

Boeing Kent Space Center: 2025 Documents Available for Review and Comment



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Aug. 25 – Sept. 26, 2025

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Facility Site ID: 2099
Site Cleanup ID: 12671

We want to hear from you!

We're overseeing the cleanup of contamination at the Boeing Kent Space Center facility, located at 20403 68th Ave. S. in Kent, Washington. We invite you to review and comment on the following documents:

- **Draft Feasability Study:** This document compares ways to clean up the site's contamination.
- **Draft Public Participation Plan (PPP):** This plan encourages community involvement in cleanup decisions.

Visit ecology.wa.gov/BoeingKent to view these documents.

Need help?

Contact Janelle Anderson, Community Outreach Specialist, at 425-301-6454 or janelle.anderson@ecy.wa.gov.

Public meeting

At this time, there are no public meetings scheduled for this comment period. To request a public meeting, please call 425-301-6454 or email janelle.anderson@ecy.wa.gov.

Site background

Boeing has operated here since the 1960s, conducting research and development. They also manufacture components here. These activities led to contaminated soil and groundwater.

Boeing has an interim status permit at this site. Even though they did not get a final permit, Boeing must keep their permit active until they clean up the site.

In 2016, Ecology and Boeing signed an Agreed Order that required Boeing to conduct a Remedial Investigation. Their remedial investigation was approved in 2022. Ecology then required Boeing to do a focused Feasibility Study about the arsenic-contaminated groundwater on site.

Contamination

Contaminants found in groundwater and soil at Boeing Kent Space Center include:

- Volatile organic compounds (VOCs), such as benzene. These chemicals cause cancer.
- Petroleum hydrocarbons (the main parts of gasoline and oil).
- Semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), including polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs). These chemicals are formed when gasoline is burned. PAHs are suspected to cause cancer.
- Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), long-lasting chemicals formerly used in industry. Health effects of PCBs can include cancer and immune system damage. Read more about PCBs at <https://www.epa.gov/pcbs>.
- Toxic metals, such as arsenic. Arsenic is naturally occurring and is mobilized by some forms of contamination. Arsenic is poisonous and regulated in public drinking water.

Contamination at this site is relatively low, and people are not being exposed. This is because groundwater at the site is not used for drinking water, and Boeing controls access to their property. If contamination threatening human health or the environment is found, we will have Boeing take protective action.

To read the draft Feasibility Study, draft Public Participation Plan, or other documents about the site, please visit <https://ecology.wa.gov/BoeingKent>.

The cleanup process

Boeing follows Washington's cleanup process (see Figure 1). This site is in the "consider options" phase (also called the Feasibility Study phase).

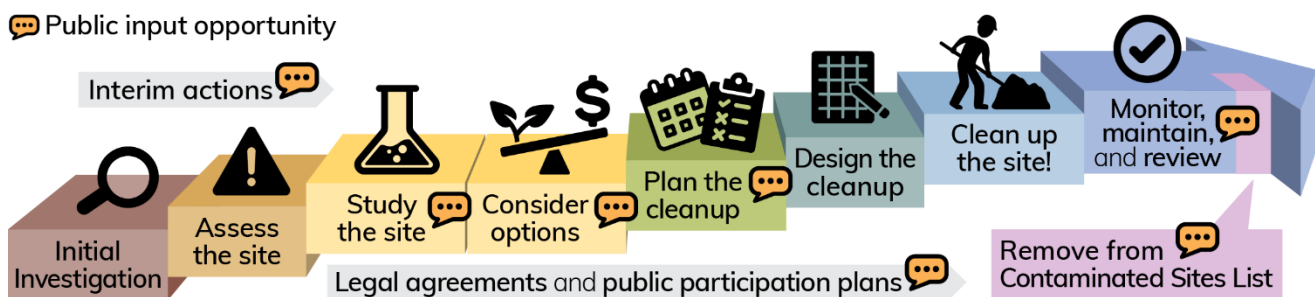


Figure 1: Washington's cleanup process. [Read a plain text version](#).¹

¹ <https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/publications/SummaryPages/1909166.html>

Información en español

Estamos supervisando la limpieza de la contaminación en las instalaciones del Kent Space Center de Boeing, ubicado en 20403 68th Ave. S., Kent, Washington. Este documento explica cómo revisar y hacer comentarios sobre los siguientes documentos:

- **Borrador del Estudio de Viabilidad:** Este documento compara opciones para limpiar la contaminación en el sitio.
- **Borrador del Plan de Participación Pública (PPP):** Este plan fomenta la participación de la comunidad en las decisiones de limpieza.

