



TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

NOTICE OF COMMUNITY MEETING

Meeting Date: Thursday, April 22, 2010
Time: 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Place: Calallen High School
4001 Wildcat Drive
Corpus Christi, Texas 78410

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) will conduct an informational community meeting regarding on-going activities at the Ballard Pits Proposed State Superfund Site (the Site.)

The Site occupies approximately 296 acres and is located at the end of Ballard Lane, west of its intersection with County Road 73, approximately 5.8 miles north of Robstown in Nueces County, Texas. The Site is a property containing sand and gravel pits, some of which were used for storage and disposal of wastes including oilfield mud and refinery wastes.

On January 13, 2006, the Site was proposed to the State Superfund Registry. Subsequently, on November 30, 2007, the TCEQ issued a notice of intent to perform a removal action at the Site. In 2008, the TCEQ completed cleanup of the West Pit and in 2009, the TCEQ completed cleanup of the East Pit. An environmental assessment of the North Pit is currently underway.

Information about the Site is available at the Corpus Christi Public Library, Northwest Branch, located at 3202 McKinzie Road, Corpus Christi, Texas, (361) 241-9329. For additional information about this site you may contact Crystal Taylor, TCEQ, at 800-633-9363.