

Brownfields 2021 Cleanup Fact Sheet

Los Angeles, CA

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Overview of the EPA Brownfields Program

EPA's Brownfields Program empowers states, communities, and other stakeholders to work together to prevent, assess, safely clean up, and sustainably reuse brownfields. A brownfield site is real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant. The Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act of 2002, as amended by the Brownfields Utilization, Investment and Local Development Act of 2018, was passed to help states and communities around the country clean up and revitalize brownfield sites. Under this law, EPA provides financial assistance to eligible applicants through five competitive grant programs: Multipurpose Grants, Assessment Grants, Revolving Loan Fund Grants, Cleanup Grants, and Environmental Workforce Development and Job Training Grants. Additionally, funding support is provided to state and tribal response programs through a separate mechanism.

Cleanup Grant

\$500,000

EPA has selected the City of Los Angeles for a Brownfields Cleanup Grant. Grant funds will be used to clean up four parcels at the former Crocker Plating Works site located at 5879, 5887, 5888, and 5910 Crocker Street. The cleanup site was first developed with residences in the early 1900s and operated as a plating shop from 1953 to 2008. Structures on the site were demolished in 2010 and the site has remained vacant since. It is contaminated with metals, cyanide, and chlorinated solvents co-mingled with petroleum. Grant funds also will be used to support community outreach activities.

For further information, including specific grant contacts, additional grant information, brownfields news and events, and publications and links, visit the EPA Brownfields Web site (<http://www.epa.gov/brownfields>).

The information presented in this fact sheet comes from the grant application; EPA cannot attest to the accuracy of the information. The cooperative agreement is negotiated after the selection announcement. Therefore, the funding amount and activities described in this fact sheet are subject to change.