Inactive Hazardous Sites Branch CTS of Asheville Summary (NCD003149556/Former APS# 20358) Mills Gap Road, Buncombe County

This is the August, 2010 update of activities directed by the N.C. Department of Environment and Natural Resources that CTS is performing at the Mills Gap Road site in Asheville.

August 2010 Update:

NCDENR approved the Revised Phase II Work Plan adding that MW-3 and MW-3A wells be sampled in conjunction with the Phase II work for 1,4-Dioxane. It was noted that in the last surface water sampling (completed by EPA) 1,4-Dioxane was detected as a "J" value (meaning that the constituent was detected but the quantity or volume could not be quantified at the time of analysis).

CTS notified NCDENR of vandalism and theft of electrical wires and equipment on the site pertaining to the soil vapor extraction (SVE) system that was installed as part of the Emergency Removal Actions for the US EPA. After cutting off the existing lock used to secure the gate at the facility, the vandals/thieves installed their own personal lock on the gate so as to possibly return to the site. CTS is coordinating with the US EPA on appropriate actions related to the vandalized SVE system.