

Site Register

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The Site Register is published every two weeks to inform you about public comment periods, public meetings, hearings, and other information related to the study and cleanup of hazardous waste sites under the Model Toxics Control Act, Chapter 70.105D RCW.

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FORMAL CLEANUPS

Ecology oversees complex cleanup sites to ensure that your health and that of the environment are protected.

GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY

Most Western Laundry, B Street and 16th Street, Hoquiam Facility Site ID# 1117

**Public comment period:
5/15/07 – 6/15/07**

Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study (RI/FS) Scope of Work Available for Public Review and Comment, SEPA Early Scoping Notice

Most Western Laundry operated as an industrial and commercial laundry and dry cleaner for about 80 years. The property is approximately 15,000 square feet in size and was purchased by Most Western Laundry and Dry Cleaners, Inc. in 1964.

In 1978, a dry cleaning unit using tetrachloroethylene (perc) was installed and the distiller units generated spent perc, a listed federal and state regulated waste. Perc spills later contaminated the ground and migrated to the storm sewer, and eventually the Hoquiam River.

In 1987, Most Western Laundry hired a contractor to perform an RI/FS. Soil samples had perc above state cleanup standards, so contaminated soil was removed, but later soil samples showed remaining contamination. A 1994 fire destroyed all structures on the site.

At this time, Most Western Limited, Inc. does not have money to clean up the Most Western Laundry site. Ecology negotiated an agreed order with Most Western Limited, Inc. in February 2007 allowing Ecology access to investigate and clean up the site.

This notice is also a State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) early scoping notice. Ecology has not yet reviewed the potential environmental impacts of cleaning up this site. Please use this comment period to help Ecology identify environmental issues that need to be evaluated.

Public comment on the scoping for the RI and FS will be considered during the RI/FS process and may be used to make changes to the scope of work. Following the RI/FS, Ecology will prepare a Cleanup Action Plan, which will also be available for public review and comment.

You may review the scope of work for the RI/FS at the following locations:

- Hoquiam City Hall, 609 8th Street, Hoquiam, WA 98550 **360/532-5700**
- Timberland Library, 420 – 7th Street, Hoquiam, WA 98550 **360/532-1710**
- Ecology Southwest Regional Office, 300 Desmond Drive, Lacey, WA 98503 (Please call **360/407-6365** or e-mail Dene461@ecy.wa.gov for an appointment.)
- Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/most_western_laundry/most_western.html
- Ecology's Public Involvement Calendar: <http://apps.ecy.wa.gov/pubcalendar/calendar.asp>

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Guy Barrett**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **360/407-7115** or e-mail Gbar461@ecy.wa.gov. For public involvement information, please contact **Hannah Aoyagi**, Public Involvement Coordinator at **360/407-6790** or e-mail Haoy461@ecy.wa.gov.

**Whitney's Chevrolet, 123 W. Pioneer Avenue, Montesano
Facility Site ID# 36813164**

**Public comment period:
5/30/07 – 6/29/07**

Agreed Order for a Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study (RI/FS) Available for Public Comment, SEPA Early Scoping Notice

Ecology and three potentially liable parties (PLPs) have signed an agreed order (agreement) to perform a Remedial Investigation and Feasibility Study (RI/FS) at the site known as Whitney's Chevrolet. The site is polluted with volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and gasoline range petroleum hydrocarbons.

The PLPs include:

- Whitney's Chevrolet, Inc.
- Caldwell Family Holdings, LLC.
- Wynochee Lodge #42 F&AM.

The business run by Whitney's Chevrolet, Inc. used to store and sell gasoline at 123 W. Pioneer Avenue. In 1995, they had three underground storage tanks removed. Soil samples taken from the pit where the tanks sat showed high levels of benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylene (BTEX).

In 2003, Ecology found that waste solvents and waste oil were being put into fuel storage tanks. The tanks were then decommissioned and cleaned. However, solvents were found in groundwater on the Sterling Savings Bank property next door.

In 2005, Ecology found gasoline range hydrocarbons and VOCs in both soil and groundwater samples from the property and nearby areas. In the fall of 2005, Ecology did a Site Hazard Assessment and decided that the PLPs should begin a formal cleanup under the Model Toxics Control Act (Chapter 70.105D RCW).

