

# Port of Silverdale

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO OBTAIN CUSTODY

### VESSEL *Patricia Anne* with Washington Registration #WN1458KX

The Port of Silverdale declared the vessel *Patricia Anne*, with Washington Registration # WN1458KX as derelict or abandoned. The vessel is 1961 FQD at the Port of Silverdale dock.

The Port of Silverdale, acting as an authorized public entity with the authority granted in RCW 79.100, intends to take custody of the vessel on **May 13, 2024**. After taking custody of the vessel, The Port of Silverdale may use or dispose of it without further notice to the owner.

**In order to keep the vessel, before the Custody Date, the owner must:**

- Get authorization to moor or anchor the vessel in its current location, **or**
- Move it to an anchorage area, moorage facility, or storage location that authorizes the vessel.
- Remove the vessel from the water.

If the owner wants to reclaim the vessel after Port of Silverdale has custody, or wants to challenge Port of Silverdale decision to take custody, the owner must file a written appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board (PCHB) and serve a copy on Port of Silverdale. Addresses are in the boxes below:

<p><b>Pollution Control Hearings Board</b> (send one original and one copy)</p> <p><b>Physical address:</b> 1111 Israel Road, Ste. 301 Tumwater, WA 98501</p> <p><b>Mailing address:</b> PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903</p> <p><b>Phone:</b> 360-664-9160</p>	<p>Port of Silverdale 3550 NW Byron Street PO Box 310 Silverdale, WA 98383-0310</p>
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The appeal must include the following information:

- A copy of this notice or a copy of the notification letter to the owner.
- Your name and address (mailing and legal, if different) and, if applicable, the name and address of your representative.
- A daytime phone number.
- A brief statement why you are appealing.
- A statement of what you want the Pollution Control Hearings Board to do.
- Your signature or that of your representative. This signature certifies that the content of the appeal is true.

See <https://eluhogov.com> or call the PCHB at the number above with appeal questions.

The owner may submit the appeal immediately, but the PCHB must receive it no later than **June 13, 2024**. **The owner waives the right to a hearing if the PCHB does not receive an appeal on or before the Appeal Date. The owner is then liable for any costs incurred by Port of Silverdale in responding to the vessel.**

These costs may include all administrative costs incurred by Port of Silverdale, removal and disposal costs, and costs associated with environmental damages directly or indirectly caused by the vessel. If there is a law suit, the successful party may receive reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.

Port of Silverdale also may pursue any other remedies available under law. For example, Port of Silverdale may take temporary possession of the vessel under the circumstances described in the Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 79.100.040(3). You can find a copy of this law online at <http://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=79.100>.

For more information, contact Jennifer Olson at Port of Silverdale at (360) 698-4918 or [portofsilverdale@wavecable.com](mailto:portofsilverdale@wavecable.com).