

Steps on How to Make an Environmental Justice ACS Summary Report

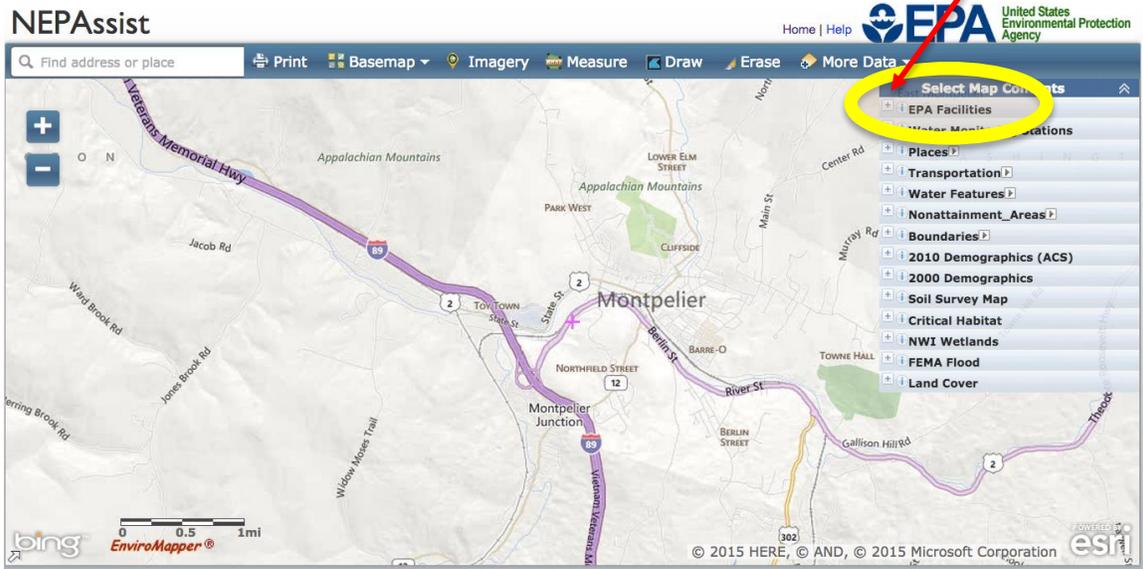
Step 1. Go to the NEPAssist [website](#) and select Go to NEPAssist.

The screenshot shows the EPA website's NEPA section. The header includes the EPA logo and the text 'U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY'. Below the header is the 'National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)' title with a search bar and a 'Share' button. A navigation breadcrumb trail reads: 'You are here: EPA Home » Compliance and Enforcement » National Environmental Policy Act » NEPAssist'. The main heading is 'NEPAssist'. The text describes the tool's purpose: 'NEPAssist is a tool that facilitates the environmental review process and project planning in relation to environmental considerations. The web-based application draws environmental data dynamically from EPA Geographic Information System databases and web services and provides immediate screening of environmental assessment indicators for a user-defined area of interest. These features contribute to a streamlined review process that potentially raises important environmental issues at the earliest stages of project development.' A note states: 'Note: Users are reporting problems using NEPAssist and Internet Explorer. No problems are being reported using other browsers.' Below this, the 'Go to NEPAssist' link is circled in yellow. Other links include 'For Information Regarding Environmental Justice, see EJView' and 'Resources for NEPAssist Users:'. A list of resources includes 'NEPAssist Help (PDF) (24p, 6mb, About PDF)' and 'Contact Us: nepassisthelp@epa.gov'. A map of the United States is visible on the right side of the page.

