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March 11, 2008

Geraldine Dundin  
141 Enchantment Lane  
Vader, WA 98593

Subject: Site Hazard Assessment – 901 S Main St Vader  
Ecology Facility Site ID: 5879082

Dear Ms. Dundin:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) will conduct a site hazard assessment (SHA) of 901 South Main Street Vader site, 901 South Main Street, Vader, WA 98593, under the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA), Chapter 173-340-320 WAC. This site has been on Ecology's Confirmed and Suspected Contaminated Sites List (CSCS list) since December 20, 2007, and has a site status of Awaiting Assessment. This assessment will be performed by Steve Garrett, Lewis County Environmental Health. He will contact you in the near future to arrange a suitable time for a site visit, if necessary.

The purpose of an SHA is to gather information on past/present waste management activities, along with other basic site-specific environmental data, in order to score the site following the Washington Ranking Method (WARM) Scoring Manual guidelines. Potential/actual threats to human health and the environment are evaluated for each applicable migration route, with a resultant "hazard ranking" for the site determined.

Sites are ranked on a scale of one (1) to five (5), with 1 representing the highest level of concern, and 5 the lowest, relative to all other assessed/ranked sites in the state. The level of relative concern may be such that a recommendation of "No Further Action" (NFA) can be made, and your site will then be removed from Ecology's CSCS list.

For your information, Ecology will publish a notice in an upcoming issue of the *Site Register* that an SHA is scheduled for this site. This notice may evoke media inquiries. Likewise, the SHA outcome, either as a ranked site or a determination as NFA, will be published in the *Site Register*.

In addition to any required fieldwork, the following information will be considered in scoring this site:

- Ecology Southwest Regional Office Site Files
- Lewis County Environmental Health Site Files



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You are requested to submit any additional environmental information regarding this site to:

Mr. Steve Garrett  
Lewis County Public Health and  
Social Services  
2025 N.E. Kresky Avenue  
Chehalis, WA 98532

Additional data could include any environmental assessments or laboratory analyses which have been conducted regarding this site and which have not previously been submitted to Ecology. Every attempt will be made to obtain the most recent and accurate data for scoring your site. If you have better information or comments on the adequacy of the data we already have, please let us know as soon as possible. The final site rank and eventual site priority will be based primarily on the information used in the scoring. Your active participation in the assessment and scoring process is important to insure that only the best data available is used.

Fact sheets describing Site Hazard Assessments, the Washington Ranking Method and the Hazardous Sites List are enclosed for your information, as well as a copy of the Integrated Site Information System (ISIS) Site Data Summary Sheet for this site. If you have any questions please call me at (360) 407-7195 (or e-mail me at [mspe461@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:mspe461@ecy.wa.gov)) or Steve Garrett at (360) 740-1233 (or e-mail him at [sjgarret@co.lewis.wa.us](mailto:sjgarret@co.lewis.wa.us)).

Sincerely,



Michael J. Spencer  
Site Hazard Assessments  
Toxics Cleanup Program

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Enclosures

cc: Steve Garrett, Lewis County Public Health and Social Services, Chehalis  
Cris Matthews, Ecology Toxics Cleanup Program, SWRO, Lacey