

WAC 197-11-970 Determination of nonsignificance (DNS).

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal

Under the Soil Safety Program Ecology will do the following at these locations:

SITE 1. Jane Clark Park – Under the WA State Department of Ecology’s Soil Safety Program, the project will remove approximately 3,200 cubic yards of contaminated soil from an area approximately 86,200 square feet to a depth of 12-inches by traditional excavation methods; and remove approximately 35 cubic yards of contaminated soil from an area approximately 3,400 square feet to a depth of 12-inches within the drip lines of significant trees by vactor truck. Additional excavation and/or application of a geotextile separation barrier may be warranted depending on confirmation sample results obtained from the initial excavation depth. The site will be restored with suitable clean soils and topsoils, and finished with a hydroseed application with the possibility of using sod on the small sloped areas. Temporary dust control, and erosion and sedimentation control measures will be implemented.

SITE 2A, Titlow Park Phase 2, Play Area 5– Under the WA State Department of Ecology’s Soil Safety Program, the project will remove approximately 60 cubic yards of contaminated soil from an area approximately 1,600 square feet to a depth of 12-inches by traditional excavation. Additional excavation and/or application of a geotextile separation barrier may be warranted depending on confirmation sample results obtained from the initial excavation depth. The site will be restored with suitable clean soils and topsoils, and finished with a hydroseed. Temporary dust control, and erosion and sedimentation control measures will be implemented.

SITE 2B, Titlow Park Phase 2, Play Area 6– Under the WA State Department of Ecology’s Soil Safety Program, the project will remove approximately 200 cubic yards of contaminated soil from an area approximately 13,600 square feet to a depth of 12-inches (the quantity is based on removing about a 1/3 of the soils due to tree roots) within the drip lines of significant trees by vactor truck (or shallower if roots are encountered). Additional excavation and/or application of a geotextile separation barrier may be warranted depending on confirmation sample results obtained from the initial excavation depth. Capping by a maximum 6-inch topsoil layer may be necessary at locations where soils removal is limited due to roots. The site will be restored with suitable clean soils and topsoils, and finished with a hydroseed application or sod. Landscape bark will be applied around the trees and within the drip lines. Temporary dust control, and erosion and sedimentation control measures will be implemented.

Proponent **Washington State Department of Ecology**

Location of proposal, including street address, if any

SITE 1. Jane Clark Park – 4825 N 39TH Street, Tacoma, WA 98407. Parcel Number: 0221252005

SITE 2A, Titlow Park Phase 2, Play Area 5 – 8325 6th Ave, Tacoma, WA 98406. Parcel Number: 0220041019.
(Note: The remedial work area is located immediately north of the MetroParks maintenance house, located west of the railroad tracks.)

SITE 2B, Titlow Park Phase 2, Play Area 6 – 8325 6th Ave, Tacoma, WA 98406. Parcel Number: 0220041019.
(Note: The remedial work area is located immediately west of Tillow Lodge).

Lead agency **Washington State Department of Ecology**

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030 (2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

There is no comment period for this DNS.

This DNS is issued after using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355. There is no further comment period on the DNS.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date below.

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Date April 8, 2013 Signature Rebecca S. Lawson

(OPTIONAL)

You may appeal this determination to (name) _____
at (location) _____
no later than (date) _____
by (method)

You should be prepared to make specific factual objections.

Contact _____ to read or ask about the procedures for SEPA appeals.

There is no agency appeal.