This is also a State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) early scoping notice. Ecology has not yet determined the potential environmental impacts of

cleaning up this site. Please use this comment period to help Ecology identify environmental issues that need to be evaluated.

Documents related to the cleanup are available for public review at:

- W. H. Abel Library, 7125 North Main Street, Montesano, WA 98563 **360/249-4211**
- Montesano City Hall, 112 North Main Street, Montesano, WA 98563 **360/249-3021**
- Ecology Southwest Regional Office, 300 Desmond Drive, Lacey, WA 98504-7775 (Please call **360/407-6365** or e-mail **Dene461@ecy.wa.gov** for an appointment.)

• Ecology's website at **http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/whitneys/whitneys_hp.htm**

• Ecology's Public Involvement Calendar: **<http://apps.ecy.wa.gov/pubcalendar/calendar.asp>**

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Dom Reale**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **360/407-6266** or e-mail **Drea461@ecy.wa.gov**. For public involvement information, please contact **Hannah Aoyagi**, Public Involvement Coordinator at **360/407-6790** or e-mail **Haoy461@ecy.wa.gov**.

KING COUNTY

**BNSF Skykomish Site (Former Maintenance and Fueling Facility), Skykomish
Facility Site ID# 2104**

**Public comment period:
6/12/07 – 7/14/07**

Draft Consent Decree, Draft Cleanup Action Plan, Draft Public Participation Plan, and Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement

Ecology proposes to settle the liability for BNSF Railway Company (BNSF) for cleanup of the entire site. Under a

Consent Decree, active cleanup would begin in 2008 and continue through 2011. Natural resource damages in the amount of \$5.5 million are included in this proposed settlement.

Railroad maintenance and fueling facilities operated in Skykomish from the late 1890s until 1974. Over the decades, bunker C and diesel fuel oil were discharged to the environment on the railyard. The oil flowed downward to the water table, and then horizontally along the water table under the Town of Skykomish to the South Fork of the Skykomish River. Seasonal changes in the depth of the water table have resulted in the oil being smeared in soils across the groundwater column. Free product occurs at the groundwater table, and groundwater contains dissolved oil. An estimated 2 million gallons of oil remain to be addressed by cleanup actions.

The railroad is currently owned by BNSF Railway. BNSF and Ecology have been investigating the site since 1993, and BNSF has completed several interim actions toward cleanup. Remedial Investigations and a Feasibility Study (RI/FS) were completed on the site and accepted by Ecology in 2005.

The most recent Interim Action was conducted in 2006 to remove free product and oil from the sediments in the Skykomish River and from soil 135 feet upland of the river. The Interim Action included moving 5 homes to excavate the soil and collect the oil. Approximately 23,700 gallons of oil were recovered and recycled and approximately 70,000 cubic yards of contaminated soil, over 104,000 tons, were removed from the site and disposed of in an engineered facility. The Interim Action is part of the overall settlement for cleanup of the site.

This settlement also resolves BNSF's natural resource damages liability with the State of Washington at for the site. BNSF has agreed to conduct work and pay funds worth \$5.5 million to compensate for natural resource injuries to the environment. The money will be used to restore, enhance and protect

the natural resources and compensate for lost recreational opportunities in and around the Town of Skykomish and the Skykomish and Snohomish River watershed.

Ecology would like comments on the documents relating to the proposed settlement for cleanup and restoration.

The documents are:

- Draft Consent Decree
- Draft Cleanup Action Plan
- Draft Public Participation Plan
- Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement

The draft documents will be made final after comments are received and appropriate changes are made based on the comments.

Ecology is hosting: 1) a public meeting to introduce the documents and discuss the plans; 2) public meetings/hearings to receive oral comments on the plans; and 3) an availability meeting at the end of the comment period to answer questions and receive written comments.

