

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

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: BNSF Oil Pipeline Site – MTCA Remedial Action

Proponent: BNSF Railway Company
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Location of proposal, including street address, if any: *The Site is located at the intersection of East 15th Street and "D" Street to the intersection of East 21st Street and "D" Street, as shown on Figures 1 and 2. Facilities in the site area include the BNSF Tacoma Rail Yard (transportation), Nichols Trucking (trucking), Tacoma Fixtures (fixture manufacturing on the Home Electric property), SuperValu (grocery distributor), Johnny's Dock Restaurant and Marina, the former Pick's Cove Marina and Martinac (boat building and repair). The Thea Foss Waterway is located west of "D" Street at distances ranging from approximately 175 feet to 370 feet west of the former alignment of the bunker oil pipeline.*
Section 4, Township 21 North, Range 3 east.

The former pipeline transects or is adjacent to the following parcels: 8950001652, 6370000012, 6370000040, 6370000080, 5215000932, 8950001723 and 6370000090.

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.

X 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. Comments must be submitted by June .5., 2008

Responsible official: Rebecca S. Lawson, P.E.

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Date: May 22, 2008 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.

X There is no agency appeal.