

Public Notice

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances through the restoration of contaminated resources, enforcement, regulation and pollution prevention.

PROPOSED INTERIM CLEANUP PLAN FOR FORMER SOUTHWEST MARINE PROPERTY, PORT OF LA, CA.

Public Comment Period: June 24, 2013 through July 24, 2013

Para información en español por favor comuníquese con Jesus Cruz al número (916) 255-3315.

WHAT IS BEING PROPOSED: The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites you to comment on a proposed interim cleanup of contaminated soil as outlined in a Remedial Action Workplan (RAW) along with an Initial Study/Negative Declaration (IS/Neg. Dec.) as required by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) for the 25 acre former Southwest Marine Property (Site), located at 985 Seaside Avenue, Terminal Island, Port of Los Angeles.

The draft RAW proposes the excavation, stockpile, and removal of approximately 680 truck loads of contaminated soil off Site. The RAW includes procedures to minimize and monitor dust and transportation disruptions. The main chemicals of concern, include elevated levels of lead, arsenic, PCBs, and total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH). The shallow groundwater has not been significantly affected, but isolated source areas of TPH will be removed.

Why This Notice and How You Can Participate: This notice provides you an opportunity to learn more about the Site and submit public comments on the draft RAW and IS/Neg. Dec. The public comment period begins on June 24, 2013, and ends July 24, 2013. Public comments must be postmarked or e-mailed no later than July 24, 2013, and sent to Tony Hashemian, DTSC Project Manager, 5796 Corporate Avenue, Cypress, CA 90630, e-mail: hhashemi@dtsc.ca.gov. The draft RAW, IS/Neg. Dec., and other site related documents are available for public review at the following locations:

City of Los Angeles - Harbor Department, Contact: Christopher Cannon, 222 West 6th Street, Suite 1080, San Pedro, CA 90731. Phone (310) 732-3763. Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.. Or contact Jone Barrio, DTSC, 5796 Corporate Avenue, CA 90630. Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Phone: (714) 484-5337, or the DTSC EnviroStor website at: http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/profile_report.asp?global_id=60000999

For more information, please contact Tony Hashemian at (714) 484-5466 or Tim Chauvel, Public Participation Specialist at (714) 484-5487. For media enquiries, contact Sandy Nax, (916) 327-6114.

