

Duwamish River Community Coalition (Alexandra Johnson)

Hi Meredith,

DRCC would like to request a two-week extension for the Glacier Northwest, Inc. site study to most thoughtfully respond to the remedial investigation. Please let us know if this is possible!

Sincerely,

Yaya

From: [Alexandra Johnson](#)
To: [Nuszer, Augie \(ECY\)](#)
Cc: [Waldref, Meredith \(ECY\)](#); [Nale, Cliff \(ECY\)](#); [Linn Gould](#); [Marcus Griswold](#); [Paulina Lopez](#)
Subject: Re: Two LDW cleanup sites available for public comment starting June 1
Date: Tuesday, June 16, 2026 12:38:58 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
[image002.png](#)

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Thank you so much, Augie!

Sincerely,
Yaya

On Tue, Jun 16, 2026 at 11:15 AM Nuszer, Augie (ECY) <naug461@ecy.wa.gov> wrote:

Hi Yaya,

We see no issue with extending the comment period another 15 days through **July 15th**. Thank you for reaching out and let us know if there is anything else we can do to assist with your document review!

Best,

Augie Nuszer

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From: Alexandra Johnson <alexandra@drcc.org>

Sent: Monday, June 15, 2026 2:38 PM

To: Waldref, Meredith (ECY) <MPEN461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Nale, Cliff (ECY) <ncli461@ECY.WA.GOV>; Nuszer, Augie (ECY) <naug461@ECY.WA.GOV>
Cc: Linn Gould <gouldjha@gmail.com>; Marcus Griswold <mgriswold@calmwatersgroup.com>; Paulina Lopez <paulina@drcc.org>
Subject: Fwd: Two LDW cleanup sites available for public comment starting June 1

External Email

Forwarding this request on to you, Augie, in the hopes that we can make this extension happen!

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From: Alexandra Johnson <alexandra@drcc.org>
Date: Mon, Jun 15, 2026 at 2:29 PM
Subject: Re: Two LDW cleanup sites available for public comment starting June 1
To: Waldref, Meredith (ECY) <MPEN461@ecy.wa.gov>
Cc: Nale, Cliff (ECY) <ncli461@ecy.wa.gov>, Buchan, Arthur (ECY) <ABUC461@ecy.wa.gov>, Foss, Eric (ECY) <erfo461@ecy.wa.gov>, Linn Gould <gouldjha@gmail.com>, Marcus Griswold <mgriswold@calmwatersgroup.com>, Paulina Lopez <paulina@drcc.org>

Hi Meredith,

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Yaya

On Mon, Jun 1, 2026 at 11:30 AM Waldref, Meredith (ECY) <MPEN461@ecy.wa.gov> wrote:

Good morning,

Starting today, Monday, June 1 – June 30, 2026, the Department of Ecology will hold public

comment periods on the following Lower Duwamish Waterway cleanup sites:

- **[Glacier Northwest, Inc.](#)**: A site study (called a remedial investigation) will be available for review and comment.
 - **Location** : [5900 W Marginal Way SW](#) on banks of the Lower Duwamish Waterway in the Lower Reach.
 - **Background** : Contamination at the site is the result of historical uses and practices including manufacture of pentachlorophenol, glues and resins. Since the 1960s, the property has primarily been used as a cement storage and distribution terminal under various property owners and operators, and the southern portion of the property has been intermittently leased for equipment storage to other entities. The property has been owned by Glacier Northwest, Inc. since 1991.
 - **Site Manager**: [Cliff Nale](#), (425) 725-0438

- **[Precision Engineering Inc.](#)**: A site study (called a [remedial investigation](#)) and [options for cleanup \(called a feasibility study\)](#) will be available for review and comment.
 - **Location** : [1231 South Director Street](#) in the Upper Reach of the Lower Duwamish Waterway.
 - **Background** : From 1968 to 2005, Precision Engineering, Inc. operated a metal-finishing shop on the property, performing hard-chrome plating, grinding, welding, and hydraulic cylinder work. Over the decades, leaks and spills from the plating tanks and solvent storage areas released chromium, trichloroethylene (TCE), and petroleum into the soil and groundwater beneath the building.
 - **Site Manager** : [Arthur Buchan](#), (360) 628-4415

You can learn more about each site and read the documents available for public comment by visiting each webpage (linked above).



Learn more at our LDW community office hours

Join us at the playground, learn about our work along the Lower Duwamish Waterway, and make a sun print.

Wednesday, June 3, 2026 (4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.)

South Park Playground

[738 S Sullivan St., Seattle](#)

We hope to see you there,

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