- Informational Public Meeting: Wednesday, June 13, 2007, 6 – 8 pm, Community Center, 208 Railroad Avenue, Skykomish
- Public Meeting/Hearing: Tuesday, July 10, 2007, 6 – 8 pm, Community Center, 208 Railroad Avenue, Skykomish
- Public Meeting/Hearing: Thursday, July 12, 2007, 10 am – 12 pm, Ecology NW Regional Office, 3190 160th Avenue SE, Bellevue
- Availability Meeting: Saturday, July 14, 2007, 10 am – 12 pm, Community Center, 208 Railroad Avenue, Skykomish

Documents related to the cleanup are available for public review at:

- Skykomish Library, 100 Fifth Street, Skykomish
- Ecology Northwest Regional Office, 3190 160th Ave. SE, Bellevue, WA 98008-5482. (Please call **425/649-7190**

for an appointment.)

- Ecology's website at: www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/bnsf_sky/bnsf_sky.htm.

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Louise Bardy**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **425/649-7209** or e-mail Lbar461@ecy.wa.gov.

**CHS Auburn Site, 238 8th Street SE, Auburn
Facility Site ID# 2487**

**Public comment period:
5/10/07 – 6/8/07**

Draft Agreed Order, Draft Work Plan, and Draft Public Participation Plan Available for Public Review and Comment

Ecology is seeking public comment on a proposed legal agreement called an Agreed Order between Ecology and CHS Inc. (CHS). This agreement will require CHS to investigate and cleanup petroleum contamination at the CHS Auburn site. This site is a gasoline sales and bulk tank facility.

Contamination, primarily petroleum related products, was confirmed in soil and groundwater at the site in 1994.

Emergency actions were taken to cleanup the site. To fully characterize the contamination, and evaluate cleanup options, this additional study is required.

Under the legal agreement, CHS will complete the following tasks:

- Conduct a Remedial Investigation/ Feasibility Study to determine the nature and extent of contamination remaining.
- Continue to operate and maintain existing air sparging (AS) systems that were installed during the 1994 emergency cleanup actions. The air sparging systems contain and remove petroleum from groundwater in the vicinity of the site.

- Enter data into Ecology's Environmental Information System.

The Agreed Order also contains a draft work plan and a draft public participation plan. The work plan details the tasks to be conducted during this phase of the cleanup. The draft public participation plan describes the tools that Ecology will use to inform the public about site activities, and also identifies opportunities for the community to become involved in this process.

Valley Supply Co-op operated a gasoline distribution business at this site from 1920 to 1985. Cenex purchased the facility from Valley Supply in 1985. Cenex and later CHS continued business operations at the site, including bulk and retail sales and operation of above- and under-ground bulk and retail petroleum storage tanks.

Documents are available for review at:

- Auburn Public Library, 1102 Auburn Way South, Auburn, WA 98002
- Ecology Northwest Regional Office, 3190 160th Ave. SE, Bellevue, WA 98008-5482 (Please call **425/649-7190** for an appointment.)
- Ecology's website at <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/sites.html>

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Brian Sato**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **425/649-7265** or e-mail Bsato461@ecy.wa.gov. For public involvement information, please contact **Justine Asohmbom**, Public Involvement Coordinator at **425/649-7135** or e-mail Juas461@ecy.wa.gov.

**Former General Electric Dawson Street Plant, 220 S. Dawson Street, Seattle
Facility Site ID# 2522**

**Public comment period:
5/10/07 – 6/11/07**

Agreed Order Issued

Ecology has issued an agreed order to

the General Electric Company (GE) for the former Dawson Street Plant. The agreed order requires GE to complete an interim action to install a vapor intrusion mitigation system to prevent or significantly reduce the upward movement of trichloroethylene (TCE) vapors into the 220 S. Dawson Street Building. While GE occupied the building, it produced and tested aircraft parts. Hazardous substances were spilled and also leaked from sumps and tanks and entered the underlying soils and groundwater. The main contaminants are TCE, 111 trichloroethane (111 TCA), fuels, and oils.

The agreed order is available for review at the following locations for public review at:

- New Holly Library, 7058 32nd Ave. S., Seattle **206/386-1905** (Monday and Tuesday: 1:00 – 8:00 PM; Wednesday and Thursday: 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM; Friday and Saturday: 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM.)
- Ecology Northwest Regional Office, 3190 160th Ave. SE, Bellevue, WA 98008-5482 (Please call **425/649-7190** for an appointment.)
- Ecology’s website at <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/hwtr/foia/index.html>
- Ecology’s Public Involvement Calendar: <http://apps.ecy.wa.gov/pubcalendar/calendar.asp>

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Dean Yasuda**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **425/649-7264** or e-mail Dyas461@ecy.wa.gov.

