

## **Status Update: Foundry Remediation November 3, 2021**

### **I. New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) Neighborhood Remediation Update**

#### **Remedial Design**

- Structural inspections were conducted at additional properties located south of Lewis Street along Genesee Street, Geneva Street, and Tillman Street. Remediation of these properties is expected to occur in 2022 and 2023.
- Progress continued on remedial design plans for the group of properties located north of Middle Street along the east side of Exchange Street and the west side of Wadsworth Street. Remediation of these properties is expected to occur in 2022.
- Progress resumed on remedial design plans for Genesee Park based on input received from the City Manager regarding planned changes and improvements to the park after remediation. NYSDEC's engineering contractor will continue to coordinate with the city as plans are further developed. Remediation of the park is expected to occur in fall 2022.

#### **Remedial Construction**

- Excavation and backfilling were completed within the block of eleven properties located in the area bounded by Genesee Street, State Street and Clinton Street. Restoration is substantially complete on this block. Additional fencing will continue to be installed this month, and remaining plants and trees will be replaced in 2022.
- Replacement plants and trees were installed on the block of properties west of Genesee Park that includes addresses on Goodelle Terrace, Genesee Street, and Lewis Street. Additional plantings will be installed in spring 2022.
- Remaining replacement plants and trees were planted at properties along Lewis Street east of Genesee Park.
- Other restoration items were addressed throughout the areas remediated in 2021.
- NYSDEC's construction contractor has begun shutting down for the winter. The 2022 construction season likely will begin in March or April 2022, depending on the weather. Work in 2022 is expected to begin at six properties located south of Middle Street between Exchange Street and Wadsworth Street.

### **II. City**

#### **Genesee Park Remediation**

- Staff met with the NYSDEC team to discuss logistics for the remediation plans as well as the restoration plan next steps.

#### **Resident outreach – City of Geneva**

- FoodLink Curbside's mobile market's voucher program for fresh vegetables and fruits is operating with strict COVID-19 guidelines. The Friday schedule for the mobile truck is as follows: Salvation Army at 41 North Street from 11:15 AM to 12:15 PM, Lyceum Heights Apartments at 150 Lyceum St. 1:15 PM to 2:15 PM, Elmcrest Apartments at 99 Lewis St. from 2:30 PM to 3:30 PM. Please check the schedule for market day updates by googling "FoodLink + Curbside Schedule" or going to [Curbside Market - Foodlink Inc \(foodlinkny.org\)](https://www.foodlinkny.org). If you have not used your voucher in some time, please contact Liz Toner at 315-828-6585 to sign up again.

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- The voucher program for the Dog Park is available with sign-ups in the City Clerk's office at City Hall. All voucher programs are available for residents waiting for remediation.
- The City's liaison for the Foundry work is Liz Toner. [etoner@geneva.ny.us](mailto:etoner@geneva.ny.us) or 315-828-6585. Residents with questions on the NYSDEC's remedial design or construction activities can email Bob Gibson from the State's consultant team from Ecology and Environment, Inc. at [rgibson@ene.com](mailto:rgibson@ene.com).