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Subject: [Records Center] Public Records Request :: R004430-110321
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To: brandon@postpump.org

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State of Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

RE: PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST of 11/3/2021, Reference # R004430-110321.

Dear Brandon Philips,

Oregon Department of Environmental Quality received a public records request from you on 11/3/2021. Your request mentioned:

I would like to get records on the total costs, per site, of underground storage tank orphan site cleanups for service/gas/fuel stations.

My understanding is that Oregon DEQ project manages and hire engineering/construction firms to cleanup orphaned or abandoned sites so if possible including these details for each site would be very helpful:

- A site description or LUST #
- Remediation project plan
- Associated environmental engineering reports
- Costs broken down by DEQ management, disposal, remediation, and other applicable categories
- Start and end date of the cleanup project

If possible please include the last 4 years of orphan site cleanup data for fuel/service/gas stations. If that is too burdensome please prioritize gathering records for facilities that are on a variety of different environments: heavy clay with deep ground water, adjacent to a wetland, on-top of shallow ground water, etc.

This data could help municipalities decide on land use and zoning policies based on cleanup costs associated to certain sensitive sites. Or it could be used by Operators to plan for their insurance needs. I will be making this data publicly available at postpump.org.

Oregon Department of Environmental Quality has determined that we will be unable to complete our response to your request within 15 business days for the following reason:

These files are located all throughout Oregon and will take several Project Managers time to locate and process the files.

As provided under ORS 192.329 (5)(b) Oregon Department of Environmental Quality is providing a reasonable estimate of when we expect to complete response to your request. At this time we estimate a completion date of:

12/13/2021

Oregon Department of Environmental Quality will contact you prior to this date if we anticipate any changes to this estimated response time frame.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to reply to this message or contact my office at .

Sincerely,

Jacqueline HINDMAN

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