

## Pilot Offsite Soil Remediation Action in Stephen Foster Neighborhood

Gainesville, Fla-- Beazer East, Inc., the responsible party for the contamination at the Koppers portion of the Cabot-Koppers Superfund site, will begin a Pilot Soil Removal and Replacement Action at one property in the Stephen Foster Neighborhood located at 436 NW 30th Ave. adjacent to the western boundary of the former Koppers site.

This pilot project is intended to provide preliminary information that will serve as a model for future remediation activities at other properties in the neighborhood. The property owner and Beazer East have agreed on a soil removal plan and landscape replacement plan for the property. Approximately one foot of soil will be removed and replaced from the subject property. Soil removal and replacement activities at the pilot parcel will occur from November 18 through November 26, with landscape replacement taking place in the following first weeks of December.

Beazer East, Inc. will also perform work onsite in preparation for work at the pilot location. Construction activities such as soil removal, tree removal, soil stockpiling and temporary roadbed preparation will be performed on the former Koppers site. Beazer East will apply best management practices to minimize the generation of dust during these activities and will conduct dust monitoring.

The Beazer work plan approved by USEPA is available on Alachua County Environmental Protection Cabot-Koppers Webpage at:  
<http://www.alachuacounty.us/cabotkoppers>

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