



## Makah Reservation Warmhouse Beach Dump Site: Makah Tribe

<p><b><u>Case Study: Tribe Information</u></b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The Makah Reservation Warmhouse Beach Dump Site is located in Neah Bay, WA on the Makah Nation. Warmhouse Beach is an important natural and cultural resource for the tribe. It has been used as a traditional summer fishing camp where families have spent extended periods of time living and harvesting a wide variety of marine resources available at the beach.</li> <li>- The Makah petitioned the USEPA to investigate contaminants from the site.</li> <li>- NPL documents of interest may be available through ITEP's resource library.</li> </ul>	
<p><b><u>EPA NPL Status Information</u></b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Recent Site History:</b> The Warmhouse Beach Dump is a 7 acre open dump which was in use from the early 1970s through 2012. The dump reportedly was used by the Makah Air Force Station on the reservation to dispose of municipal solid and hazardous wastes. Following the closure of the Air Force Station in the late 1980s, the dump continued to be used by tribal members and non members for the disposal of municipal solid wastes.</li> <li>- <b>Response activities:</b> The site was listed on the NPL in 2013. The next step is the remedial investigation/feasibility study (RI/FS).</li> </ul>	<p><a href="https://www.eduplace.com/state/wa/pdf/wa_map.pdf">https://www.eduplace.com/state/wa/pdf/wa_map.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="http://superfund.ciesin.columbia.edu/sfmapper/mapviewer.jsf?width=515&amp;height=596">http://superfund.ciesin.columbia.edu/sfmapper/mapviewer.jsf?width=515&amp;height=596</a></p>
<p><b><u>Map Key</u></b></p> <p>Native Lands —</p> <p>NPL Site ●</p> <p>4 Mile Buffer —</p>		
<p><b><u>Primary Contaminants</u></b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Benzo(a)pyrene, Cadmium, Copper, Dioxins, Lead, Manganese, Metals, PAHs, PCBs, Perchlorate, Pesticides, Petroleum Hydrocarbons, Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers, Zinc</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Contacts</u></b></p> <p>ITEP's Tribal Waste &amp; Response Program:</p> <p>Todd Barnell,  <a href="mailto:todd.barnell@nau.edu">todd.barnell@nau.edu</a>          Julie Jurkowski,  <a href="mailto:julie.jurkowski@nau.edu">julie.jurkowski@nau.edu</a></p>