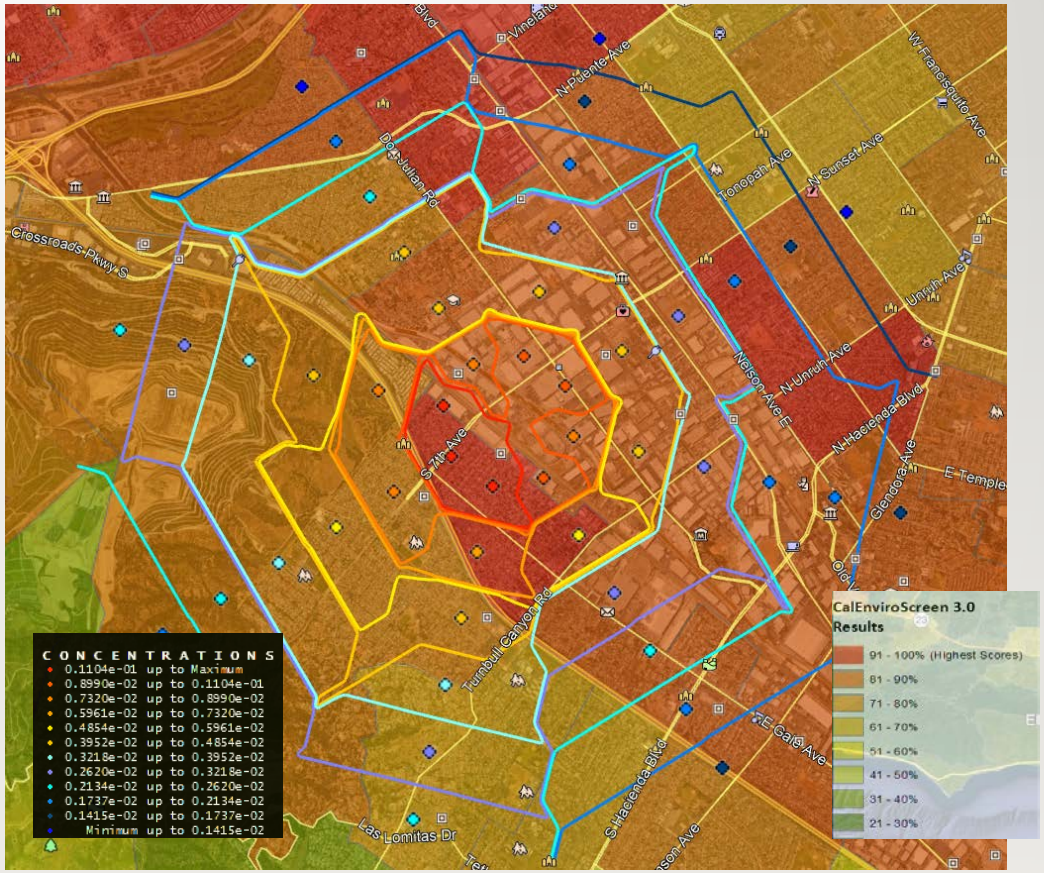

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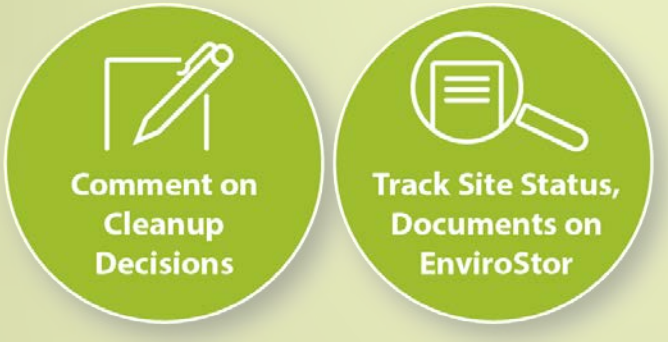

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Community Involvement Framework Summary

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