DESCRIPTION/STATUS

On March 2, 2010, the U.S. EPA added the Gowanus Canal to the agency’s Superfund National Priorities List (NPL).

Placing the Gowanus Canal on the list allows the U.S. EPA to further investigate contamination at the site and develop an approach to address the contamination.

In compliance with this, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers New York District has ceased the ecosystem restoration study and turned over all documents to the U.S. EPA.

U.S. EPA:

http://www.epa.gov/region02/superfund/npl/gowanus/

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