

Glacier Park - West Chelan County



Site to be Removed from Ecology's Contaminated Sites List

The Washington State Department of Ecology has prepared this fact sheet pursuant to the Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA) Chapter 70.105D to provide you with information about the proposed delisting of the Glacier Park West site from the state's Hazardous Sites List.

Site Background

The 0.9-acre petroleum contaminated Glacier Park West site is located on the northwest corner at the intersection of Highway 2 and Chumstick Highway 209. The site was used as a bulk petroleum storage facility since the 1940s. Warehouses and numerous above and under ground petroleum tanks were at the site during its operation. Over the years, spills and leaks from the petroleum tanks and fuel transfer operations resulted in releases to the environment.

“Cleanup” and “Interim TPH Policy”

In September 1996, Ecology received the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Report from Burlington Northern Railroad (BNRR), Budget Fuel, J.H. Ritchie and Shell Oil Co. This report detailed the source and extent of contamination as well as cleanup options. Additional sampling was performed under a “Technical Work Plan, Supplemental Site Characterization”, conducted July 1999, by Shell Oil and BNRR, in an effort to determine the suitability of applying the Interim TPH Policy at this site. This policy

provides an alternative way to determine cleanup levels on petroleum sites by evaluating risk pathways and must show that no threat or potential threat to human health and the environment is posed. Based on information derived from all of these remediation efforts, Ecology recommends delisting the site.

Why Delist the Site?

As a result of the sampling and monitoring that has taken place at this site since 1991, Ecology has determined that the site does not pose a threat to human health or the environment and is now proposing to remove this site from the Hazardous Sites List.

Public Comment Period

Ecology's proposal to delist the Glacier Park West site is open for a 30-day public comment period between March 28, 2001 and April 27, 2001. Documents pertinent to the delisting are available at the repositories listed in the box on the right. Please submit your comments to Antonio Valero, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed in the box on the right.

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