

Department of Ecology - Environmental Report Tracking System

ERTS # 502460

Initial Report

External Reference #

Caller Information

First Name	Last	Berth	Anchorage		
MEL	WALTERS	Location Name			
Business Name PUGET SOUND ENERGY			Street Address	2400 S PUGET DR	
Street Address			Other Address		
Other Address			City/Place	RENTON	State WA Zip
City	State	Zip	County - Region	KING	NWRO FS ID 2377
E-mail	Confidential_FL <input type="checkbox"/>		WIRA #		
Phone	Ext	Type	Waterway	Type	
(206) 604-5854		Mobile	Latitude	Longitude	
(425) 883-9470		Home	Topo Quad 1:24:000	RENTON	

What happened

Spills Program Oil Spill? N Direction/Landmark (mile post, cross roads, township/range)

Incident Date 2/9/1999 Received Date 2/9/1999 0:00

Medium SOIL

Material TRANSFORMER OIL

Quantity 800 Unit GALLON

Source TRANSFORMER/CAPACITOR SPILL

Cause UNKNOWN

Activity UNKNOWN

Impact SOIL CONTAMINATION

Primary Potentially Responsible Party Information

First Name Last

Name

Business Name PUGET SOUND ENERGY - PSE

Street Address 2400 S PUGET DR

Other Address

City RENTON

State WA Zip

Phone (206) 604-5854

Ext

Type Mobile

E-mail

Vessel Name

Hull Number

Additional Contact Information

Name Phone Ext Type

More Information

A LARGE CAPACITY TRANSFORMER AT A SUBSTATION HAS SPILLED. TRANSFORMER CONTAINS 16,000 GALLONS OF MINERAL OIL. DON'T KNOW DETAILS YET.

Entry Person ZIMMERMAN, SCOTT

Entry Date 2/9/1999

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Referral

Referral Method	Person Referred to	Referral #	24458
<input type="checkbox"/> E-mail ERTS number	OBRIEN, PAUL	Primary	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> E-mail attachment	Phone	Fax	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Print	E-mail		
<input type="checkbox"/> Telephone	Program/Organization	SPILLS, PREVENTION, PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE	
	Address		
	City		
	Region/Location	NWRO	
	Referral Date	2/9/1999	
Referral Method	Person Referred to	Referral #	24822
<input type="checkbox"/> E-mail ERTS number	TUPAS, CYMA	Primary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> E-mail attachment	Phone	Fax	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Print	E-mail		
<input type="checkbox"/> Telephone	Program/Organization	TOXICS CLEANUP	
	Address		
	City		
	Region/Location	NWRO	
	Referral Date	2/25/1999	

