



#### **DUNDALK MARINE TERMINAL REMEDIATION**

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## MDE Remedy—Enhanced Isolation and Containment with Special Conditions

- Repair and reline storm drains located in COPR boundaries
- Install tidal exclusion vaults to monitor and maintain storm drains
- Implement Performance Management Program (PMP)
  - Storm water, groundwater, surface cover, COPR heaving
- Maintain electronic records for PMP inspections and maintenance
- Install additional monitoring wells
- Conduct quarterly groundwater sampling for a minimum of three years

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#### **COPR Extent – 12<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> Street Storm Drains**







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#### **Storm Drain Rehabilitation Progress 2017**



## **Storm Drain Rehabilitation to Date**

 Almost 3 miles of storm drains lined and extensive rehabilitation of inlet and manhole structures





Structure grout injection prior to relining



Inlet relining in progress



Transition strip from lined pipe to inlet

**39** manholes relined or replaced to date





Areas of heavy traffic





## **Storm Drain Outfalls**

- Observations
  - Large precipitation events have not damaged outfall tidal exclusion devices
  - River debris has floated up stream into tidal exclusion devices
- Completed Maintenance
  - Installation of trash guard downstream of tidal exclusion vault
  - Repair of seals around duckbills
  - Replacement of select duckbills/flap gates
  - Re-inspection to verify completed repair



Flap Gate











## Surface Cover & Progress Since 2015

- Paved approximately 4 acres and sealed 1.5 miles of cracks as part of the Surface Cover Maintenance and Repair Program
- Rehabilitated 23 inlets, 7 manholes and 2,100 linear feet of storm drain pipe as part of the Storm Drain Rehabilitation Program
- Improved shoreline protection along 1,500 linear feet of Area 1501

#### **Progress**



Lined 12<sup>th</sup> Street Trunk Line

Asphalt surface cover being placed at location in Area 1600





#### **Surface Cover Paving & Repair**

- 35 acres paved since 2005
- 20 miles of surface cover cracks sealed since 2005
- Surface Cover Maintenance and Repair Program is effective in containing COPR at the Port

#### Example of surface cover repair

Asphalt surface cover being placed at location in Area 1300





#### Area 1501/1602 Shoreline Improvements





## **DMT Progress & Future Work**







## Thank you!







## **Backup Slides**







#### **COPR Fill at Dundalk Marine Terminal**





## **Background/Overview**



THE POWER OF CONNECTED

## **Comprehensive Studies Accepted by MDE**







## **Monitoring and Maintenance**

• Air

Monitoring of air at perimeter of Terminal since 2007; no detections of hexavalent chromium from COPR in perimeter air monitors

#### Groundwater

Groundwater is monitored on semi-annual basis in 34 wells located at perimeter of COPR fill area; results confirm that hexavalent chromium is not leaving site boundary in groundwater at unacceptable levels



#### Stormwater

Ongoing inspections of relined segments to ensure construction effectiveness

Proposed NPDES permit proposes inspection on quarterly basis

Drinking Water

Drinking water is routinely monitored; no detections of hexavalent chromium in drinking water at Terminal

Surface Cover

Ongoing Surface Cover inspection program for COPR fill area

#### Monitoring programs measure effectiveness of remedy









## Innovative Storm Drain Lining Performed within Confined Spaces

 15th Street B1 Trunk Line Rehabilitation



Containment Achieved







## **Project Execution**

#### Proper PPE & Retrieval



#### Communications



#### Flow Sensors & Alarms



Evacuation Drills





Lighting, Ventilation, and Video Monitoring



# Replacement Structures and Tidal Exclusion Vaults

Manhole Replacement





Tidal Exclusion Vault







## **Scientific Work from Johns Hopkins**

- Chromium in the sediment is non-toxic "trivalent" and not "hexavalent."
- Chromium in sediment is stable with very little potential for it to change to toxic form even in conditions where sediments are disturbed.
- Protection of aquatic life is not impaired by chromium.
- Conditions that cause chromium to become toxic do not naturally exist in Baltimore Harbor.



