

Targeted Brownfield Assessments

Using funding provided by U.S. EPA and the state budget, Ohio EPA uses both private contractors and its own in-house field staff to provide environmental services at brownfield sites to encourage brownfield redevelopment in Ohio's communities.

Ohio EPA pays all costs directly and oversees its contractors, freeing up local resources for other important job duties.





Free Services to Local Governments

- Phase 1 property assessments to identify areas where contamination may exist and further investigation is recommended.
- Certified asbestos inspections by accredited asbestos hazard evaluation specialists to determine the extent of hazardous asbestos-containing materials on-site.
- Phase 2 property assessments including screening evaluations; supplemental investigations to assist with ongoing investigations funded through other sources; and ecological stream surveys to evaluate impacts to adjacent waterways.

A short application, letter of request from the local government and signed access agreement are all that are needed to get started.

The local government is not required to own the property to be eligible for services. Grants are non-competitive and sites are funded as they come to Ohio EPA. Federal funds are renewed in October and State funds in July.

For more information and application materials
epa.ohio.gov/derr/sabr/grant_assistance