Cone Drive cleanup



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Workers from Team Elmer's prepare a tarp that will be used to hold back water from the Boardman Lake shoreline as part of ongoing cleanup work near the Cone Drive plant in Traverse City. Water will be drained along the shore to allow for removal of around 1,800 cubic yards of contaminated soil that will be landfilled and replaced with clean sand and gravel. The work is being paid for by Textron Inc., former owners of the Cone Drive plant that was sold late last year to Scotland-based Clyde Bowers as part of a billion-dollar deal.