

Green Remediation and Risk Management: Can We Optimize Site Remediation and Be Sustainable?



- Introducing LVM
- What is Sustainable Remediation?
- PHC's Contamination of Sediment
- Sustainable Remediation in Alberta
- Conclusion



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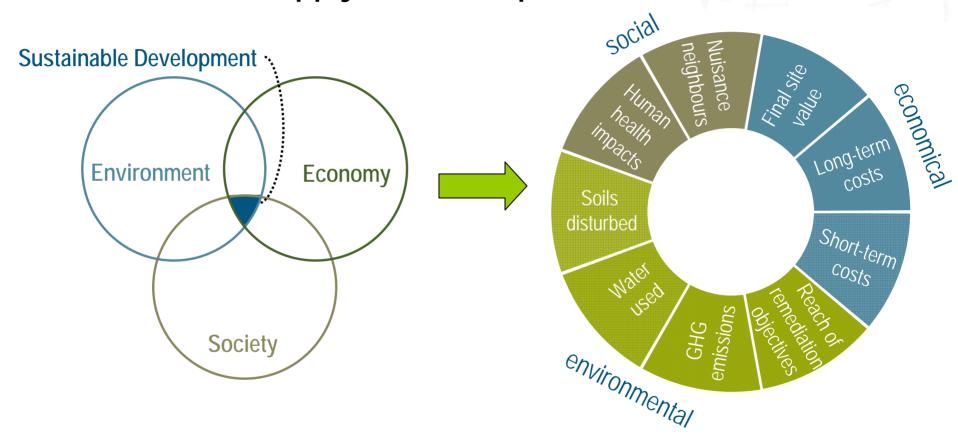




WHAT IS SUSTAINABLE REMEDIATION?

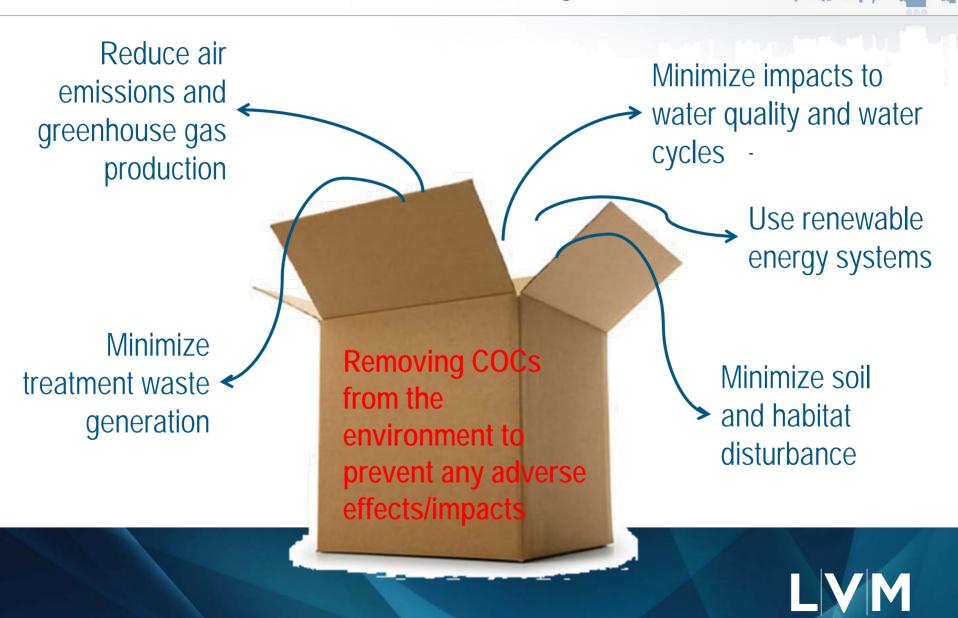


How could we apply this concept to site remediation?

