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Washington Department of Ecology, Publication 25-09-092 by the Toxics Cleanup Program proposes the contaminated soils will be compacted into a dense area, essentially a shallow grave, with a fence and signage warning people away. This is not a clean-up plan. This is a costly plan to leave a worse situation.

These now concentrated toxins will be left to leach and continue contamination of the area. A post implementation revision to Figure 5, Page 4 should show the Cap Area as a concentrated contamination site.

How is this in line with the Department mission to proudly protect, preserve and enhance Washington's environment? Alternative SL-5 is the responsible plan.