

Focused Soil Excavations Utica, NY Former Lockheed Martin French Road Facility

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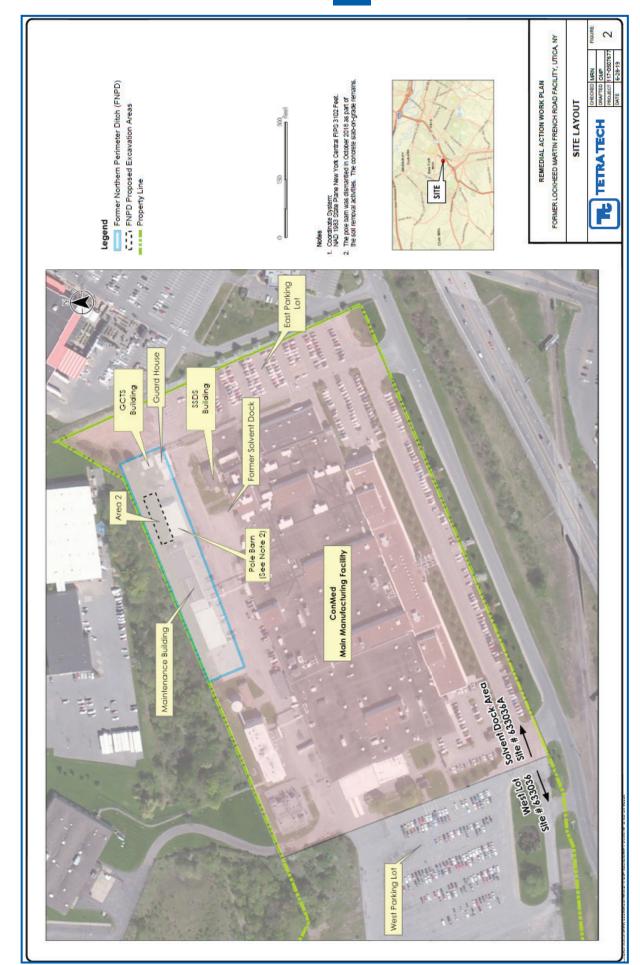
Beginning in late September, contractors for Lockheed Martin will begin focused soil excavations on the northern portion of the ConMed property (graphic on page 2). The soil is contaminated with chlorinated solvents from previous operations at the site. The contaminated soil will be transported to the Oneida-Herkimer Soil Waste Authority landfill in Ava, New York and to the US Ecology disposal facility in Belleville, Michigan. The excavations will be backfilled with clean soil.

The excavations will range from 10- to 15-feet deep. Some soil will be stockpiled for additional characterization prior to disposal while some soil has already been fully characterized and will be loaded directly into dump trucks to be taken offsite. Soil that is stockpiled will be stored on the western portion of the property prior to disposal. Any groundwater that collects within the excavations will be piped to an above ground holding tank and then piped for treatment through the existing onsite groundwater collection and treatment system operated by Lockheed Martin. All excavations will be protected by well-marked construction fencing. ConMed employees should avoid approaching the constructions areas.

After the soil has been excavated, Lockheed Martin anticipates no further action will be required by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) regarding site soil remediation

Lockheed Martin retains the responsibility for implementing the environmental remediation at the site as a result of releases of hazardous materials during General Electric's occupation at the site. The NYSDEC and New York State Department of Health are overseeing the remediation work.

For further information, contact the ConMed office of Health and Safety (Waill Ayoub) at 1-315-624-3197 or Lockheed Martin at 1-800-449-4486. Fact sheets and more information on the site's remediation work can be found at www.lockheedmartin.com/utica.



Excavation in 2019 will occur in Area 2 shown in the black hatched area above

