

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Legacy Management has released the Fernald Preserve 2016 Site Environmental Report. This annual report provides stakeholders:

- Results of the ongoing environmental monitoring program
- Summary of on-site activities
- Summary of compliance with environmental regulations, site agreements, and DOE policies that govern site activities

The report is supplemented by four appendixes. The report and supplemental appendixes are available at https://www.lm.doe.gov/Fernald/Documents.

Hard copies of the entire report are available for review at the Fernald Preserve Visitors Center, which is open Wednesday through Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. You may request a hard copy by calling (513) 648-3330, or emailing Fernald@lm.doe.gov. The report will be featured at the Fernald Preserve Annual Community Meeting on October 17, 2017.

Sincerely,

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> As a community asset, the Fernald Preserve fosters wildlife habitat and provides educational opportunities through environmental stewardship.