

New BIR Inspection and Review Process

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- http://www.nj.gov/dep/srp/srra/listserv_archives/2014/2 0140910_srra.html
- The goal of SRRA is to increase the pace of remediation, thus helping decrease the threat of contamination to public health, safety and the environment, and to quickly return underutilized properties to productive use
- The listserv message dated September 10, 2014 outlines the most proactive implementation of SRRA with respect to providing the LSRP the ability to proceed with the remediation without Department intervention



SRRA's Measure of Success

 As of the last EPA UST report, New Jersey contributed 10% to the total cleanup in the country! SRRA is succeeding.





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 In order to continue with this success, we have to continue to evaluate our process and make changes as necessary

 The New BIR Inspection and Review process was developed developed by the BIR committee with input from BIR Staff





Highlights of Process Change

- RAOs are a priority for inspection and review
- Receptor evaluation triggers detailed inspection and/or a review
- Pre-approvals will continue
- Timely inspection of all non-RAO submittals will take place but reviews of those submittals if warranted will be deferred until the RAO is filed
- Note: Many inspections do not result in additional review of the submittal





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- Referrals by BIR staff to support will continue as needed
- Phone calls to LSRP will be limited
- Emails will be limited to administrative issues (Updated RAO Guidance Document spells out these issues)





Questions?

