YAKIMA RAILROAD AREA



PROPOSED CONSENT DECREE FOR BRIAR DEVELOPMENT

Ecology welcomes your comments from December 2, 1992, through January 4. 1993

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) has proposed a consent decree with Briar Development. Under the proposed legal agreement, Briar Development would pay a lump sum of \$60,000 to Ecology to be applied to remedial actions within the Yakima Railroad Area.

A consent decree is a legal, negotiated settlement under the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA): The Attorney General's Office must concur with a proposed settlement following public notice, review and a hearing. The final consent decree is filed with the court.

Public Hearing

Ecology invites you to a public hearing to discuss the Briar Development consent decree. Ecology staff will be available from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM to answer any general questions about the Yakima Railroad Area. At 7:00 PM, the formal public hearing will begin. Ecology will give a brief presentation on the terms of the consent decree, followed by a question and

answer period, and a comment period open to the public to express their opinions. The hearing will be recorded, and written responses will be provided to all those who attend, or who request to be placed on the site mailing list.

Date: Thursday, Dec. 10, 1992 Location: Yakima Valley Regional Library

(102 N. 3rd St., Yakima)

Time: 6:00-7:00 PM informal meeting

7:00-9:00 PM formal hearing

Public Comment Period

You may also submit written comments on this proposed consent decree between December 2, 1992 through January 4, 1993. Comments will be reviewed and, if necessary, the decree will be revised by Ecology. Please submit your comments to Tony Grover or Tony Valero.

The proposed consent decree and other documents on the Yakima Railroad Area are available for public viewing at the Ecology office, the Yakima County Health District, and the Yakima Regional Library (see the box to the right for addresses). If you want to be placed on the site mailing list, contact Sharon Morse.

This document was part of the official Administrative Record for the Yakima Railroad Area on October 31, 1996. Washington State Department of Ecology.

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SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS TO:

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TO BE PLACED ON THE SITE MAILING LIST, CONTACT:

Sharon Moree Public Involvement Specialist Toxice Cleanup Program Department of Ecology 106 South 6th Avenue Yakima, WA 98902-3387 (509) 454-7886

INFORMATION REPOSITORIES:

The consent decree can be reviewed at the following locations:

The Ecology address listed above

Yakima Co. Health District 104 North 1st Street Yekima, WA 98901

Yakima Valley Regional Library 102 North 3rd Street Yakima, WA 98901

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