Summary:

Equilon Enterprises LLC d/b/a Shell Oil Products US (Shell) is conducting ongoing activities within the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) designated Study Area at the Village's former Public Works Yard (FPWY). This fact sheet addressing the steam enhanced extraction (SEE) system is an update to the previous fact sheet issued on December 19, 2022. This update was prepared to update the Village of Roxana community members and other interested individuals.

The SEE system is being installed to address and remediate residual petroleum impacts in saturated soil beneath the FPWY. Shell has coordinated with the Illinois EPA and the Village's leadership in connection with this new system. Drilling work began in December 2022; construction is ongoing and is primarily occurring on the former Public Works Yard property, though some monitoring points have been installed along East 8th Street. The SEE system will tie into the existing soil vapor extraction (SVE) system and is anticipated to operate for approximately 6 months. Illinois EPA has reviewed and approved the plans developed for these activities and will continue to provide oversight.

Update:

Completed: Most of the drilling work and site preparation.

- Mid-September 2023: Mobilization of equipment is expected to last 1-2 weeks and using large trucks, a forklift, and a crane for installation.
- Fall 2023: Additional drilling will occur in the southern portion of the former Public Works Yard prior to anticipated start-up.
- Ongoing: Shell and its contractors will work to minimize any impacts associated with these activities.

Shell is committed to keeping neighbors and the Village officials informed and maintaining open communications.

Construction related activities are generally planned to occur on weekdays between 8 am and 6 pm, though work will also occur on some Saturdays.

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