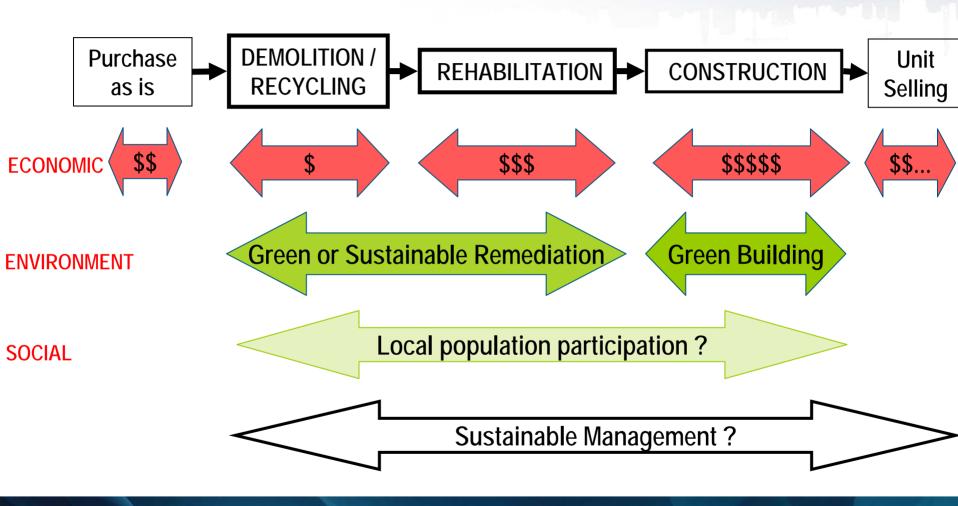




GREEN REMEDIATION- Thinking outside the box



Sustainable Site Rehabilitation and Redevelopment





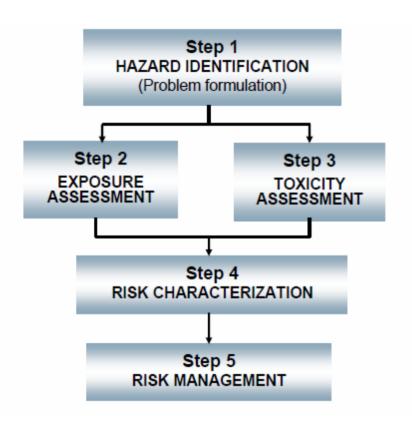
Sustainable Rehabilitation Tools

- + Life Cycle Analysis (local to global impacts)
- + Software (indicators of sustainability)
- + Multicriteria Decision Analysis (MCDA)
- + Green Remediation (U.S.EPA)



Sustainable Rehabilitation Tools

+ Risk Assessment

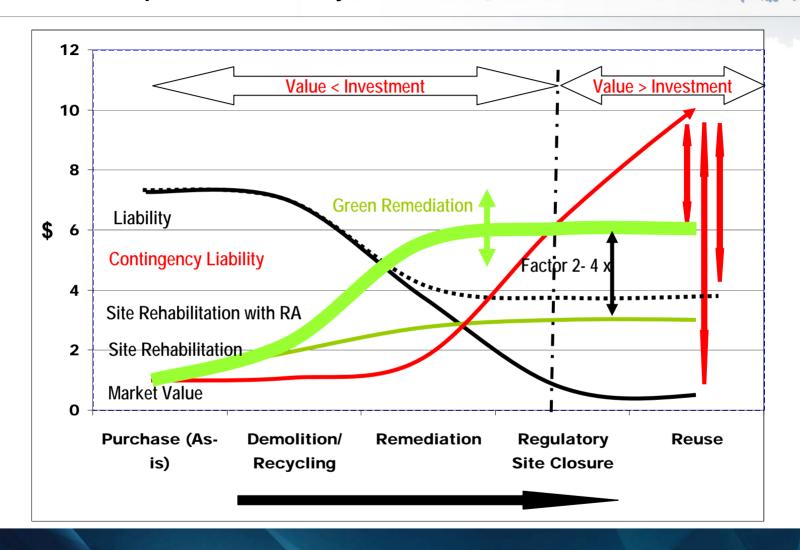


- Rehabilitation + Reduce Cost by a factor up to 4 times compared to soil excavation/disposal and soil treatment
- + Reduce GHG emissions
- +Create a safe and healthy environment



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Redevelopment Life-cycle







Sustainability Project:

Petroleum Hydrocarbons Decontamination at the Port of Montreal

















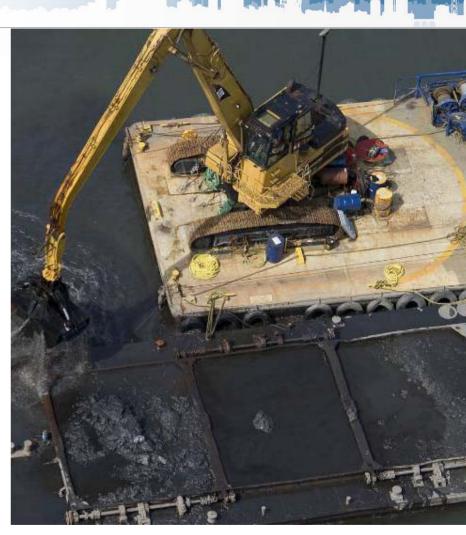


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PHCs Decontamination - Port of Montreal

Sustainability challenges

- + Dredge more than 1.8 million cubic feet of contaminated sediment
- + Minimize impact on neighbour properties by controlling noise, dust and smells
- + Prevent hydrocarbon emissions from entering the river during dredging works
- + Create a healthy environment for aquatic life
- + Respond to the specific needs of all parties involved

