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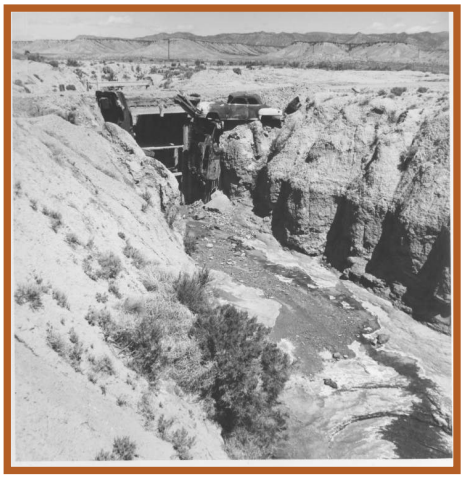
Bureau of Land Management State Environmental Cleanup Action Plan

A State Environmental Cleanup Action Plan is a planning and budgeting document that presents the approach a BLM State will use to address it's environmental cleanup requirements.

What requirements are included?



The BLM's SECAP addresses sites such as abandoned mine lands (AML); contaminated sites not considered AML (HAZMAT); locations of concern that are suspected to have contamination but not yet confirmed (LOC), Physical Safety Features (PSF), orphaned mines that are contaminated (3809), Other BLM Program Areas with cleanup sites (OTHER), other Federally managed Defense Sites (DEFENSE) and Defense Related Uranium Mine Sites (DRUM).

A valuable tool used to plan and budget a BLM State Office's environmental cleanup requirement journey

The SECAP includes:

- **Individual site descriptions and site status**
- **Chronological history of contamination studies**
- **Future site response action requirements**
- **Site response action goals and schedules**
- **Past, current, and future response actions**
- **Major issues that may affect goals**

For more information

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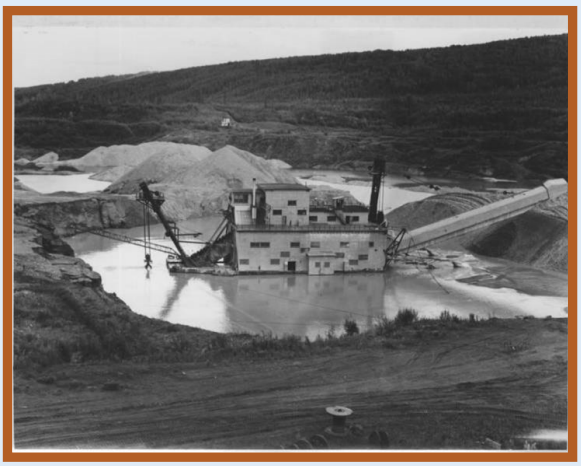
Who prepares the SECAP?

The State Environmental Cleanup Action Plan is prepared from bottom-up with input from the Field Managers to the State Managers with concurrence from the BLM Headquarters. The SECAP is prepared and updated annually. Information updated annually includes:

- Funding Requirements in the current year
- Cost estimates for future years
- Response/Removal action status for the current year
- Required actions for future years leading to site closure



The BLM States which have environmental cleanup requirements are required to prepare a SECAP. The SECAPs are developed through scheduled workshops at the BLM States to validate their comprehensive cleanup strategy.

Who should be involved?

BLM SOPLs, Field/District Managers, Program and Project managers in addition to BLM Headquarters. In the future, stakeholders conducting cleanup on BLM lands could be invited when updating the SECAP. Upon request, regulators will be provided a copy of the SECAP and a copy is also made available to the public in the information repository. Opportunities for the public to become involved in the process are outlined in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA).

When are SECAPs completed?

SECAPs are completed annually before the BLM submits their budget request to the Department of Interior. This is to ensure BLM environmental cleanup requirements are captured in the budget request to Congress annually.