KITSAP COUNTY

Hansville Landfill Site, Hansville Facility Site ID# 2605

Public comment period:
5/24/07 – 6/25/07

Draft Remedial Investigation Report Available for Public Review and Comment

Ecology invites comments on the Remedial Investigation Report for the Hansville Landfill site. The Hansville Landfill (Landfill) is located 4 ½ miles south of the community of Hansville on the northernmost reach of the Kitsap Peninsula. The Port Gamble S’Klallam Tribal property lies between the Landfill and Port Gamble Bay.

In October 1995, Ecology entered into a legal agreement called a consent decree with Kitsap County, and Kitsap Sanitary Landfill Inc., now known as Waste

Management of Washington Inc., to conduct a Remedial Investigation/ Feasibility Study (RI/FS) for the Hansville Landfill site. The purpose of the Remedial Investigation (RI) is to determine the extent of hazardous substances in groundwater, landfill gas, surface water, and sediment that can be attributed to the Landfill. Information and data obtained during the RI phase of the study will be used to support the evaluation of possible final cleanup solutions for the site. The RI report is now complete. Ecology is currently seeking comments on the report.

The Hansville Landfill is a closed landfill. The Landfill operated as a municipal landfill serving the northern portion of Kitsap County from about 1962 to 1989. The Landfill is divided into three separate areas: a 13 acre municipal solid waste landfill; a 4 acre demolition landfill that accepted construction, demolition, and land clearing wastes; and a one third acre septage lagoon that accepted septic tank pumping waste. The remaining landfill property consists of access roads, a soil borrow area and wooded land.

The highest concentrations of these hazardous substances appear next to the waste disposal areas with decreasing concentration at increasing distances from the Landfill. The engineered cover system and active landfill gas extraction and flaring system continue to function as designed as documented by ongoing field measurements. The concentration

of these hazardous substances on site and offsite are stable or declining over time.

The draft Remedial Investigation Report is available for review at the following locations:

- Little Boston Library, 31980 Little Boston Road NE, Kingston, WA 98346 **360/297-2670**
- Kingston Library, 11212 State Hwy 104, Kingston, WA 98346 **360/297-3330**
- Kitsap County Administration Building, Office of the Commissioners, 619 Division St, Port Orchard, WA 98366 (Please call **360/337-3050** for an appointment.)
- Kitsap County Public Works Annex, 8600 SW Imperial Way, Port Orchard, WA 98367 (Please call **360/337-4473** for an appointment.)
- Ecology Northwest Regional Office, 3190 160th Ave. SE, Bellevue, WA 98008-5482. (Please call **425/649-7190** for an appointment.)
- Ecology’s website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/hansville/hansville_hp.htm

Comments or questions about the site can be sent to **Brian Sato**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **425/649-7265** or e-mail Bsato461@ecy.wa.gov.

OKANOGAN COUNTY

Silver Mountain Mine (SMM) Site, County Road 4371, Loomis Facility Site ID# 101

Public comment period:
5/29/07 – 6/29/07

Five-Year Review

Ecology is scheduling the 3rd five-year periodic review at the Silver Mountain Mine Site located in Loomis. Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), this site requires a five-year periodic review because

contaminants remained on the site following remedial actions.

CERCLA requires periodic reviews of the cleanup at a minimum of every five years. The purpose of the five-year review is to evaluate the implementation and performance of the remedy and to make sure the remedy is protective of human health and the environment.

In 1902, underground hard rock mining for silver and gold began at the site. By 1956, developing the mine produced several tailings piles in a mine dump consisting of waste and mineralized rock. A cyanide heap leach pile, built in 1980, extracted silver and gold from the previously mined tailings. A mixture of sodium cyanide and water was sprayed on the top of the heap. The cyanide-laden solution collected in a leachate pond at the base of the heap. In 1981, the site was abandoned without cleanup or treatment of chemicals on the site. Cyanide solution remained in the leachate collection pond and in the heap pile. Also left onsite were several empty cyanide drums and large containers of carbon.

