

**Public Comment Period Extension
Savanna Army Depot Activity
Site 111 Remedial Action**

Beginning on January 15, 2009, the U.S. Army began soliciting comments on the proposed Remedial Action at Site 111, 1934 Outdoor Washout Plant, at Savanna Army Depot Activity (SVDA), Illinois. The plant was used from 1933 to 1936 to renovate ammunition. The proposed remedy consists of adding lime to treat contaminants (nitroaromatics/nitramines) in soil by alkaline hydrolysis. Soil flushing and groundwater recovery would be used to remediate the same contaminants in deeper soil and groundwater.

The Proposed Plan and supporting documents for Site 111 can be viewed at the Savanna and Hanover libraries. The original comment period was from January 15, 2009 through February 15, 2009. Per request, the public comment period has been extended an additional 30 days and will run through March 16, 2009. If you would like to provide comments or receive more information, please call Mr. John Clarke, SVDA BRAC Environmental Coordinator, at (815) 273-8827.