

# Pompton Lakes Community Advisory Group

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## **Resolution #009 of Pompton Lakes Community Advisory Group, Pompton Lakes, New Jersey**

**WHEREAS**, the residents have formed the Pompton Lakes Community Advisory Group (CAG) to understand the cleanup process, advise the federal and state agencies, disseminate information to the public, and let their voices be heard; and

**WHEREAS**, there is a 570-acre known contaminated site, Pompton Lakes DuPont Works Site, located at 2000 Cannonball Road in Pompton Lakes, New Jersey; and

**WHEREAS**, the residents of Pompton Lakes have suffered for decades from exposure to toxic chemicals and poisonous gases from the legacy of manufacturing lead azide, aluminum, bronze shelled blasting caps, aluminum and copper shells, and unknown chemical and munitions hazards; and

**WHEREAS**, Pompton Lakes has a known groundwater contamination and vapor intrusion issue this includes, but is not limited to the plume of approximately 450 homes; and

**WHEREAS**, The Pompton Lakes CAG and the residents still have many concerns and unanswered questions regarding the projected cleanup timeline; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Pompton Lakes Community Advisory Group (PLCAG) respectfully requests that the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) provide a monthly update newsletter, both electronically and hard copy, to the residents of Pompton Lakes that explains any investigation or remediation work performed at the DuPont Works site and in the surrounding community. This would include, but is not limited to, updates on the vapor mitigation systems, Acid brook cleanup, site sampling, water quality studies, and permit applications or modifications. This would assure that USEPA is keeping the community updated between their scheduled public meetings and sessions. The community will also become prepared with questions and comments prior to attending the USEPA meetings.

***This resolution was adopted by the Pompton Lakes Community Advisory Group on August 21, 2012.***