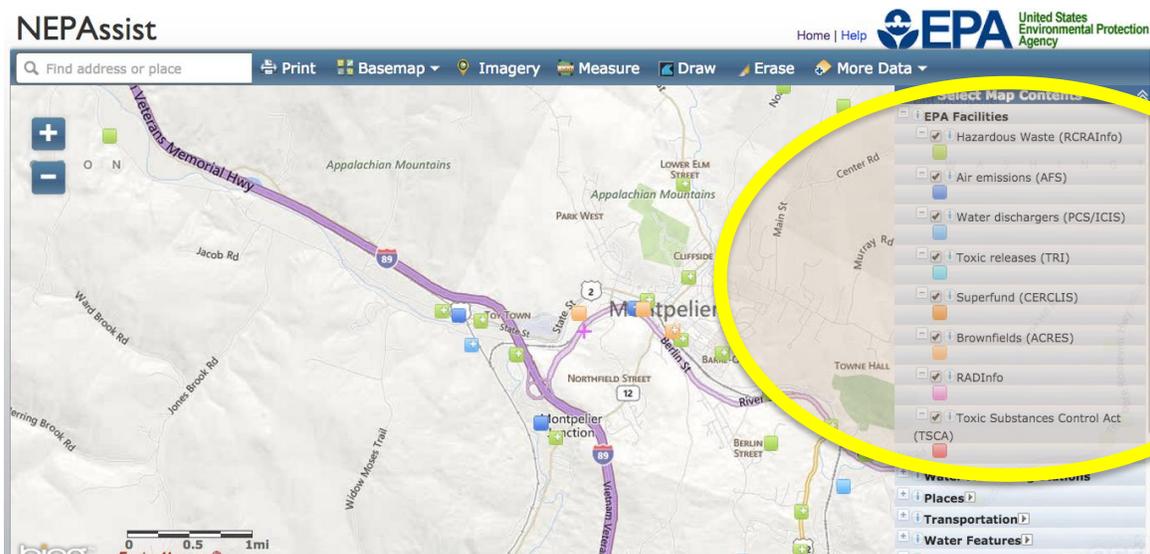
Step 2. Enter in the Project address and hit enter or select Search.

The screenshot shows the EPA website's NEPAssist tool page. The header includes the EPA logo and the text 'United States Environmental Protection Agency'. Below the header are navigation tabs: 'LEARN THE ISSUES', 'SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY', 'LAWS & REGULATIONS', and 'ABOUT EPA'. There are links for 'Advanced Search' and 'A-Z Index'. The main heading is 'NEPAssist'. A navigation breadcrumb trail reads: 'You are here: EPA Home » NEPAssist Home'. The text describes the tool's purpose: 'NEPAssist is a tool that facilitates the environmental review process and project planning in relation to environmental considerations. The web-based application draws environmental data dynamically from EPA's Geographic Information System databases and web services and provides immediate screening of environmental assessment indicators for a user-defined area of interest. These features contribute to a streamlined review process that potentially raises important environmental issues at the earliest stages of project development.' A note states: 'Visit the Help section in the NEPAssist tool. Notes About NEPAssist Accessibility'. Below this, the 'Enter New Study Area' form is circled in yellow. The form includes a search box with the text 'Enter address, airport, zip, city, county, state, tribe, or country' and a 'Search' button. Below the search box, the text reads: 'A study area can be a place or an area. To get a map of the vicinity of an area of interest, you can enter an address, ZIP code, city, county, watershed, or a pair of coordinates in the search box.'

