

Soil Management Program

Have you had your soil tested?

In 2019, we're expanding our soil testing and remediation program.

We offer soil testing and, in qualifying yards, replacement of soil or improvements to ground cover on a prioritized basis.



Our aim is to identify and offer soil testing to all residential properties with children under 12 years old.

Following soil testing, we'll prioritize properties for soil management based on:

- 1 The presence of children in key age groups,
- 2 The presence of ground cover, such as grass, and
- 3 Lead levels in soil.



If you have children under 12, contact us to learn more.

What's new?

Major improvements have been made to lower metal emissions from Teck Trail Operations, resulting in improved air quality. This means that Teck is not adding as many metals such as lead into the soil.



We can now focus more on addressing the historical impacts to soil from past emissions.

As would be expected, lead and other metals in soil are higher closer to the operation, and lower moving away from the operation. As such, properties further away may require no action.

Our immediate focus will be on those properties that are expected to have higher levels of metals in the soil, such as those nearest the smelter.

Soil testing will be prioritized based on the presence of children under 12 within areas that are known to have the highest levels of lead in the soil.

For more information

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