

Chevron Service Station #9-6590

Chelan County



Agreed Order for RI/FS Proposed

The Washington Department of Ecology and Chevron Products Company have agreed to a Model Toxics Control Act (MTCA, Chapter 70.105D RCW) Order to conduct a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) of petroleum contaminated soil and groundwater at the Chelan Chevron site. An Agreed Order is a legal document formalizing an agreement between Ecology and Potentially Liable Persons (PLPs), to ensure that proposed site investigation and cleanup activities are conducted in a timely fashion in accordance with Model Toxics Control Act and other applicable laws and regulations.

Your comments on the proposed Agreed Order are welcome through November 27, 2002. The box to the right provides information about where to review the documents as well as where to submit comments.

Site Background

The site is located on 232 East Woodin Avenue, Chelan, Washington. Chevron Products Company owned and operated the service station when the petroleum release is believed to have occurred in the mid-1980s. The site continues to operate as a service station and foodmart; however Chevron Products Company has not owned or operated the facility since 1988.

To determine the extent and degree of contamination at the site, Chevron Products Company has been monitoring groundwater and characterizing the soil since 1988 when the release was discovered. Various reports indicate

groundwater contamination has migrated offsite to the west and southwest of the service station. Free petroleum product has been detected in groundwater monitoring wells on Woodin Avenue, Emerson Street, on the property, and to the southwest of the service station.

What is Being Done?

The Agreed Order requires Chevron Products Company to conduct a Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) of petroleum contaminated soil and groundwater. The Remedial Investigation will determine the nature, extent, and magnitude of site contamination. The Feasibility Study will evaluate site cleanup alternatives. Ecology will oversee the project to ensure that all terms of the Agreed Order are satisfied.

What Happens Next?

Public comment on the proposed Agreed Order will be considered and the Order may be modified, if necessary, based on the comments received. The work for the RI/FS should be completed by fall 2003. Results of the RI/FS will guide selection of the final, detailed cleanup action, which may be conducted under a separate legal agreement. Further formal public comment opportunities will likely occur after the RI/FS is completed and a draft Cleanup Action Plan (CAP) is prepared.

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Public Comment Period:

October 28, 2002 to
November 27, 2002

Documents are available for public review at:

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Ecology Wants Your Comments!

You are invited to review and comment on the proposed Agreed Order from October 28, 2002 through November 27, 2002. The public comment period presents an opportunity to have your ideas and comments heard by Ecology. Information repositories, which include the Agreed Order, have been set up at the locations listed in the box on page one. To review more

detailed site documents than those in the information repositories, contact Ecology's Central Regional Office records center at (509) 454-7658 to schedule an appointment. Please submit your written comments to Krystal Rodriguez, Site Manager, at the Ecology address listed in the box on page one. Ecology will review and respond to all comments received, and

may revise the Agreed Order. Updates of the site activities will be provided to those who submit comments or request to be placed on the site mailing list (if you received this fact sheet from Ecology, you are already on the site mailing list).

Chevron Service Station #9-6590 Site Location Map