Lugares donde revisar los documentos

Cómo ver los documentos en persona

Los documentos están disponibles para revisión en persona en:

Washington State Department of Ecology

Northwest Region Office

15700 Dayton Ave N.

Shoreline, WA 98133-9716

Recepción (24 horas): 206-594-0000

Le exhortamos a hacer una cita. Para revisar los documentos en la oficina de Ecología, haga una cita comunicándose con:

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No es necesario hacer cita.

Cómo ver los documentos en línea

Visite: ecology.wa.gov/BoeingKent.

¿Tiene preguntas sobre cómo obtener información?

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Cómo enviar sus comentarios

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¿Qué pasa a continuación?

El periodo de comentario público está abierto desde el 25 de agosto al 26 de septiembre, 2025. Después de que el periodo de comentario público termine, revisaremos y consideraremos todos los comentarios recibidos. Los documentos pueden cambiar basado en sus comentarios. Después de considerar todos los comentarios, el documento será finalizado. Cuando se desarrollen nuevos documentos sobre el sitio, le notificaremos sobre períodos de comentarios públicos adicionales.

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Українська (Ukrainian): Потрібна допомога чи є запитання? Ми безкоштовно пропонуємо послуги письмового та усного перекладу. Якщо вам потрібні ці послуги, напишіть електронною поштою janelle.anderson@ecy.wa.gov або зателефонуйте (425) 301-6454. Якщо ви зателефонуєте, попросіть усного перекладача і дочекайтеся, доки вас з'єднають із ним.

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Cleanup plans for soil and groundwater

Boeing must clean up the contamination. The cleanup protects human health and the environment from dangerous wastes and chemicals.

The Feasibility Study found the most permanent and practical cleanup remedy. This remedy uses monitored natural attenuation (MNA). With MNA, we let natural processes reduce contamination under close monitoring. We check the progress of the cleanup by taking regular groundwater samples and testing them for contamination. This remedy protects people and animals by reducing arsenic in groundwater over time. The remedy will permanently meet cleanup goals and prevents activities that might interfere with the cleanup.

Document review locations

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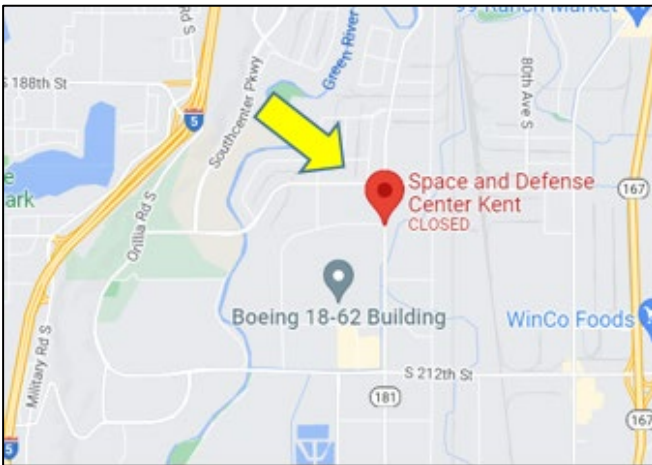
The public comment period is open from August 25 – September 26, 2025. After the comment period ends, we'll review and consider all comments received. The documents may change based on your comments. After we consider all comments, the documents will become final.

When there are new documents about the site, we'll notify you about new public comment periods.



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Join the Discussion!



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Boeing Kent Space Center Draft Documents

Ecology seeks your comments on a draft feasibility study and draft public participation plan for the Boeing cleanup site in Kent, Washington.

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Submit a Comment

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- Impormasyon sa Tagalog sa loob
- Українська всередині
- Thông tin bên trong bằng tiếng Việt