

Proposed Removal from the Hazardous Sites List

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) plans to remove the Tetra Pak (formerly Strebor) site from the Hazardous Sites List. The site was cleaned up under the Voluntary Cleanup Program. Ecology reviewed the cleanup and determined that:

- If special controls are in place, the site is no longer a threat to human health or the environment. Controls include cap maintenance, long-term groundwater monitoring, and limits on land use.
- The site cleanup actions meet state cleanup standards.
- No further action is needed.

Site Background

The Tetra Pak site is located at 3125 Thompson Avenue in Vancouver. The former Strebor building is separate from Tetra Pak's main facility. It is used by Tetra Pak to support its printing and maintenance operations.

Tetra Pak purchased the site where soil and groundwater were contaminated by previous operations. Tetra Pak found pentachlorophenol (PCP), dioxin and furan **congeners** contaminating the soil. (Congeners are chemically related substances). Sampling also found PCP in groundwater.

Tetra Pak completed cleanup actions from 2001 to 2011. The main actions were:

- Performing a Remedial Investigation, Risk Assessment and Feasibility Study.
- Excavation of accessible contaminated soil and disposal off site.
- Covering the remaining contaminated soil with an asphalt cap.

Comment Period

You are invited to review and comment on the No Further Action Letter, and proposed removal from the Hazardous Sites List. You can find site documents at locations listed to the right.



What is the Hazardous Sites List?

The Hazardous Sites List includes sites that have been assessed for their potential risk to human health and the environment. Sites are ranked 1-5, based on the degree of potential risk; 1 is the highest.

The Tetra Pak site is ranked 2.

Comments Accepted

March 21–April 22, 2013

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Ecology's Tetra Pak Cleanup Website

<https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/gsp/Sitepage.aspx?csid=2615>

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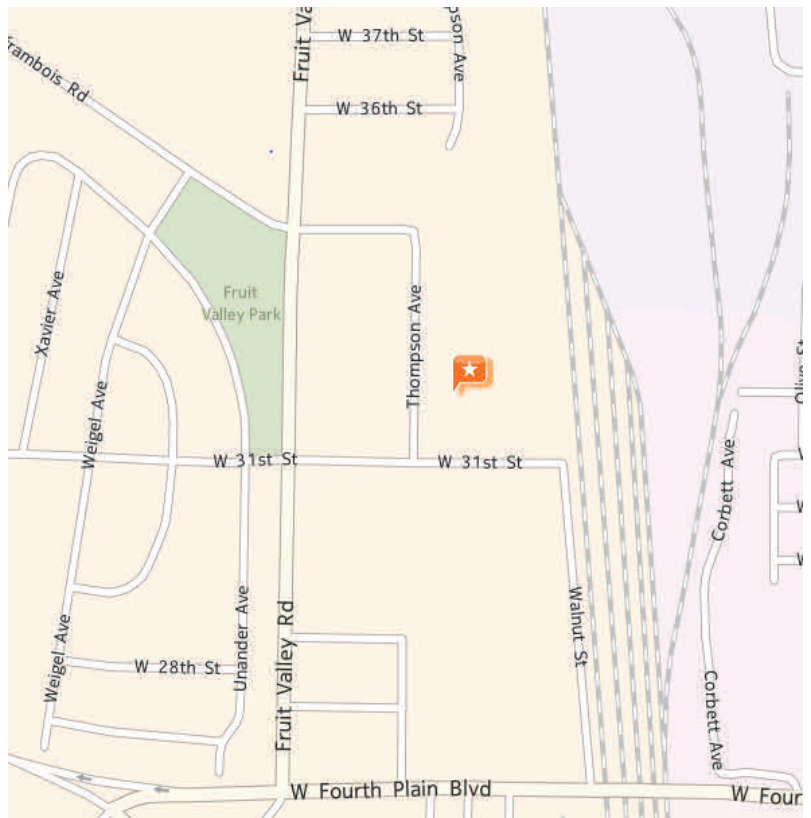
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Tetra Pak site, 3125 Thompson Avenue, Vancouver