

## Dirt Is Dirt, Right? Issues You Face When Moving Dirt At Construction Sites

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Tim Haley and Tammy Helminski teamed up on an article regarding management of construction soil for the March 2018 EM Magazine, the Magazine for Environmental Managers, published by the Air & Waste Management Association. The article “Dirt is Dirt – Right?” discusses environmental issues regarding moving dirt at construction sites, whether that construction site be contaminated, marginally contaminated, or clean and general strategies for evaluating risks at those sites. [Read the full article](#) to learn more about:

- Knowing if your dirt is impacted and understanding the risks at your development site
- How failing to incorporate lawful handling and disposal requirements into a project can give rise to significant additional and unanticipated costs
- How identifying and anticipating potential issues in advance can minimize potential environmental liabilities and unanticipated delays

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