



Contaminants

Soil and stream contaminants include antimony, arsenic, cadmium, iron, lead, manganese, benzo(a)anthracene, and benzo(b)fluoranthene.

Water contaminants above applicable standards include copper, nickel, and zinc.



Building a Better Bingham Park: Environmental Justice in Cottage Grove

- Quarterly Community Clean Up
- Bi-monthly community meetings
- Ongoing remediation options with NC DEQ

GET INVOLVED

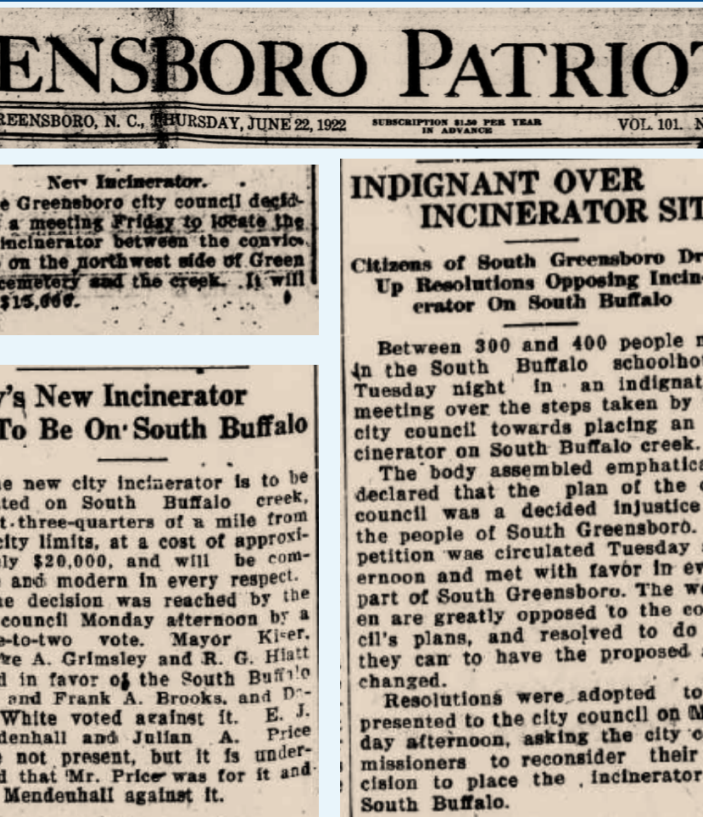
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The Hampton Elementary School

Hampton Elementary was built in 1960, just a couple of years after the incinerator shut down

Hampton Elementary School was severely damaged in a tornado in 2018.

Officials announced that it will not be rebuilt due to environmental concerns.



1922 Incinerator Site Opposition

1922: City Council of Greensboro announced its plan to construct a new incinerator on the South Buffalo Creek.

1922: South Greensboro petitioned against the decision, 300 to 400 people, mainly women, met in local schoolhouse to oppose.



Proposed Remedy by the Department of Environmental Quality

- Grading
- Installation of geotextile
- Installation of geoweb
- Infilling geoweb with soil