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Followup

Inspector Information <p>Referral # 24458</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Lead Inspector ZIMMERMAN, SCOTT</p> <p>Program/Organization SPILLS, PREVENTION, PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE</p> <p>* Region/Location NWRO</p> <p># of Ecology Staff 0 Overtime <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Action FIELD RESPONSE - TECHNICAL ASSISTA</p>		Where did it happen <p>Berth Anchorage</p> <p>Location Name Street Address 2400 S PUGET DR</p> <p>Other Address</p> <p>City/Place RENTON State WA Zip County KING Region NWRO FS ID</p> <p>Waterway WRIA #</p>		Followup #1
What happened <p>Spills Program Oil Spill? N</p> <p>Incident Date 2/9/1999</p> <p>Medium SOIL</p> <p>Material TRANSFORMER OIL</p> <p>Quantity 800 Unit GALLON Est <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Source Regulated? <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSFORMER/CAPACITOR SPILL</p> <p>Cause EQUIPMENT FAILURE</p> <p>Activity UNKNOWN</p> <p>Impact SOIL CONTAMINATION</p> <p>Vessel</p>		<p>Start Date 2/9/1999 End Date 2/9/1999</p> <p>Latitude Longitude</p> <p>Topo Quad 1:24,000 RENTON</p> <p>Direction/Landmark (mile post, cross roads, township/range) 2400 S PUGET DR RENTON</p>		
Potentially Responsible Party Information <p>Check if the primary PRP provided notice to Ecology <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Primary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First Name</p> <p>Business Name PUGET SOUND ENERGY - PSE</p> <p>Street Address 2400 S PUGET DR</p> <p>Other Address</p> <p>City RENTON State WA Zip</p> <p>Phone (206) 604-5854 Ext Type Mobile</p> <p>E-mail</p>				
<p>Narrative</p> <p>CALLED MR WALTERS. HE HASN'T ARRIVED AT SCENE YET. PSE CREWS ARE TRYING TO CONTAIN SPILL. OLYMPUS HAS BEEN MOBILIZED. VACUUM TRUCK IS ON THE WAY.</p> <p>430AM - CAUSE WAS AN ELECTRICAL FAULT. THE HOLE IS NEAR THE TOP OF THE TRANSFORMER, IT IS STILL LEAKING. THEY USED A BACKHOE TO BUILD A BERM AROUND THE AREA. APPROX 500-800 GALLONS SPILLED TO THE SOIL. NOW PUMPING OFF REMAINING OIL IN TRANSFORMER TO TANK TRUCK.</p> <p>11AM. ARRIVED ON SCENE. TRANSFORMER CONTAINS 20,000 GALLONS. THEY ARE IN THE PROCESS OF PUMPING IT OUT. SOIL BERMS CONTAINED OIL FROM FLOWING OVERLAND BUT IT HAS SOAKED INTO THE SOIL. THEY'VE RECOVERED ABOUT 250 GALLONS FROM A RECOVERY TRENCH WITH A VAC TRUCK. SOIL REMEDIATION WILL BE NECESSARY.</p>				
<p>Vessel Emergency <input type="checkbox"/></p>		<p>Entry Person: _____</p>		Entry Date _____
Inspector Information <p>Referral # 24822</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Lead Inspector TUPAS, CYMA</p> <p>Program/Organization TOXICS CLEANUP</p> <p>* Region/Location NWRO</p> <p># of Ecology Staff 0 Overtime <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Action FIELD RESPONSE - INVESTIGATION</p>		Where did it happen <p>Berth Anchorage</p> <p>Location Name TALBOT HILL SUBSTATION</p> <p>Street Address 2400 S PUGET DR</p> <p>Other Address</p> <p>City/Place RENTON State WA Zip County KING Region NWRO FS ID</p> <p>Waterway WRIA #</p>		Followup #2

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TCP - UPDATE FILE

9/8/1999 9/8/1999

What happened

Incident Date 2/9/1999

Spills Program Oil Spill? N

Latitude

Longitude

Topo Quad 1:24,000 RENTON

Medium

SOIL

Material

TRANSFORMER OIL

Quantity 800 Unit GALLON Est

Source TRANSFORMER/CAPACITOR SPILL Regulated?

Potentially Responsible Party Information

Check if the primary PRP provided notice to Ecology

Primary First
Name

Business Name PUGET SOUND ENERGY - PSE

Street Address 2400 S PUGET DR

Other Address

City RENTON State WA Zip

Phone (206) 604-5854 Ext Type Mobile
E-mail

Activity

UNKNOWN

Impact

SOIL CONTAMINATION

Vessel

Narrative

1-13-99 VISITED SITE AND FOUND OUT SITE WAS ALREADY SIS LISTED UNDER TALBOT HILL SUBSTATION, PUGET DR SE & EDMONDS AVE, RENTON. SITE APPEARED TO HAVE COMPLETED A MAJOR CLEANUP. NEW FILL AND GRAVEL WAS BROUGHT AND IS IN PROCESS OF REPLACING THE OLD TRANSFORMERS THAT BLEW UP.

8-10-99 CALLED MEL WALTERS, PSE, 206-604-5854 AND LEFT A MESSAGE TO SEND CLEANUP REPORT THRU ME AND WILL FILE REPORT TO CENTRAL FILES. ACTION: UPDATE FILE.

9-8-99 RECEIVED EMERGENCY SPILL RESPONSE, SITE CHARACTERIZATION AND REMEDIAL ACTION REPORT. SENT A COPY OF REQUEST TO SITE REGISTER. UPDATE FILE.

Vessel Emergency

Entry Person:

Entry Date