Ecology provided immediate reduction of risks at the site by neutralizing the cyanide solution in 1981 and removing drums of hazardous material left onsite in 1985. Remedial actions occurred at the site in 1992 under the Environmental Protection Agency. These remedial actions included consolidation of mined material, closure of the mine entrance, capping of the heap leach pile, fence construction at the site boundary and hydro seeding throughout the site.

Documents related to the cleanup are available for public review at:

- Ecology Central Regional Office, 15 West Yakima Ave, Suite 200, Yakima, WA 98902-3452. (Please call **509/575-2490** for an appointment.)

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Brianne Harcourt**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **509/454-7835** or e-mail **Brha461@ecy.wa.gov**.

PIERCE COUNTY

Building 9673, Dangerous Waste Storage Unit, Fort Lewis Facility Site ID# 38394393

**Public comment period:
5/20/07 – 6/20/07**

Proposed Closure of Dangerous Waste Storage Unit

Ecology proposes to approve a plan to close the Building 9673 Dangerous Waste Storage Unit at Fort Lewis.

The public is invited to comment on the proposed closure plan for this storage unit and State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) Determination of Non-Significance for this closure. After reviewing public comment, Ecology will make a final decision on the closure plan for the proposed closure.

The draft Closure Plan provides the background and describes the proposed activities to close out the building as a facility for storing dangerous waste for more than 180 days. The proposed closure activities described in the Closure Plan meet the requirements under the Hazardous Waste Management Act, RCW 70.105 (HWMA) and the Fort Lewis facility's existing interim status under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA).

Ecology has determined the proposed closure activities will not have an adverse impact on the environment and has issued a SEPA DNS.

Documents related to the cleanup are available for public review at:

- Grand Staff Library, Bldg. 2109, Pendleton Avenue, Fort Lewis (Call **253/967-5889** for library hours.)
- Ecology Southwest Regional Office, 300 Desmond Drive, Lacey, WA 98503 (Please call **360/407-6365** or e-mail **Dene461@ecy.wa.gov** for an appointment.)

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Leon Wilhelm**, Site Manager, at the Ecology

address listed above or at **407/6362** or e-mail **Leow461@ecy.wa.gov**.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY

Everett Smelter Site, Everett Facility Site ID# 2744

Everett Smelter- Mapping and Sampling of 34 homes southeast of the Legion Memorial Golf Course

The Everett Smelter site is located in northeast Everett, Snohomish County, WA. This site is contaminated with lead, arsenic and other metals. The smelter operated from 1894 to 1912. The smelter was built by the Puget Sound Reduction company and sold to ASARCO Inc. (Asarco) in 1903. Asarco operated the smelter until 1912, and demolished it between 1912 and 1915.

Ecology has identified properties with contamination, but needs to complete more mapping and sampling to determine in detail what cleanup activities need to be conducted. Ecology's contractor, Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC), will be conducting the mapping and sampling of the 34 homes southeast of the Legion Memorial Golf Course. In order to plan for cleanup, maps must be produced for each individual property to identify areas in their yard to sample and clean up. Ecology is asking property owners and tenant's permission to access their property. Ecology has set a deadline for the signed access agreements on June 12, 2007. If an access agreement is not signed, Ecology will not be able to map or sample their property. These maps are used to determine where to take soil samples in these yards. Ecology will conduct the yard mapping this summer.

Soil sampling will occur when funding becomes available.

Documents related to the cleanup are available for public review at:

- Ecology Northwest Regional Office, 3190 160th Ave. SE, Bellevue, WA 98008-5482. (Please call **425/649-7190** for an appointment.)

• Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/asarco/es_main.html.

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Jerome Cruz**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **425/649-7094** or e-mail Jcru461@ecy.wa.gov.

