

**NOTICE OF EXTENDED COMMENT PERIOD  
KLONDYKE TAILINGS PROJECT  
WATER QUALITY ASSURANCE REVOLVING FUND (WQARF) SITE  
PROPOSED REMEDIAL ACTION PLAN (PRAP)**

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) is extending the public comment period for the Klondyke Tailings Project Water Quality Assurance Revolving Fund (WQARF) site proposed remedial action plan (PRAP), located in Graham County, Arizona, until September 12, 2017 [Arizona Administrative Code R18-16-408(C)]. The PRAP documents the results of the remedial investigation/feasibility study (RI/FS) and identifies the proposed remedy and its estimated costs.

The Klondyke Tailings Project WQARF site consists of surficial soil contamination located in Graham County. The site is two miles north of the town of Klondyke in Section 6, Township 7 South, Range 20 East with boundaries defined by the extent of soil contamination above the residential soil remediation level (SRL) for lead of 400 milligrams per kilogram (mg/kg). The site boundary is irregular and includes property containing tailings piles and several surrounding properties. Contaminants of concern at the site are antimony, arsenic, cadmium, copper, lead, manganese, mercury and zinc.

The proposed remedy for the site is as follows: In-place capping of existing tailings piles within engineered repositories with a contingency of in-place capping of impacted soils to protect future land use.

The PRAP and RI/FS reports are available for review online at: <http://www.azdeq.gov/klondyke-tailings-project-repository> 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 PRAP for the Klondyke Tailings Project site may do so to ADEQ, Attention: Kyle Johnson, Waste Programs Division, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, AZ 85007 or [johnson.kyle@azdeq.gov](mailto:johnson.kyle@azdeq.gov) and reference this listing. All comments received will be compiled in a responsiveness summary to be included in the record of decision for the site. **Comments must be postmarked by Tuesday, September 12, 2017.**

Dated this 15 day of July, 2017  
Kyle Johnson, ADEQ Project Manager

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