

## Proposed Removal from the Hazardous Sites List

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) proposes taking the Hardel Mutual Plywood (Hardel) site off the Hazardous Sites List. You may comment on this decision from **June 4—July 6, 2012**. The box to the right shows where you can find:

- A draft letter to Hardel approving the cleanup.
- The Cleanup Action Plan, which describes how Hardel cleaned up the site, and why we believe cleanup is complete.
- Fact sheets with history about the site and cleanup process.

### Cleanup Actions

Hardel removed contaminated soil, treated groundwater, and did sampling to make sure the site was clean. Contaminants were mainly hydrocarbons from heavy oil, diesel, and petroleum. Ecology put the Cleanup Action Plan—which explains the cleanup process—out for public comment in March of 2012.

### Why Cleanup Matters

Decades of industrial and municipal pollution have harmed Puget Sound waterways like Budd Inlet. This cleanup will help reduce pollution and restore habitat and shorelines in Puget Sound.

### What Happens Next

At the end of the comment period, Ecology will respond to comments in a responsiveness summary. We will send this document to those who commented and post it online. We will also finalize the cleanup approval letter and send it to Hardel. The last step is to remove this site from the Hazardous Sites List.

### Comments Accepted

**June 4—July 6, 2012**

#### Send Comments and Technical Questions to:

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Ecology's Hardel Cleanup Website  
<https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/gsp/Sitepage.aspx?csid=3704>

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### What is the Hazardous Sites List?



The Hazardous Sites List includes sites that Ecology has assessed for their risk to human health and the environment. Sites must go through cleanup and meet state standards before Ecology can remove them from the list.



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**Hardel Mutual Plywood  
Olympia, WA**

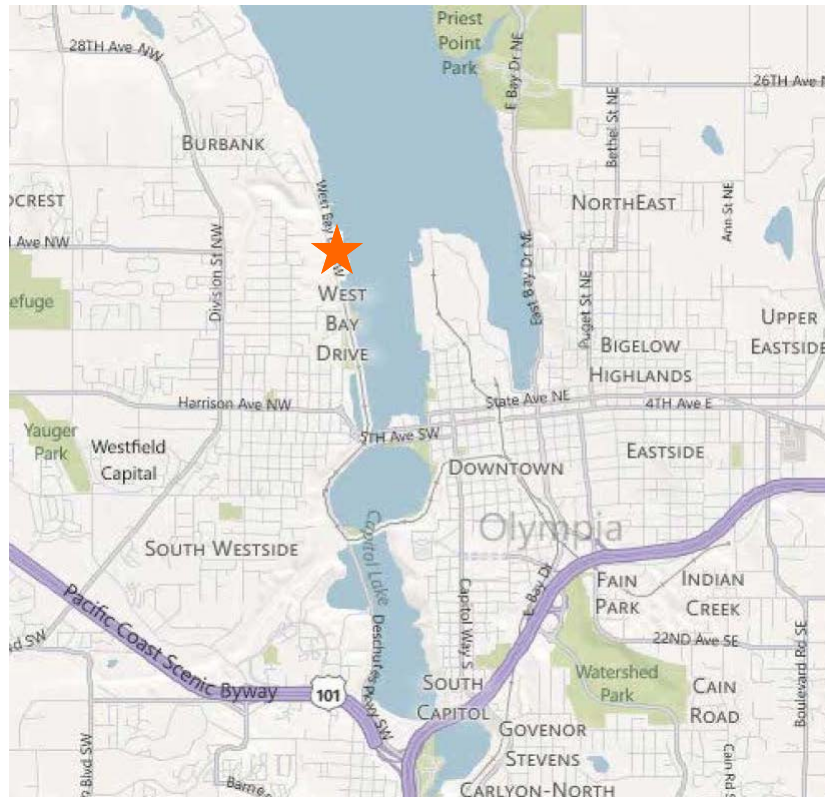
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