

Proposed Removal from the Hazardous Sites List

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) plans to remove the Shell Oil Products US Tumwater Terminal site from the **Hazardous Sites List**. Shell cleaned up the site under the Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP). Ecology has reviewed the cleanup and decided that:

- The site is no longer a threat to human health or the environment.
- The site cleanup actions meet state cleanup standards.
- No further action is needed.

Site Background

The Shell Tumwater Bulk Fuel Terminal site is located at 7370 Linderson Way, Tumwater. From 1982 to 2009, Shell completed site investigations. As a result, Shell identified petroleum-contaminated soil (PCS) and groundwater above state cleanup levels.

During this time, Shell removed 6,677 cubic yards of PCS and disposed the PCS offsite. Shell gathered and tested samples from 27 monitoring wells in the same period. Sample results showed that the plumes from total petroleum hydrocarbons were not growing.

From September 2011 through June 2012, Shell sampled four quarters of groundwater. Results suggested the site had reached MTCA cleanup levels for all key contaminants.

Ecology has determined that remaining PCS is protective of site groundwater. As a result, an environmental covenant for the property is not needed. Ecology is issuing a No Further Action letter for the site.

Comment Period

Ecology invites you 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 Shell site is ranked 2.

Comments Accepted

March 21 – April 22, 2013

Send Comments and Technical Questions to:

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Ecology's VCP Cleanup Website:
[http://www.ecy.wa.gov/
programs/tcp/vcp/vcpmain.htm](http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/vcp/vcpmain.htm)


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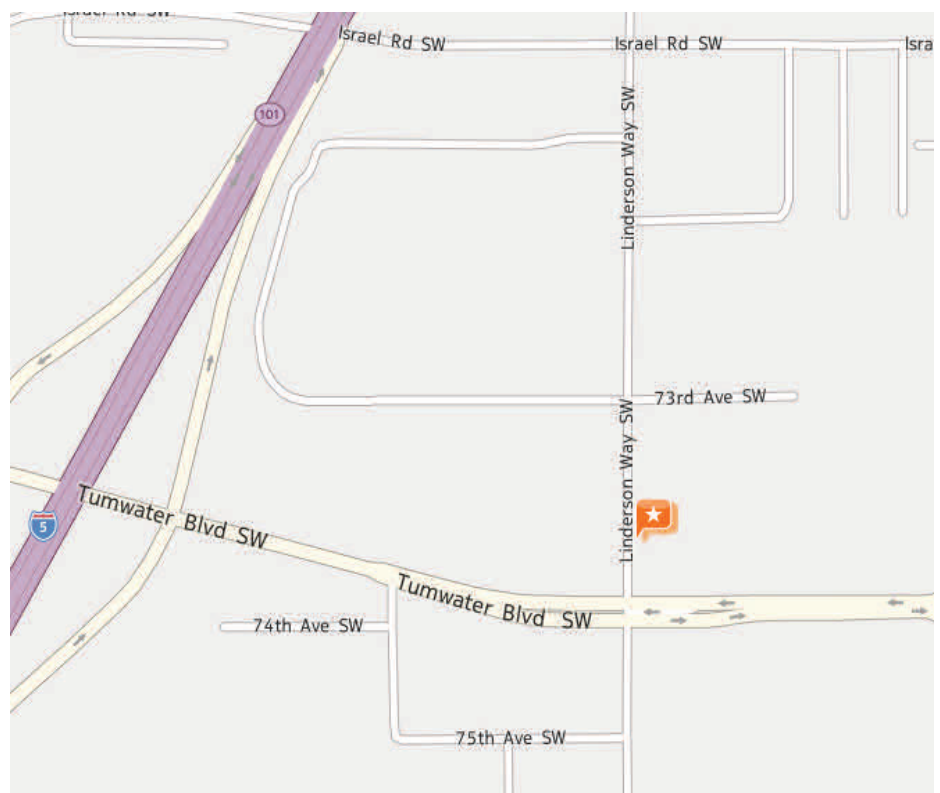
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Shell Tumwater Bulk Fuel Terminal, 7370 Linderson Way, Tumwater