

**SHERWIN-WILLIAMS SUPERFUND SITE (GIBBSBORO AND VOORHEES)
Foster Avenue, United States Avenue, Hilliards Creek and Surrounds**

This Superfund site consists of a series of locations in Gibbsboro and Voorhees, Camden County, at which The Sherwin-Williams Company previously manufactured, dumped, and burned paint and related compounds. Industrial activities began at the Site in the mid-1800s, and the paint manufacturing took place from the 1930s until the plant closed in 1978. During its operations, Sherwin-Williams discharged a variety of hazardous substances at the Site, including lead, arsenic and other heavy metals, benzene, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), and pesticides. Despite its knowledge of contamination at the Site, Sherwin-Williams failed to comply with DEP's decades-long enforcement efforts—including directives and an Administrative Consent Order—and did not adequately clean up the Site, leading to the Site's inclusion on the National Priorities List and oversight by the Environmental Protection Agency. The contamination resulted in significant natural resource injuries to several surface water bodies, including Hilliards Creek, Bridgewood Lake, Cooper River, Honey Run, Kirkwood Lake, Silver Lake, and White Sand Branch, associated wetlands, and wildlife. DEP is seeking damages for injuries to natural resources caused by discharges of hazardous substances at the Site, including groundwater, surface waters, wetlands, sediments and soil, biota, and air. DEP also seeks to recover cleanup and removal costs that have been incurred in the past, and will be incurred in the future. The named defendant is The Sherwin-Williams Company, an Ohio corporation.

**HANDY & HARMAN SITE
20 Craig Road, Montvale**

The Handy & Harman property ("Property") is located at 20 Craig Road, Montvale, Bergen County. From 1970 until March 1984, metal etching and surfacing operations were conducted by Plessey Incorporated. Those operations were continued by Handy & Harman Electronic Materials Corp. after it purchased the Property until 1986. During Handy & Harman's operations, hazardous substances, including trichloroethylene (TCE), were discharged, resulting in contamination of on-site groundwater. A number of public drinking water wells operated by the Borough of Park Ridge were also impacted by the groundwater contamination and were closed. In December 1986, Handy & Harman entered an Administrative Consent Order with DEP that required the company to investigate and remediate the contamination emanating from the Property. Investigation and remediation activities to date have taken place both on and off the Property, and in drinking water wells impacted by the groundwater contamination. DEP is seeking damages for injuries to natural resources caused by discharges of hazardous substances at the Property. DEP also seeks to recover cleanup and removal costs that have been incurred in the past and will be incurred in the future. The named defendants are Handy & Harman, Handy & Harman Electronic Materials Corp, Steel Partners Holdings, LP, Plessey Incorporated, and Cycle Chem., Inc.