

PUBLIC NOTICE

NORTHWEST CLEAN AIR AGENCY

DRAFT RENEWAL OF AIR OPERATING PERMIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the Northwest Clean Air Agency (NWCAA) will take action on and seeks comments on a draft renewal to the Air Operating Permit (AOP) for the following facility:

**Pacific Woodtech Corporation
1850 Park Lane,
Burlington, WA 98233**

Pacific Woodtech is a manufacturer of laminated veneer lumber and wood I-joists in Skagit County.

Pacific Woodtech is required to have an AOP because it has the potential to emit 10 tons per year or more of methanol, which is a hazardous air pollutant (HAP). HAPs are defined as regulated air pollutants in Chapter 173-401 WAC.

The AOP compiles existing air quality requirements and permits into one comprehensive document and establishes monitoring, recordkeeping and reporting procedures to assure compliance. The AOP does not approve emission increases or require emission decreases. The AOP must be renewed every 5 years. This action is a renewal of the existing AOP. For more information, see <http://nwcleanairwa.gov/permits-and-services/major-sources-of-air-pollution/>.

Copies of the draft AOP and supporting documents are available from the NWCAA office, or online at www.nwcleanairwa.gov under "Public Notices." Written comments relating to the issuance of this AOP must be sent within 30 days of this notice to:

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NWCAA may hold a public hearing if the agency determines that there is significant public interest. Requests for a public hearing must be submitted within the comment period. Any such requests must indicate the interest of the person or organization filing the request, and describe why a public hearing is necessary.

NWCAA is publishing this notice pursuant to the Washington State Clean Air Act (RCW 70.94). The AOP is issued pursuant to Chapter 173-401 WAC and Title V of the federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990.

Contact Christos Christoforou with any questions about this notice at the addresses above or at 360-428-1617.