

DEC Brownfields Program



Supporting the Cleanup and
Reuse of Alaska's Brownfields

What are Brownfields?

Brownfields are abandoned, unused, or underused properties that are hindered from desired reuse by real or perceived environmental contamination.



The Alaska Department
of Environmental
Conservation's (DEC)
Contaminated Sites
Brownfields Program

works with local governments, tribes, and community stakeholders to improve the environmental, economic, and social well-being of communities by addressing Brownfields.

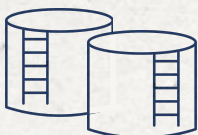
Who is eligible for Brownfields funding?

Public, quasi-public and non-profit entities can apply, including:

- Municipalities and boroughs
- Native corporations
- Federally Recognized Tribes
- Community organizations

Brownfields can be...

- Old canneries and fish processing facilities
- Old fuel-storage tank farms
- Abandoned dump sites
- Old shooting ranges
- Abandoned community buildings or schools
- Anywhere contamination may be present



Cleaning up Brownfields can...

- Preserve open space
- Reuse old infrastructure
- Return land for subsistence needs
- Increase economic growth and employment opportunities
- Improve local safety and public health

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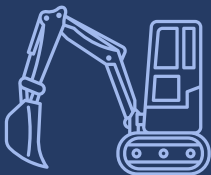
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DEC Brownfields Services

DEC Brownfields Assessment and Cleanup (DBAC) Services

DEC works to identify, assess, and cleanup brownfields through DBAC services, including:



- identifying nature and extent of soil and groundwater contamination
- conducting hazardous building materials surveys
- providing potential cleanup options and reuse planning assistance
- estimating costs and making recommendations
- cleaning up and abating known contamination

Apply for DBAC services today!

DEC is accepting applications for DBAC services! Apply by **February 15, 2024.**



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Other Assistance Available



Regulatory Guidance - helping communities to better understand and meet applicable environmental regulations.

Community Outreach - developing outreach materials, organizing workshops, trainings, and community-specific visioning sessions.



Grant Application Assistance - educating stakeholders about grant opportunities, resources and technical support.

State Contaminated Sites Database - ensuring that relevant sites are included and managed in the state database



And much more!



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