

**NOTICE OF 60-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
MILLER VALLEY ROAD AND HILLSIDE AVENUE
WATER QUALITY ASSURANCE REVOLVING FUND (WQARF) SITE
DRAFT REMEDIAL INVESTIGATION (RI) REPORT
SOLICITATION OF REMEDIAL OBJECTIVES (RO)**

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has released the draft remedial investigation (RI) report for the Miller Valley Road and Hillside Avenue Water Quality Assurance Revolving Fund (WQARF) site in Prescott, Arizona [Arizona Administrative Code R18-16-404 (c)(1)(b)]. An RI is conducted to document the nature and extent of the contamination and the sources thereof; identify current and potential impacts to public health, welfare, and the environment; identify current and reasonably foreseeable uses of land and waters of the state; and obtain and evaluate any other information necessary for identification and comparison of alternative remedial actions. Proposed remedial objectives (RO) are solicited from the public and are the clean-up goals determined for a specific site and consider the current and reasonably foreseeable future uses of land and waters of the state.

The Miller Valley Road and Hillside Avenue WQARF site consists of a contaminated groundwater plume located in Prescott. The plume is bounded approximately by the Merritt Avenue alignment to the north, Miller Creek to the south, Division Street to the east, and Valley Street/Miller Creek to the west. Contaminants of concern at the site are tetrachloroethene and trichloroethene.

The draft RI report is available for review online at: <http://www.azdeq.gov/node/2289>, and at the ADEQ Records Center, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, (602) 771-4380, or (800) 234-5677, ext. 6027714380; please call for hours of operation and to schedule an appointment.

PARTIES WISHING TO SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS regarding the draft RI report for the Miller Valley Road and Hillside Avenue site may do so to ADEQ, Attention: Hazel Cox, 400 W. Congress St., Ste. 433, Tucson, AZ 85701, or via email at cox.hazel@azdeq.gov and reference this listing. **Additionally, a public meeting will be held on Thursday, January 9th 2020 starting at 5:30p.m.**, at the Prescott Public Library, Founders Suite B at 215 E. Goodwin St., Prescott, AZ 86303, during which, all interested parties will be given an opportunity to comment on the draft RI report and provide input on the RO. All comments received will be compiled in a responsiveness summary to be included in the final RI report. **Comments must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. on Friday, January 17th 2020.**

Dated this 18th day of November, 2019
Hazel Cox, ADEQ Project Manager

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