

**Monthly Status Report**  
**W. R. Grace Superfund Site**  
**Acton, Massachusetts**  
**May 8, 2003**

W. R. Grace (Grace) is conducting the Phase 2 Remedial Investigation at the above referenced site. This Monthly Status Report is being transmitted to keep the government parties advised of the progress and schedule of the RI activities. This report summarizes the activities completed in the past month, provides a schedule of activities planned for the coming month and describes any problems encountered. The exact date of scheduled activities may change due to resource availability and/or weather. Those interested in being kept advised of schedule changes of a particular activity are requested to contact the person listed for that activity.

Deliverables/Meeting

The Data Report for Ecological Risk Assessment was submitted to the Government Parties on April 25, 2003. The Phase 2 Remedial Investigation Data Report is scheduled to be submitted to the Government Parties on May 16, 2003. A meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 21, 2003 at GeoTrans office in Harvard, MA to go through a dry run of the public meeting presentations and review draft posters boards.

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Feasibility Study

The Groundwater Treatability and Pilot Test Evaluation Report was submitted to the Government Parties on April 28, 2003.

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Ecological Risk Assessment

The final round of surface water samples was collected from Sinking Pond on April 9, 2003. No additional sampling for ecological risk assessment is planned at this time.

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Public Health Risk Assessment

Surface water and sediment samples to be used in the public health risk assessment were collected April 28 and 29, 2003. No additional surface water or sediment sampling is planned at this time.

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