Remediation Standards and Clean Fill

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- Site Remediation Standards formally adopted May 17, 2021.
- For SRP Cases, sites/AOCs may be remediated with the previous remediation standards if the site/AOC has a DEP approved RAWP or an LSRP certified RAWP or will be submitted to the DEP by November 17, 2021.
- Exception: Any newly adopted standard that is more stringent by an order of magnitude or more compared to previous standard must be used to achieve compliance with new standard.
- Soil stockpiled at site/AOC that meets the above can be used as clean fill.
- IF there is no DEP approved RAWP or LSRP certified RAWP submitted by November 17, 2021, then the site/AOC must be remediated using the newly adopted standards.
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- If stockpiled dirt cannot meet the new soil remediation standards, it’s not clean fill, and the alternative fill requirements in the Tech Rule and the Fill Guidance apply.
- Regulatory timeframe to complete Remedial Action is tied to Tech Rule/ARRCS for those sites allowed to use the previous standards.