



MID - ATLANTIC
TAB
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO
BROWNFIELDS COMMUNITIES

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Our Purpose

Mid-Atlantic TAB provides technical assistance to communities and stakeholders throughout EPA Region 3 to help:

- Increase understanding about what brownfields are;
- Increase community involvement in brownfield revitalization, clean up, and reuse; and
- Increase understanding of the resources available for brownfield remediation and how to comply with voluntary clean-up requirements.



Our Team

Mid-Atlantic TAB is a collaboration of leading programs across the region:



TAB Services

TAB is funded through the EPA
and therefore FREE to all
stakeholders throughout EPA
Region 3



What is a Brownfield?

The US EPA defines a brownfield as “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.”





Or it can
look like
this...



Benefits of Brownfield Cleanup

Brownfields provide a unique opportunity to:

- **Remediate contamination:** reducing existing health risks to people and the environment
- **Catalyze** community and economic **revitalization**
- **Address past harms to communities** *while improving resilience*
- Transition to **green practices** and **cleaner energy**



Source: City of Norfolk, VA

Brownfields Clean up Process

Planning

Assessment

Demolition

Cleanup &
redevelopment



Source: City of Wilmington, DE/Stromberg/Garrigan & Assoc

TAB Services

Education & Outreach	Site Specific Assistance	EPA Grant Assistance	
		Applicants	Awardees
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Webinars• Fact Sheets• Brownfields Bootcamp• Community Trainings• Conference Presentations• General resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Design Assistance• Community involvement & facilitation• Inventory Support• Resource Roadmaps	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshops & webinars• Grant planning consultations• SAM.gov/grants.gov support• Grant review• Grant debrief	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cooperative agreement support• Grant Kickoff• RFP support• Quality Assurance info• Community Involvement• Grant Debriefs

EPA Brownfields Grants

- Assessment Grants
 - *Funding for brownfield inventories, planning, environmental assessments and community outreach*
- Clean up grants
 - *Provide funding to carry out cleanup activities at sites owned by the applicant*
- Multipurpose grants
 - *Combination of the above*
- Revolving Loan Fund grants



FY25 EPA Grants Season (coming soon!)

Assessment grants * Clean up grants * Revolving Loan Fund grants

No Multipurpose grants in FY25

Who's Eligible for EPA grants?

- State, local and tribal government
- General purpose units of local government
- Regional council or redevelopment agencies
- 501(c)3 non-profit organizations
- Quasi-governmental agencies

FY25 EPA Grants Season TAB Webinars

DELAWARE: October 17, 11AM to Noon

MARYLAND: October 9th, 11AM- Noon

More info and registration: <https://brownfields.wvu.edu/>



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