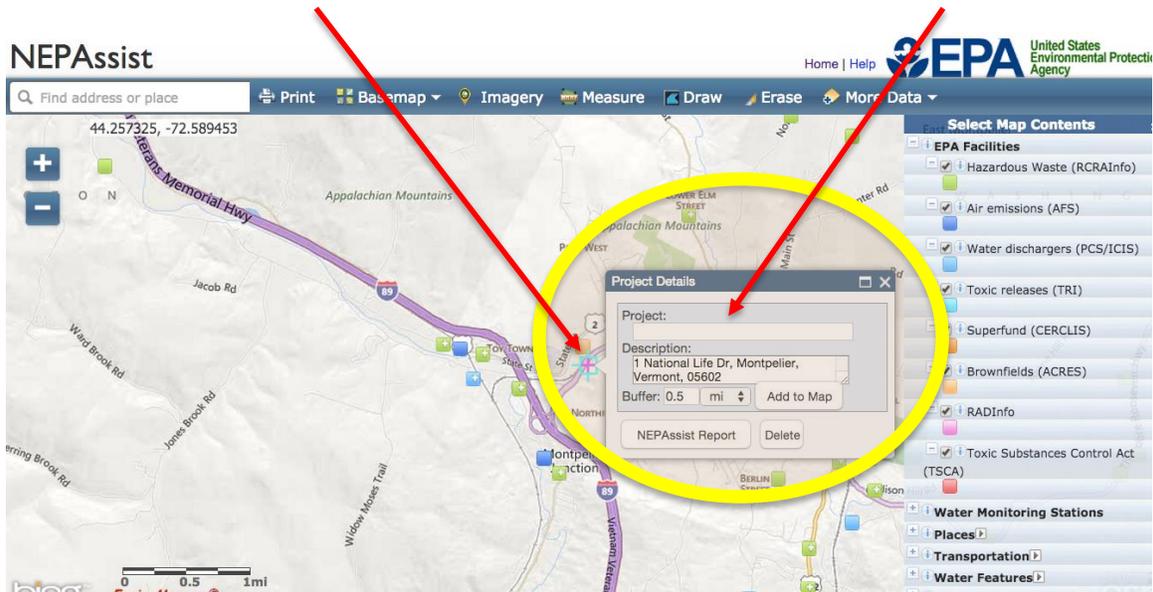
Step 3. A new page will populate, as shown below. On the right hand side, expand EPA facilities.



Step 4. Under EPA facilities, check each facility individually.



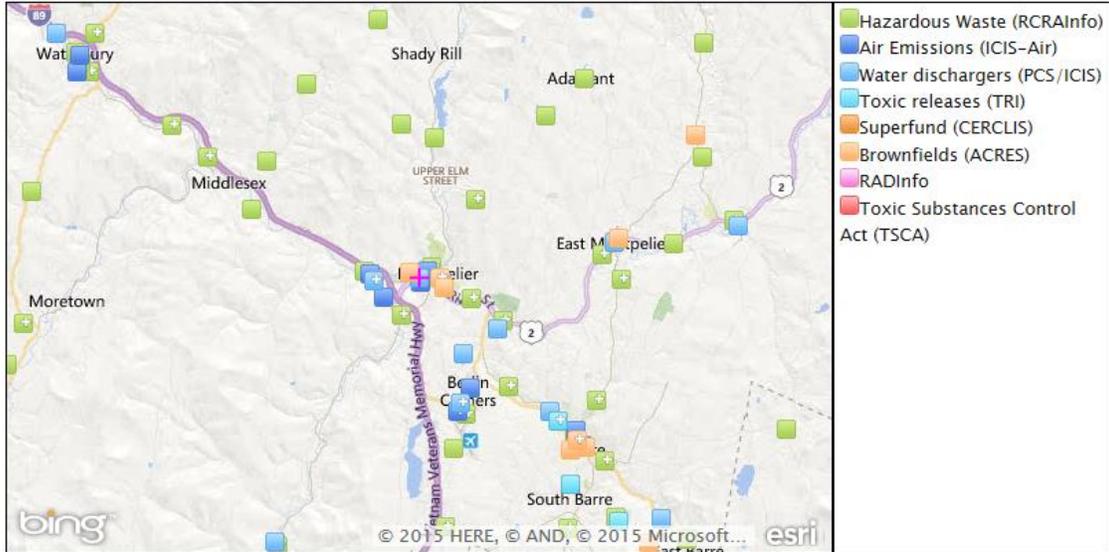
Step 5. Select the pink cross, which is your project location and enter Project title.



Step 6. The following page, below, will populate.

National Life Project Area

Map



Geographic coordinates:

POINT (44.257615,-72.585115)
with buffer 0.5 miles

Note: The information in the following reports is based on publicly available databases and web services. The National Report uses nationally available datasets and the State Reports use datasets available through the EPA Regions. Click on the hyperlinked question to view the data source and associated metadata.