SPOKANE COUNTY

Progress Elementary, 710 North Progress Road, Spokane Valley Facility Site ID# 1740049

**Public comment period:
5/9/07 – 6/8/07**

Interim Action Work Plan

The public is invited to comment on documents that will guide cleanup of lead and arsenic at Progress Elementary. The Interim Action Work Plan provides background information about the project and proposed cleanup; a State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) Environmental Checklist and a SEPA Determination of Non-Significance (DNS) are also available for review and comment.

SEPA requires government agencies to consider potential environmental impacts of a project before beginning the cleanup. A DNS indicates the proposed actions will not have a probable adverse impact on the environment.

Ecology proposes to place a protective cap over soil contaminated with lead and arsenic at the playground. The work is planned to begin in June 2007 and be completed before school starts in the fall.

The cleanup is part of Ecology's Area-Wide Soil Contamination Project. Pesticides containing a mixture of lead and arsenic were used on orchard lands from 1905 until the late 1940s. In 2005 the Spokane Regional Health District sampled soil at the school because the property was a former orchard land. Results showed lead and arsenic in soil above safe levels allowed by the state.

This cleanup is necessary to protect human health and the environment.

Documents may be reviewed at the following locations:

- Spokane Valley Library, 12004 E. Main, Spokane Valley (Call **Stacey Goddard** at **509/893-8400**.)
- Ecology Eastern Regional Office, 4601 N. Monroe, Spokane. (Please call **Johnnie Landis** at **509/329-3415** for an appointment.)
- Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/progress_es/progress_es_hp.htm
- To learn more about lead and arsenic see Ecology's Dirt Alert brochure at: <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/biblio/0609048.html>

Para asistencia en Espanol: **Sr. Gregory Bohn** at **509/454-4174**.

Если вам нужно помощь по русский, звоните: **Tatyana Bistrevsky** at **509/477-3881**.

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Sandra Treccani**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **509/329-3412** or e-mail Satr461@ecy.wa.gov.

Kaiser Aluminum Fabricated Products (formerly Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corporation), 15000 East Euclid Avenue, Spokane Valley Facility Site ID# 53481373

**Public comment period:
5/29/07 – 6/27/07**

Interim Actions at the West Discharge Ravine on the Trentwood Site

Ecology and Kaiser propose to clean up PCBs and petroleum-contaminated soil at the West Discharge Ravine located on the Trentwood site. Trentwood is located at 15000 East Euclid Avenue in the city of Spokane Valley, Spokane County, Washington.

Kaiser is conducting investigations of soil and ground water at the site under a legal agreement made with Ecology in 2005. These investigations revealed PCBs and petroleum contamination in soil in the West Discharge Ravine. Interim Actions provide for accelerated cleanup to protect human health and the environment. These cleanup actions are necessary for the following reasons:

- The contamination is close to the Spokane River, and cleanup removes an exposure pathway of concern to the river.
- Cleanup improves protection of surface and groundwater.
- Cleanup provides greater protection for human health and the environment.
- To reduce threats to human health and the environment.
- Soil at the ravine containing PCBs and petroleum is above levels allowed by state and federal standards.

The draft Interim Actions Work Plan which provides details about the project and proposed cleanup is available for review. A State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) checklist, SEPA Determination of Non-Significance (DNS), and Substantive Permit Requirements are also available for review at the following locations:

- Argonne County Library, 4322 N. Argonne, Spokane, WA
- Spokane Valley Library, 12004 E. Main, Spokane Valley, WA
- Spokane Public Library, 906 W. Main, Spokane, WA
- Ecology Eastern Regional Office, 4601 N. Monroe, Spokane. (Please call **Johnnie Landis** at **509/329-3415** for an appointment.)
- Ecology's website at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/sites/Kaiser_trentwood/kaiser_tw_hp.html.

Para asistencia en Espanol: **Sr. Gregory Bohn** at **509/454-4174**.

Если вам нужна помощь по русский, звоните: **Tatyana Bistrevsky** at **509/477-3881**.

For more information or to submit written comments, please contact **Ms. Teresita Bala**, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed above or at **509/329-3543** or e-mail **Tbal461@ecy.wa.gov**.

INDEPENDENT CLEANUPS

A property owner may conduct an independent cleanup of contamination and submit reports to Ecology. When a property owner applies to Ecology for review of their independent cleanup, the site enters the Voluntary Cleanup Program. After review, Ecology sends a letter to the property owner stating either that additional work is required to be removed from the list of hazardous waste sites or that no further action is needed.

