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**Ohio EPA Approves Hilton Davis Cleanup Plan**  
*Additional work will ensure property clean to industrial standards*

After reviewing plans and taking into consideration public comments, Ohio EPA has approved a plan for the Hilton Davis property, 2235 Langdon Farm Road, Cincinnati, to be cleaned up to acceptable industrial standards.

The plan, known as a Decision Document for Final Corrective Action, outlines the solutions regarding how contamination at the site will be addressed.

The Hilton Davis site has a long history of use as an industrial property. Decades ago, when environmental laws were not as stringent as they are today, the property's owners disposed of industrial chemicals on site – in ponds, trenches and a ravine. In 1986, an agreement was finalized in the Hamilton County Court of Common Pleas which required the company to close its lagoons and address contamination on site.

The lagoons were closed and contaminated soil was removed. The Decision Document for Final Corrective Action addresses how the company NPEC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Kodak, will address the remaining contamination on the property consistent with the court agreement.

The Decision Document for Final Corrective Action and supporting documents, which include Agency responses to specific comments and recommendations provided during the public comment period, may be reviewed at: the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County, 1703 Dale Road, Cincinnati; Ohio EPA, Southwest District Office, 401 E. Fifth St., Dayton, by first calling (937) 285-6357; or Ohio EPA Division of Hazardous Waste Management, 50 W. Town St., Suite 700, Columbus, by first calling (614) 644-2917.

Director's final actions can be appealed to the Ohio Environmental Review Appeals Commission (ERAC). Appeals often must be filed within 30 days of issuing the final action; therefore, Ohio EPA recommends that anyone wishing to file an appeal contact ERAC at (614) 466-8950 or [www.erac.ohio.gov](http://www.erac.ohio.gov) for more information.

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