

Other Significant Cleanup Progress at Hanford

- Placed C Reactor in interim safe storage, reducing its footprint 81 percent. Deactivated N Reactor. Both are in the 100 Area along the Columbia River.
- Moved more than 1.6 million tons of contaminated waste to date from four remedial action sites near the Columbia to a disposal facility in central Hanford.
- Processed more than 665 million gallons of contaminated groundwater to date through five pump-and-treat systems.
- Initiated decommissioning of the Plutonium Concentration Facility in 200 West, the first Hanford full-scale plutonium processing facility to undergo decommissioning.
- Prepared a long-range plan integrating site activities related to underground soil contamination.
- Began pilot melter testing for the privatized waste treatment plant. Aggressive design development is under way.



Four vaults were constructed in 200 East in the early 90s for a now-defunct grout program. Based on PHMC recommendations, DOE has decided to use these vaults to hold immobilized (vitrified) low-activity tank waste that will be produced by BNFL Inc.