

RESOLUTION NO. 150

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WHEREAS, by letter of May 7, 1979, the Washington Public Power Supply System did request in accordance with Sections III.I and III.D.3 of the Site Certification Agreement for WPPSS Nuclear Projects 3 and 5, for permission for controlled open burning and for a turbidity waiver in relation to the West Laydown Area Development; and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes that open burning is the most cost effective alternative for the disposal of stumps and slash and that environmental impacts caused through gas and particulate emissions and deposition of ash can be effectively managed by imposing conditions on open burning; and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes that short term increases in turbidity may result during clearing operations;

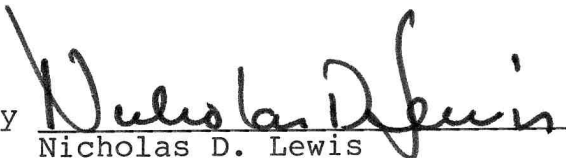
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council that it agrees to grant a turbidity waiver during construction of the laydown area, and agrees to the disposal of slash and stumps from land clearing by controlled open burning, subject to conditions:

- 1) The water quality criteria set forth in WAC 173.20.030 (2)(c)(vi) as for turbidity is hereby modified for the period beginning 0100 hours September 1, 1979 and terminating 2400 hours on October 31, 1979, subject to the following requirements:
 - a) Although there are no point sources, turbid drainage resulting from construction of the laydown, shall be controlled through the use of haybale dams or typar fences.
 - b) The turbidity shall not exceed a daily average of 75 NTU's with no more than a three hour period in excess of 300 NTU's. When these values are exceeded, all work adversely affecting water quality shall cease.
 - c) In the event that the Contractor is unable to meet these requirements, or when construction activity will result in water quality degradation below the standards specified in paragraph b, the Council will be notified immediately.
- 2) Controlled open burning will be conducted in the following manner:
 - a) High stack burning, height no less than diameter.
 - b) Clean piles, free of dirt.

- c) No more than six fires at any one time.
- d) No new fire ignited until previous fire is totally extinguished.
- e) No new fire ignited during an air pollution episode and existing fires shall be extinguished in a reasonable manner.
- f) No burning of prohibited materials.
- g) There shall be no burning when winds are in the direction of populated areas.
- h) Necessary personnel and equipment shall be available to prevent any spread of the fires.
- i) Monitoring of the implementation of the controlled open burning provisions of this resolution by the Department of Natural Resources is authorized by the Council.

Dated this 11th day of June, 1979.

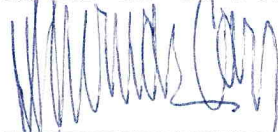
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