

Brownfields 2023 Assessment Fact Sheet

St. Louis, MO

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Overview of the EPA Brownfields Program

EPA's Brownfields Program empowers states, communities, and other stakeholders to work together to prevent, assess, safely clean up, and sustainably reuse brownfield sites. A brownfield site is real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant. The Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act of 2002, as amended by the Brownfields Utilization, Investment and Local Development Act of 2018, was passed to help states and communities around the country clean up and revitalize brownfield sites. Under this law, EPA provides financial assistance to eligible applicants through five competitive grant programs: Multipurpose Grants, Assessment Grants, Revolving Loan Fund Grants, Cleanup Grants, and Job Training Grants. Additionally, funding support is provided to state and tribal response programs through a separate mechanism.

Assessment Grant

\$500,000

EPA has selected the City of St. Louis for a Brownfields Assessment Grant. Community-wide grant funds will be used to conduct 32 Phase I and 12 Phase II environmental site assessments. Grant funds also will be used to develop seven cleanup plans and support training activities. The target area for this grant is the City of St. Louis with a focus on Chouteau's Landing and many neighborhoods in the northern part of the City. Priority sites include a vacant 2-story residential building built in 1914 that has been condemned for structural issues and is surrounded by vacant lots.

For further information, including specific grant contacts, additional grant information, brownfields news and events, and publications and links, visit the EPA Brownfields Web site (<http://www.epa.gov/brownfields>).

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announcement. Therefore, the funding amount and activities described in this fact sheet are subject to change.