## EPA Community Update Hercules Inc. Site November 2022

The Environmental Protection Agency continues to work towards improving the Hercules Inc. Site. The demolition of above ground tanks and unused piping near Providence Street is currently being planned, pending the results of environmental studies specific to these onsite structures. These actions are to address community concerns regarding the appearance of the Site.

EPA continues to review, evaluate, and prepare responses to all comments before deciding whether to proceed with listing the Hercules Inc. Site to the National Priorities List (NPL). Responses to comments will be released at the same time to the public. If the Agency places Hercules Inc. on the NPL, all comments received during the listing process will be responded to in a Response to Comments Support Document, which will be available online at the time of listing.

EPA continues to connect community residents to the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR). Should you have health concerns, please contact Sue Casteel, ATSDR Community Engagement and Health Education, at <a href="mailto:SCasteel@cdc.gov">SCasteel@cdc.gov</a>, or Leann Bing, ATSDR Environmental Health Scientist, at <a href="mailto:KBing@cdc.gov">KBing@cdc.gov</a>.

If you have community involvement questions, or if you know someone who would like to be included on our mailing distribution list, please feel free to contact EPA Community Involvement Coordinator, Marjorie Thomas, at Thomas.Marjorie@epa.gov. For technical questions regarding the Hercules Inc. Site, please contact the EPA Remedial Project Manager, Diedre Lloyd, at Lloyd.Diedre@epa.gov.

EPA's webpage dedicated to Hercules Inc. (with community updates, site-related documents, and specific contact information) can be accessed at www.epa.gov/superfund/hercules-inc.

