NPL Site Narrative for Charlevoix Municipal Well

CHARLEVOIX MUNICIPAL WELL Charlevoix, Michigan

Conditions at listing (December 1982): The 5,000 residents of the City of Charlevoix, Michigan, are served by one municipal well. In September 1981, the State detected 37 parts per billion of trichloroethylene (TCE) in the well. In November 1981, the city installed four monitoring wells around the municipal well, which also detected TCE. A study by EPA in mid-1982 identified three possible sources of contamination, but could not define the actual source.

Status (July 1983): EPA recently prepared a remedial plan outlining the investigations needed to determine the full extent of cleanup required at the site. It will guide further actions at the site.

For more information about the hazardous substances identified in this narrative summary, including general information regarding the effects of exposure to these substances on human health, please see the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) ToxFAQs. ATSDR ToxFAQs can be found on the Internet at ATSDR - ToxFAQs (http://www.atsdr.cdc.gov/toxfaqs/index.asp) or by telephone at 1-888-42-ATSDR or 1-888-422-8737.