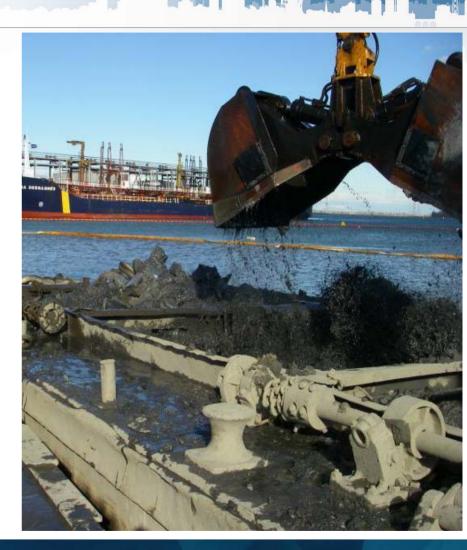




PHCs Decontamination - Port of Montreal

Keys of Success

- + IOL, Shell, Xstrata and the Montreal Port Authority joined forces to **voluntarily** rehabilitate the bays
- + A Consultation Group was set up including the industry, the local community, government representatives, environmental groups and LVM experts
- + A Work Supervision Committee was also formed



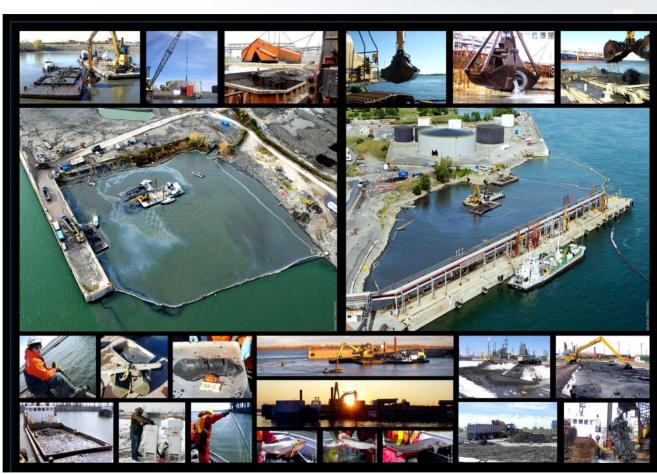




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Outcome

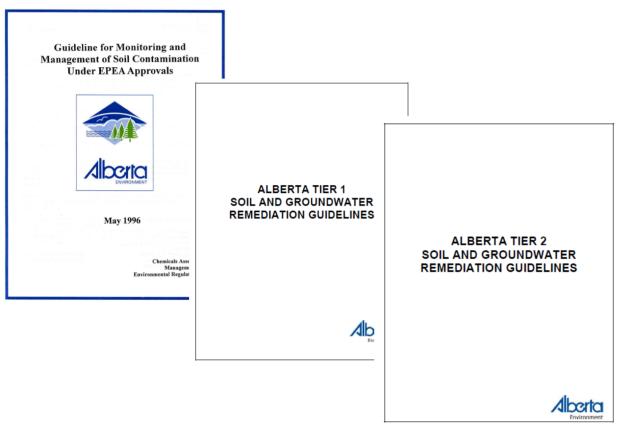
- + Thanks to efficient communication between stakeholders, the project was accepted by the MDDEP
- + 99%decontamination of the riverbeds
- + A successful sustainable development project





+ Sustainable Remediation in Alberta

+Alberta's Framework for the Management of Contaminated Sites



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Sustainable Remediation in Alberta

- + Better integration of this approach at early stage and all phases of the process according to the specificity of the site:
 - Brownfields (urban environment, local population)
 - Oil Sands (site remoteness, native population)
 - Etc.
- + Implementation of Directives or Incentives to achieve Sustainable Remediation?









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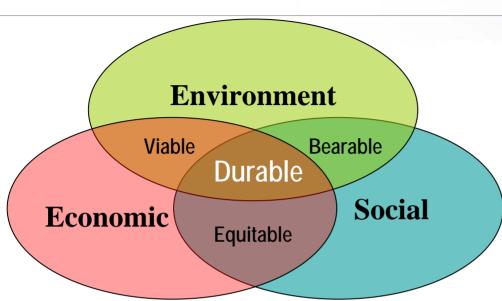




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CONCLUSION



+ENVIRONMENT: IS ORIENTED
TOWARD GREENER TECHNOLOGIES
AND SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT
OF MATTER (WATER, SOIL, AIR AND
WASTE) AND ENERGY (OIL & GAS,
WIND, SUN)

ECONOMY REMAINS
THE DRIVER OF THE
PROCESS FOR
CONTAMINATED SITE
REDEVELOPMENT EVEN
SUSTAINABLE

SOCIAL ASPECTS REMAIN THE POOR PARENT OF SD BECAUSE OF LIMITED INVOLVEMENT OF THE POPULATION IN THE PROCESS OF SITE REDEVELOPMENT



