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Re: DuPont Works Site – Completion of the Active Cleanup Elements

Dear Mr. Martin and Mr. Zanikos:

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology or we) received your request for a letter to certify completion of cleanup related to soil remediation at the DuPont Works Site (Site) as required under Consent Decree (Pierce County No. 03-2-10484-7) and the July 2003 Cleanup Action Plan. On behalf of Ecology I am pleased to inform you that your Closure Report has been reviewed and accepted. With the exception of groundwater monitoring discussed below, the major elements identified in the Consent Decree and the Cleanup Action Plan for the Site have been completed to Ecology's satisfaction. Those elements include:

- Soil excavation and capping;
- Excavation and off-site disposal of soil and debris;
- Monitoring excavation work for presence of cultural or archeological artifacts; and
- Implementation of various institutional controls (physical controls and legal and administrative mechanisms). These controls help to ensure that current and future citizens and wildlife do not come in contact with residual contamination and that the integrity of the cap/containment system is maintained.

The 2003 Consent Decree and the July 2003 Cleanup Action Plan for the Site identified that groundwater monitoring must continue in selected existing groundwater wells until residual dinitrotoluene (DNT) concentrations drop below drinking water standards for four consecutive monitoring intervals. When that has occurred, Ecology will then be able to issue you a final completion letter.
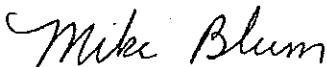
Due to the fact that lead and arsenic-impacted soil has been consolidated and capped on Site within the golf course placement areas, there will be ongoing reviews by Ecology at least every five years. These reviews are to help ensure that the institutional controls are still in place and effective and that the cleanup decision and actions taken at the Site are still protective of human health and the environment.

Ecology commends the companies for the care and quality of investigative and cleanup work conducted at the Site. Once you have gathered sufficient groundwater quality data to meet the monitoring requirement, Ecology will then be able to issue a final cleanup completion letter. At that time, we will also be able to close out the Consent Decree. he DuPont Works Site has been a model of partnership and cooperation, and the cleanup has resulted in a property that can be productively and safely used for other purposes. I want to personally thank you for your efforts and those of your Team.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (360) 407-6913 or send an e-mail to mblu461@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Mike Blum

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Proposed Land Use	Potentially Exposed Individual	Remediation Level
Commercial	Adult Landscape Worker	60 ppm
Golf Course	Adult Golf Course Worker	530 ppm
Industrial	Adult Worker	90 ppm
Open Space	Older Child (7-18 years old)	To Be Determined

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Proposed Land Use	Potentially Exposed Individual	Remediation Level
Commercial	Adult Landscape Worker	2,100 ppm
Golf Course	Adult Golf Course Worker	4,100 ppm
Industrial	Adult Worker	1,000 ppm
Open Space	Older Child (7-18 years old)	1,500 ppm