
The BB&T Site in Durham, North Carolina is the site of a former dry-cleaning business that operated from 1963 until 1975. Soil and groundwater at the site are contaminated with the dry-cleaning solvent tetrachloroethene (also called "perc") and its breakdown products. The site is currently in the **Dry-cleaning Solvent Cleanup Act (DSCA) Program**, a voluntary program administered by the N. C. Department of Environment and Natural Resources that oversees the remediation of contaminated dry-cleaning sites.

For more information:

NCDENR, Division of Waste Management, DSCA Program
1646 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-1646

http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/wm/dsca/bbt_updates

Billy Meyer, DSCA Project Manager
(919) 707-8366
billy.meyer@ncdenr.gov

Cathy Akroyd, Public Information Officer
(919) 707-8234
cathy.akroyd@ncdenr.gov

Dry-cleaning Solvent Cleanup Act (DSCA) Program
Division of Waste Management
N. C. Department of Environment and Natural Resources

BB&T Site Update –April 2012

Current Status:

A public meeting was held on March 5, 2012 to discuss the Remedial Action Plan (RAP) for the former BB&T Site. The public comment period and deadline for comments on the RAP ended on March 14, 2012. Seventy-one comments were received. DSCA has posted responses to these questions and the (amended) RAP at www.ncdsca.org under the "BB&T Site#32-0013 (Durham, NC)" web link. This web link has been redesigned to house public information for the BB&T site. Any questions regarding navigation of this site should be directed to Billy Meyer at (919) 707-8366 or billy.meyer@ncdenr.gov.

Recent Activities:

- May 2, 2012: Helical pier installation successfully completed for the foundation support of the Triangle Family Church prior to excavation.
- May 1, 2012: Letters mailed notifying contaminated properties, properties adjacent to contaminated properties, and interested parties of the upcoming remediation schedule.
- April 18, 2012: DSCA's response to public comments and final RAP were posted on DSCA's website. The RAP schedule was also posted at this time.
- March 14, 2012: Public comment period ended, with seventy-one comments received.

Upcoming Activities for 2012 and Projected Schedule:

(all dates are estimates)

- For a projected schedule of upcoming activities, please go to DSCA's website at www.ncdsca.org. From DSCA's main web page, follow the "BB&T Site #32-0012 (Durham)" link and it will open up a new web page dedicated to the BB&T Site. Under "Site Updates" follow the link titled "2012 Remedial Action Plan Schedule". This spreadsheet format will be updated throughout the remediation process. Please check it regularly for any changes.