Port Gamble Bay Cleanup CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Recent Activities: 12/08/15

Please note the site is closed to the public! You are welcome to watch from the Port Gamble bluff. Cleanup work continues in full swing, with demolition, dredging, capping and material delivery during the daytime shifts, and intertidal work during the nighttime low tides.

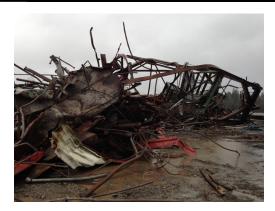
The Port Gamble Bay Cleanup activities the past week included:

- Demolition debris from the red overhead conveyor has been removed to processing area.
- The pilings within the sensitive habitat area were removed with the assistance of divers.
- The nighttime shoreline bank excavation/capping is now well past the halfway mark.
- 8,415 tons of clean materials for capping arrived last week (nearly 58,142 tons to date).
- A total of 2,288 piles have been removed.
- Four loads (110 tons) of creosote were trucked off-site for disposal (75 loads to date).
- 14,100 cubic yards of sediments have been removed w/ the intertidal excavation.
- 7,600 cubic yards of wood waste and sediments have been dredged from the subtidal area.

Some key planned actions during the next few weeks include:

- Ongoing work includes finishing the demolition of the remaining overhead conveyor structure, stockpiling and loading an array of capping materials and removing pilings.
- Shoreline bank excavation and capping continue during nighttime low tide events, this work is necessary to comply with terms in the cleanup permit and consent decree.
- Subtidal dredging and capping will continue through mid-January.
- Truck traffic is heavy, please be careful in town! 60 -70 roundtrip truck trips per day.

Questions or concerns? Project information line: 888-707-8663; email: info@PortGambleBayCleanup.com







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