



*Bunker Hill Mining and
Metallurgical Complex
Superfund Site*

Site-Wide Five-Year Review

Basin Commission
5-11-2005



Basics of Five-Year Review

- Legally Required Every Five Years
 - When contaminants remain on-site that restrict use
 - Five years after start of first remedial action
- Purpose
 - Evaluate remedy performance
 - Determine if remedy is or will be protective of human health and environment



Scope of Site-Wide Review

- All Three Operable Units
 - Operable Unit 1 – Box Populated Areas
 - Operable Unit 2 – Box Non-populated Areas
 - Operable Unit 3 – Coeur d'Alene Basin
- Review Conducted from August 2004 through April 2005



The Report

- Documents the methods, findings and conclusions of the remedy review
- Identifies issues found during review
- Provides recommendations to address issues and other improvements



Coming Events

- Public Comment Period
 - June 1 thru June 30
 - Comments to Tamara Langton or at an Open House
- Where to Review Draft Report
 - Special request mailing
 - EPA Region 10 website
 - Eight information repositories
 - One of five open houses



Five Open Houses

- June 15, 2005

- 11:00 – 12:30 Rose Lake Historical Society, Rose Lake
- 2:30 – 4:00 Wallace Inn, Wallace
- 6:00 – 7:30 Sunnyside Elementary School Gym, Kellogg

- June 16, 2005

- 1:00 – 2:30 N. Idaho College, Driftwood Bay Room, Coeur d'Alene
- 6:00 – 7:30 Spokane Regional Health District, Room 140, Spokane



After Public Comment

- EPA will take all comments into consideration
- Incorporate changes into final version of report
- Categorical summary of comments and responses as an attachment to final report
- Final report due September 27, 2005



More Information

- **Comprehensive Five-Year Review Guidance posted on EPA web site**
- **First five-year reviews for OU1 and OU2 available on EPA Region 10's web site**
- **See handout for web address, contacts and location of information repositories**