GRANT COUNTY

Eastern Regional Office Contact: Patti Carter 509/329-3522

Boeing Moses Lake Facility North Field Area, Moses Lake - Report received: Independent Cleanup Report for PCB cleanup in soils.

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Southwest Regional Office Contact: 360/407-6300

Chevron 65735389, 810 Water St, Port Townsend - Report received: November 2006 Groundwater Sampling.

KING COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact: 425/649-7000

Arco Facility #05902/Kerawalas IV

Inc, 710 S Grady Way, Renton - Report received: Groundwater Status December 2006.

WSDOT Former Trager Bldg, 90 Dearborn St, Seattle - Report received: UST Closure & Site Assessment Report.

Rollin Street Project, 120 Westlake Ave N, Seattle - Report received: UST Site Assessment Report.

PSE Spill - Starwood Substation, 34717 21st Ave SW, Federal Way - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 8251 149th Way NE, Redmond - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 5636 Hawksbeard Rd, Kent - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 167th PI NE & NE 172nd PI, Woodinville - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 5711 W Mercer Way, Mercer Island - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 22222 70th Ave S, Kent - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 745 Front St S, Issaquah - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 24344 270th Ave SE, Maple Valley - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 37427 39th Ave S, Auburn - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 31802 NE 183RD ST, Duvall - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 3015 107th PI SE, Bellevue -

Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE Spill, 17624 SE 192nd Dr, Renton - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

KITSAP COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact: 425/649-7000

PSE, 9381 Dickey Rd NW, Silverdale - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE, 5505 SE Nelson Rd, Olalla - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

PSE, 6334 SE Nelson Rd, Olalla - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

LINCOLN COUNTY

ERO VCP Contact: Phil Leinart, 509/329-3535 or e-mail Plei461@ecy.wa.gov

Western Farm Service, St. John Washington Facility, 15 W Short, St. John - Report received: Third Quarter 2006 Monitoring Report .

PIERCE COUNTY

Southwest Regional Office Contact: 360/407-6300

BP # 5568, 11202 Pacific Ave, Tacoma - Report received: 1st & 2nd Quarters 2005 Groundwater Monitoring.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact: 425/649-7000

Snohomish Co PUD Spill, 3717 196th St SW, Lynnwood - Report received: Interim Cleanup Report.

Snohomish Co PUD Spill, 11724 Trout Farm Rd, Sultan - Report received: Oil Spill Incident Report.

Verizon Smokey Point ORM, 3527 176th PI NE, Arlington - Report received: Spill Cleanup Report.

Snohomish Co PUD Spill, Mt Index River Rd, Index - Report received: Oil Spill Incident Report.

STEVENS COUNTY

Eastern Regional Office Contact: Patti Carter 509/329-3522

Kettle Falls Exxon Station, 103 East 3rd Avenue, Kettle Falls - Report received: Independent Soil Remedial Cleanup Action Report.

WHATCOM COUNTY

Northwest Regional Office Contact: 425/649-7000

PSE Spill, 6256 Siper Rd, Deming - Report received: Remedial Action Summary.

VOLUNTARY CLEANUP PROGRAM

Under Ecology's Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP), a property owner cleaning up a contaminated site pays a fee for Ecology review. When a cleanup is determined to be sufficient, Ecology issues a no further action decision.

GRANT COUNTY

ERO VCP Contact: Patti Carter, 509/329-3522 3522 or e-mail Paca461@ecy.wa.gov

Grant County PUD Diesel Generating Fac, 9422 Tyndall Rd NE, Moses Lake - Decision: Ranked, awaiting remedial action.

LEWIS COUNTY

SW VCP Contact: Chuck Cline, 360/407-6267 or e-mail Chcl461@ecy.wa.gov

Chevron 93124, 1050 Harrison Ave, Centralia - Submitted 5/18/07, Site status: Independent remedial action. Opinion letter tendered.

