

# Groat Brothers Inc. proposed removal from the Hazardous Sites List



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### Comments accepted:

February 2nd to March 6th, 2017

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**Facility Site ID #: 36354352**  
**Cleanup Site ID #: 3586**

## Cleanup is complete!

Cleanup is complete at the Groat Brothers Inc. cleanup site. The site is located at 618 and 608 West Scott Avenue in Woodland. Now, the Department of Ecology proposes removing the site from the state's Hazardous Sites List. The Hazardous Sites List is a statewide record of contaminated properties. We also propose removing the environmental covenant that restricts development on site.

**We invite your comments** on the proposed delisting from February 2 to March 6, 2017. The box on the left shows where you can find a No Further Action letter that describes how we cleaned up the site and why we believe it is complete.

## Why this cleanup matters

In 2002, contamination from petroleum-based oil and fuel products was found in site soil and groundwater. These petroleum products include elements like benzene, and can be carcinogenic and harm the people's health and the environment.

## Cleanup activities

The property owners conducted this cleanup under Ecology's Voluntary Cleanup Program. To clean up the site, we:

- Studied the site thoroughly to find all petroleum contamination.
- Removed approximately 3,500 cubic yards of petroleum-contaminated soil.
- Tested the soil and groundwater to confirm a successful cleanup.



### What is the Hazardous Sites List?

The Hazardous Sites List includes sites that Ecology has assessed for their potential threat 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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## Join the discussion about cleanup at Groat Brothers Inc.!



### Public Comment Period

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