




Pacific Sound Resources Superfund Site: Muckleshoot and Suquamish Nations

<p><u>Case Study:</u> <u>Tribe</u> <u>Information</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Pacific Sound Resources Superfund Site is located in Puget Sound, WA on the ancestral lands of the to the Muckleshoot and Suquamish Nations. The site is adjacent to Elliott Bay; these water bodies are a portion of the adjudicated Usual and Accustomed fishing area of the Muckleshoot and Suquamish Indian Tribes. - The Muckleshoot and the Suquamish signed a MOU (2005) to help coordinate site investigations and response actions on the tribes' ancestral lands. - NPL documents of interest may be available through ITEP's resource library.
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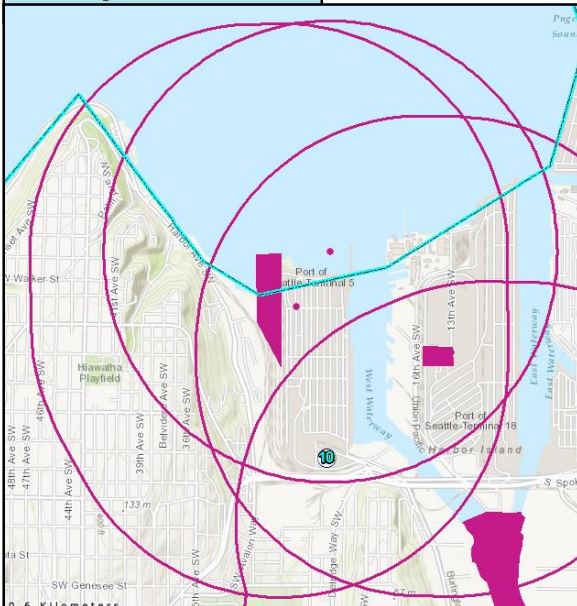
<p><u>EPA NPL</u> <u>Status</u> <u>Information</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Recent Site History: The 25-acre wood treating plant owned by Pacific Sound Resources (PSR) is located in a heavily industrialized area. Operations at the facility began in 1906 until 1964. Wood treatment operations have contaminated sediments in Elliot Bay including approx. 58 acres of shoreline, intertidal and subtidal areas. A significant source of contamination was a transfer table, that was located in a shallow unlined earthen pit called the "transfer table pit."
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<p><u>Map Key</u> Native Lands — — NPL Site ● ● 4 Mile Buffer — —</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Response activities: The site was listed on the NPL in 1994. The initial construction for the clean-up is complete.
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<p><u>Primary</u> <u>Contaminants</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2,4-Dimethylphenol, 4-Methylphenol, Arsenic, Cadmium, Chromium, Chrysene, Fluoranthene, Lead, Mercury, Nickel, PCBs, Pyrene, Zinc - There were 33 contaminants of concern found at this site.
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