National Report

Project Location	44.257615,-72.585115
Within 0.5 mile of an Ozone 8 - hr Non-Attainment Area?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a PM2.5 Non-Attainment Area?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a Lead Non-Attainment Area?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a Federal Land?	no
Within 0.5 mile of an impaired stream?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of an impaired waterbody?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a waterbody?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a stream?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of an NWI wetland?	click here May take several minutes
Within 0.5 mile of a Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a RADInfo site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a Brownfields site?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of a Superfund site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) site?	no

Step 7. Select Demographic Reports, as shown below.

[-] **National Report** ⓘ

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Within 0.5 mile of an impaired stream?	yes
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Within 0.5 mile of a Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a RADInfo site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a Brownfields site?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of a Superfund site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) site?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a water discharger (NPDES)?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of an air emission facility?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of a hazardous waste (RCRA) facility?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of a school?	yes
Within 0.5 mile of an airport?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a hospital?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a designated sole source aquifer?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a historic property on the National Register of Historic Places?	yes

Save to Excel

Save as PDF

[+] **Wetland Report** ⓘ

[+] **Demographic Reports** ⓘ

[+] **USFWS IPaC Report** ⓘ

Step 8. The following will populate after Demographic Reports is selected. Select ACS Summary Report.

Within 0.5 mile of an airport?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a hospital?	no
Within 0.5 mile of a designated sole source aquifer?	no
<u>Within 0.5 mile of a historic property on the National Register of Historic Places?</u>	yes

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⊕ **Vermont Report** ⓘ

⊖ **Demographic Reports** ⓘ

Note: The demographic reports are provided by EJSCREEN. The reports are generated based on your project area and the surrounding area. For more information, visit the [EJSCREEN](#) website.

- ACS Summary Report EXIT NEPAassist >
- Census 2010 Summary (SF1) EXIT NEPAassist >
- Census 2000 Summary (SF3) EXIT NEPAassist >

⊕ **USFWS IPaC Report** ⓘ

Step 9. The EJScreen ACS Summary Report will populate, as shown below. Please save as a PDF and upload to the Supporting Documents page in IntelliGrants.



EJSCREEN ACS Summary Report



Location: User-specified point center at 44.257615, -72.585115
 Ring (buffer): 0.5-mile radius
 Description: National Life Project Area

Summary of ACS Estimates	2008 - 2012
Population	213
Population Density (per sq. mile)	584
Minority Population	12
% Minority	6%
Households	104
Housing Units	111
Housing Units Built Before 1950	54
Per Capita Income	33,420
Land Area (sq. miles) (Source: SF1)	0.36
% Land Area	98%
Water Area (sq. miles) (Source: SF1)	0.01
% Water Area	2%

	2008 - 2012 ACS Estimates	Percent	MOE (±)
Population by Race			
Total	213	100%	231
Population Reporting One Race	205	96%	308
White	200	94%	234
Black	0	0%	16
American Indian	0	0%	9
Asian	4	2%	31
Pacific Islander	0	0%	9
Some Other Race	0	0%	9
Population Reporting Two or More Races	8	4%	62
Total Hispanic Population	0	0%	9
Total Non-Hispanic Population	212		
White Alone	200	94%	234
Black Alone	0	0%	16
American Indian Alone	0	0%	9
Non-Hispanic Asian Alone	4	2%	31
Pacific Islander Alone	0	0%	9
Other Race Alone	0	0%	9
Two or More Races Alone	8	4%	62
Population by Sex			
Male	88	41%	132
Female	125	59%	161
Population by Age			
Age 0-4	8	4%	53
Age 0-17	20	9%	94
Age 18+	193	91%	215
Age 65+	37	18%	103

Data Note: Detail may not sum to totals due to rounding. Hispanic population can be of any race. N/A means not available.
 Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (ACS) 2008 - 2012.

Step 10. Assess if the project creates any adverse environmental impacts. If so, determine if these impacts are disproportionately affecting low/moderate income individuals and/or minority populations. If so, your project has an Environmental Justice (EJ) issue. If there are no adverse environmental impacts or potential EJ issues, then compliance has been met. The project's potential impacts and its effects on EJ communities **must** be discussed in the checklist.