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THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY ANNOUNCES THE AVAILABILITY OF FOUR PUBLIC DOCUMENTS DESCRIBING THE NEXT PHASE OF THE WELDON SPRING QUARRY CLEANUP.

The Weldon Spring Quarry, located on Highway 94 South, approximately 7 miles south of Highway 40/61, is one of the areas designated for cleanup under the Weldon Spring Site Remedial Action Project. The removal of the bulk waste from the Quarry is the second step in a three step process proposed by the Department of Energy to clean up the Quarry. Documents which describe the proposed action include:

- **The Remedial Investigation Report which characterizes the site conditions at the Quarry.**
- **The Baseline Risk Evaluation which describes the risks associated with the Quarry in its present condition.**
- **The Feasibility Study which evaluates cleanup alternatives, risks and environmental impacts of taking the action.**
- **The Proposed Plan which summarizes the preferred alternative.**

These documents, which have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), will form the basis for a Record of Decision (ROD) which will define the alternative for managing the Quarry waste. The documents are now available for public review and comment.
Written comments sould be sent to:

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Those comments postmarked by April 9, 1990, will become part of the Administrative Record and will be considered in the ROD.

An INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN outlining plans described in the documents and copies of the documents are available for review at Cobbs Hall Library, Lindenwood College, the Spencer Creek Library at St. Peters, the Kathryn Linneman Branch Library at St. Charles, the Francis Howell High School Library and the Public Reading Room at the Weldon Spring Site Remedial Action Project.

A PUBLIC MEETING MARCH 29 WILL ADDRESS THE QUARRY CLEANUP.

Sponsored by the United States Department of Energy and the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the meeting will be held at

RAMADA INN WENTZVILLE AT 7:00 P.M.

The public is encouraged to attend, to ask questions and to provide comments for the Administrative Record.