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Get the latest news on our cleanup project below!

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Timber!

This week, the old water tower at the site of the former mental health center finally came down! It's a sign of big progress in this long-awaited clean-up effort and caps a month of activity moving forward as we near the end of demolition work on site.

Earlier this month, the old powerhouse on the property – near the water tower – was also demolished and demolition continued for over 5,600 linear feet of tunnels throughout the 280-acre site.

Our contractor, Brandenburg Industrial Service Co., continues to work diligently to complete Phase Two of cleanup, and we anticipate completing this phase in the coming months.

Asbestos air monitoring and demolition dust monitoring continues to be performed on site by contractor True North Consultants, and this monitoring will continue throughout the duration of cleanup to ensure the safety of the surrounding community.



Last Phase

As Phase Two of work moves along quickly, our expert team has also begun the last phase of this extensive environmental cleanup. This phase of the process consists of our experts working closely with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency to prepare the property to be approved for redevelopment, including any additional environmental testing that is necessary for IEPA to give it the stamp of approval to move forward with redeveloping the site.

All phases of this project are being paid for entirely by state grant funding, ensuring that a safe and thorough cleanup is complete without asking our community to foot the bill!



Learn more about the cleanup through our community-driven Remediate 280 Committee that convenes monthly to discuss the state-funded cleanup in more detail. Find the schedule on our [website](#).

You can also find a helpful guide of frequently asked questions about the clean-up work on [our website](#).



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