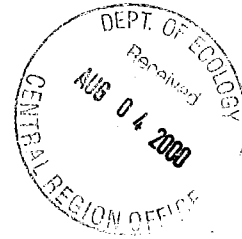




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August 1, 2000

Lt. Hans Solie  
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RE: Fire Station #1 Site Hazard Assessment score notification.

Lt. Hans Solie,

The Yakima Health District has completed the site hazard assessment (SHA) of the Fire Station #1, as required under the Model Toxics Control Act. This site's hazard ranking, an estimation of the potential threat to human health and/or the environment relative to all other Washington State sites assessed at this time, has been determined to be a 5, where 1 represents the highest relative risk and 5 the lowest.

For your information, Ecology will be publishing the ranking of this and other recently assessed sites in the August 2000 Special Issue of the Site Register. The site hazard ranking will be used in conjunction with other site-specific considerations in determining Ecology's priority for future actions.

Please contact me at (509) 575-4040 if you have any questions relating to the SHA of your site. If you have any inquiries/comments about the site scoring/ranking process, please call Michael Spencer at (360) 407-7195. For inquiries regarding any further activities at your site now that it is on Ecology's Hazardous Sites List, please call Don Abbott at (509) 454-7833.

Sincerely,

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Dick Bassett, Washington Department of Ecology, Central Regional Office