



Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics - Hoosick Falls Timeline

December 2014:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics is provided test results by local officials.
- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics immediately alerts the U.S. EPA of the results.

January 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics contacts the NY Department of Environmental Conservation to notify them of the Village test results.

February – April 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics conducts a hydrogeological and geological study to characterize site conditions relative to Village well field to determine if Village wells are pulling water from the aquifer that flows under the McCaffrey Street plant.

March 2015:

- Village holds meeting with Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics, NY Department of Health and representatives from the offices of Sen. Schumer, Rep. Gibson and Sen. Marchione.

June 2015:

- Village submits proposal to New York officials for funding of Granular Activated Carbon system, funded by Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics.

July 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics presents to Village at public meeting the plan for soil and ground water testing at McCaffrey Street site.
- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics sends letter to Village residents regarding sampling and analyzing soil and water samples up- and down-gradient from the McCaffrey Street site.

August 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics conducts drilling for groundwater well monitoring installations and sampling of soil at its McCaffrey Street site.

September – October 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics conducts two rounds of groundwater testing at its facility.

October 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics offers to fund bottled water, temporary & long-term GAC systems.

November 2015:

- Bottled water distribution begins immediately.
- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics meets with NY DOH to discuss viability of GAC filtration.



December 2015:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics meets with Rensselaer County DOH to confirm viability of Point of Entry Treatment Systems filtration.
- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics begins to fund installation of POETs for Village institutions, schools and businesses.

January 2016:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics meets with Senator Schumer's office and State Senator Kathy Marchione.

February 2016:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics meets with NY DEC, NY DOH and Region 2 EPA to discuss Superfund investigation.
- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics hosts Congressman Gibson, Assemblyman McLaughlin and representatives of Village to tour the GAC water filtration system installation in Hoosick Falls.
- Temporary GAC water filtration system funded by Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics is installed.

April 2016:

- The NY DOH declares the temporary GAC filtration system funded by Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics has eliminated detectable levels of PFCs, including PFOA, from the water.

June 2016:

- Saint-Gobain Performance Plastics signs the McCaffrey Street Consent Order.

February 2017:

- The New York State Departments of Health and Environmental Conservation announced that the Village of Hoosick Falls' municipal water system has fully transitioned to the new full capacity GAC system.