

Reviewed Evidence Pack

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The question

Which New Mexico Superfund sites have been deleted from the National Priorities List, and on what dates?

Accepted scope

One question, one jurisdiction (New Mexico). Source: the EPA SEMS NPL rows for New Mexico as republished on this site. No new agency records were obtained and no site visits were made.

Jurisdiction

How to read a finding

DOCUMENTED FACT: The cited sources state this.

ATTRIBUTED CLAIM: A named party asserts this; the citation is to who said it, not to its truth.

ANALYTICAL INFERENCE: We concluded this from the sources. It is our reasoning, not a document.

These are kept apart on purpose. A question about what the record shows is not an assertion about the answer, and this pack never converts one into the other.

Summary

5 New Mexico sites carry an NPL deletion date, the earliest 1992-10-14 and the most recent 2020-09-30. One of the 5 is a partial deletion. A further 10 sites have had construction completed but have NOT been deleted and remain listed.

What could not be established

This pack does not establish how many New Mexico sites are 'cleaned up'. The SEMS rows record milestones, not a condition assessment, and no field data was consulted.

Findings

1. [documented fact] 5 New Mexico sites carry a deletion date from the National Priorities List in the EPA SEMS rows read for this pack.

Pagano Salvage (1992-10-14); Cal West Metals (USSBA) (1996-12-20); Cleveland Mill (2001-07-23); AT & SF (Clovis) (2003-03-17); Cimarron Mining Corp. (2020-09-30)

Sources: S0, S600907, S604050, S600952, S600827, S600897

2. [documented fact] Of those 5, 1 is recorded as a PARTIAL deletion, meaning part of the site remains on the list.

Cimarron Mining Corp. (2020-09-30)

Sources: S600897

3. [documented fact] A further 10 sites have a construction completion date but no deletion date, and remain listed as NPL sites.

Prewitt Abandoned Refinery (construction complete 1996-08-22); Homestake Mining Co. (construction complete 1996-09-20); South Valley (construction complete 1996-09-30); United Nuclear Corp. (construction complete 1998-09-29); Lee Acres Landfill (USDOl) (construction complete 2005-08-11); Fruit Avenue Plume

(construction complete 2006-12-05); North Railroad Avenue Plume (construction complete 2008-06-30); AT&SF (Albuquerque) (construction complete 2011-02-10); Griggs & Walnut Ground Water Plume (construction complete 2012-07-20); Grants Chlorinated Solvents Plume (construction complete 2012-09-11)
Sources: S0, S600877, S600816, S600881, S600819, S600911, S604068, S604299, S600879, S605116, S605144

4. [analytical inference] The count of sites that are 'finished' in ordinary language cannot be read off these fields, and this pack does not report one.

Reasoning: Construction completion records that the remedy has been built; deletion records that EPA has concluded no further response is appropriate. They are different milestones and the rows carry them in different columns. Treating completion as deletion would overstate the answer by 10 sites; treating the partial deletion as a full one would overstate it by one more.

Sources: S0

Chronology

1992-10-14 Pagano Salvage deleted from the NPL [S600907]

1996-12-20

Contradictions in the record

- One site is recorded as deleted AND as a partial deletion, so the plain count of 'deleted sites' overstates how much land has left the list.

Unresolved questions

- Whether any of the construction-complete sites are near deletion - the rows carry no pending-deletion field.

- Whether a

Missing evidence

- Five-year review reports, which are the documents that would speak to site condition. Obtaining them is outside this pack's fixed scope and is the separate records service.

Source index

[S0] EPA SEMS National Priorities List, New Mexico rows, as republished by the Perfect World Project Superfund module

dated 2026-09-06 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites?state=NM>

[S600907]

dated 1992-10-14 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600907>

[S604050]

dated 1996-12-20 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/604050>

[S600952]

dated 2001-07-23 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600952>

[S600827]

dated 2003-03-17 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600827>

[S600897]

dated 2020-09-30 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600897>

[S600877]

dated 1996-08-22 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600877>

dated 1996-09-20 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600816>

dated 1996-09-30 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600881>

dated 1998-09-29 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600819>

dated 2005-08-11 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600911>

dated 2006-12-05 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/604068>

dated 2008-06-30 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/604299>

dated 2011-02-10 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/600879>

dated 2012-07-20 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/605116>

dated 2012-09-11 · <https://everythingisperfect.org/api/superfund/sites/605144>

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Corrections

One correction round for errors or omissions inside the accepted scope is included and has not been used. A new research question is a new quote.