PIERCE COUNTY

SW VCP Contact: Chuck Cline, 360/407-6267 or e-mail Chcl461@ecy.wa.gov

Center Street Plaza, 4916 Center St, Tacoma - Submitted 5/18/07, Site status: Independent remedial action. Opinion letter tendered.

SKAGIT COUNTY

NW VCP Contact: Joe Hickey, 425/649-7202 or e-mail Jhic461@ecy.wa.gov

Mount Vernon City Hall Alley, 320 Broadway, Mount Vernon - Submitted 5/23/07, Site status: Independent remedial action. Opinion letter tendered.

Broadway, Mount Vernon - Submitted 5/23/07, Site status: Independent remedial action.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY

NW VCP Contact: Joe Hickey, 425/649-7202 or e-mail Jhic461@ecy.wa.gov

Simpson Paper Co Pulp Plant, 48th St SE & 2nd Ave W, Everett - Submitted 5/23/07, Site status: Independent remedial action.

SITE HAZARD ASSESSMENTS

An initial investigation is conducted when a suspected release of hazardous materials has occurred. If additional work is required, a site hazard assessment may be conducted. These sites are ranked

on a scale from 1 to 5, with 1 being the highest risk to human health and the environment. The following sites are scheduled for an assessment.

KING COUNTY

Contact: Carsten Thomsen, Public Health - Seattle & King County, e-mail carsten.thomsen@metro.king.gov or call 206/296-4830.

Miller Property, Facility Site ID # 764760, 5356 153rd Ave SE, Bellevue

Nucor Steel, Facility Site ID # 2091, 2424 SW Andover Street, Seattle

PIERCE COUNTY

Contact: Tony Ohrazda, Tacoma - Pierce County Health Dept., e-mail hrazda@tphd.org or call 253/798-6566.

Smurfit Stone Container Corp., Facility Site ID # 17167958, 817 East 27th Street, Tacoma

STEVENS COUNTY

Contact: Michael Spencer, Department of Ecology, e-mail Mspe461@ecy.wa.gov or call 360/407-7195.

Lower Bonanza Mine, Facility Site ID # 2082586, located within the north half of Section 11/T37N/R38E, W.M., including Parcel 1962500, Evans

Upper Bonanza Mine, Facility Site ID # 6827492, located on Bonanza Hill Road, within the NE ¼, NW ¼ Section 11/T37N/R38E, W.M., including Parcels 1963862 and 1963863, Evans

THURSTON COUNTY

Contact: Gerald Tousley, Thurston County Health Department, 360/754-4111, ext. 6509.

E. I-5 Milepost 87.5, MP 87 I-5 N, Rochester

**S. Sound Chevron USA Inc. SS 94867,
3731 Pacific Avenue, Olympia**

**Unocal Service Station 0266, 924
Capitol Way, Olympia**

**West Bay Marina, 2100 West Bay
Drive, Olympia**

CHS Auburn Site Publication # 07-09-
62, Date: May 2007

TOXICS CLEANUP PROGRAM PUBLICATIONS

**Contact: Carol Dorn, 360/407-7224 or
e-mail Cesg461@ecy.wa.gov**

The Big Picture Around Underground
Storage Tanks Publication # 07-09-44,
Date: May 2007 (revised)

Focus on the Everett Smelter Cleanup
Publication # 07-09-76, Date: May 2007

Frequently Asked Questions about the
Everett Smelter Cleanup Publication #
07-09-77, Date: May 2007

Kaiser Aluminum Fabricated Products
Trentwood Site Interim Actions
(Formerly Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical
Corporation) Publication # 07-09-24,
Date: May 2007

Everett Smelter Cleanup Publication #
07-09-74, Date: May 2007

Whitney's Chevrolet - 123 W Pioneer
Avenue Montesano Publication # 07-09-
121, Date: May 2007

Hansville Landfill Site Publication # 07-
09-73, Date: May 2007

Most Western Laundry Publication # 07-
09-39, Date: May 2007

Frequently Asked Questions about
Cadet and Swan Manufacturing and
Fruit Valley Neighborhood Cleanup
Publication # 07-09-57, Date: May 2007

Progress Elementary - Cleanup Proposed
at Playground Summer 2007 Publication
07-09-23, Date: May 2007