

GE's Legacy of PCB-Contaminated Sites in Rome, GA

GE's transformer factory reportedly disposed of a wide variety of wastes between 1953 and 1975 in an on-site 20 acre dump that has not been fully investigated or cleaned up. PCBs and other toxic chemicals from the facility have extensively contaminated streams, the Coosa River and commercial, residential and other properties.

This site was reportedly contaminated with 14,200 parts per million (ppm) of PCBs. The property is located along a drainageway connected to the GE site.

This store was reportedly contaminated with 7,010 ppm of PCBs and shut down. The store is located along a drainageway connected to the GE site.

An old nature trail at this school is reportedly contaminated with PCBs. The school property abuts the contaminated GE site.

PCBs have reportedly been identified on this school's playground. The school is located along a drainageway connected to the GE site.

PCBs were identified in soils at this park. The park is located along a drainageway connected to the GE site.

Sources:
USEPA (1980). U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Section 103(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act.
Georgia Environmental Protection Division, on-going monitoring efforts

