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Bradford Island Cleanup

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● BACKGROUND

- ◆ HISTORY
- ◆ IN-WATER SITE
- ◆ UPLAND SITES

● CURRENT PLAN

- ◆ RI/FS (Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study)
- ◆ NON TIME CRITICAL IN-WATER REMOVAL



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HISTORY



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HISTORY

1930 - 1991

- **Dam Constructed in 1930s**
- **20 Single Family Homes - Corps Personnel**
- **Northeast Tip of Island Used as Landfill**
- **Landfill Used from 1942 to 1982**
- **Household Garbage and Project Waste**
- **Approx 8,800 CY of Fill Material**





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HISTORY

1992-1999

- **1992 - ERGO Audit of Entire Bonneville Project**
- **1996 - Potentially Hazardous Materials Confirmed**
- **1997 - Site Assessment Report Conducted**
- **1998 - Level I Site Investigation**
 - ◆ **Contaminants in Groundwater**
 - ◆ **PCBs, Metals in Soil Samples**
- **1999 - Level II Site Investigation**
 - ◆ **Additional Soil and Well Water Samples**
 - ◆ **Groundwater Seep Survey**
 - ◆ ***Streetlight Ballasts Found on Riverbank***





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IN-WATER SITE



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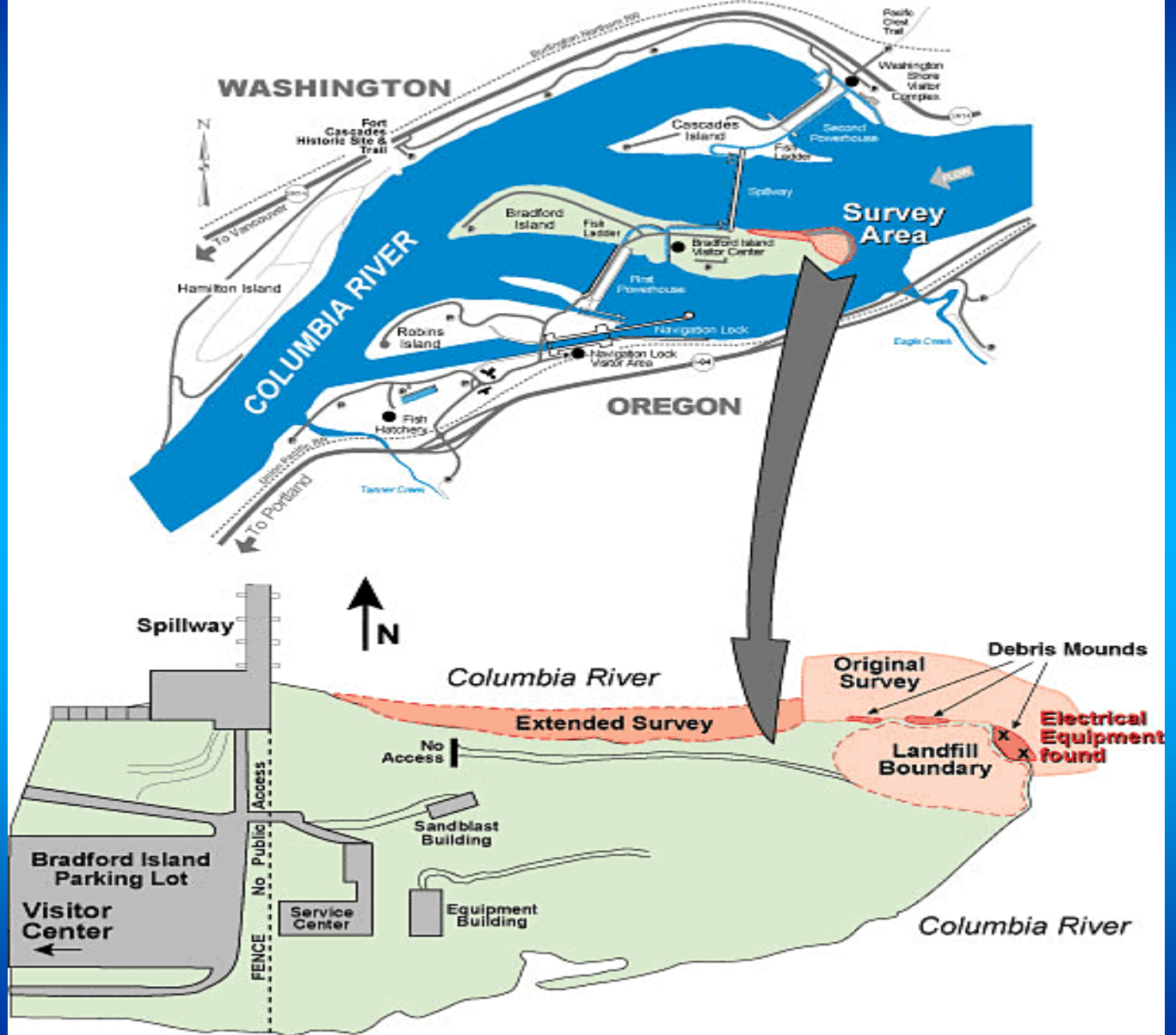
IN-WATER SITE 2000-2004

- **2000 - In-Water Investigations**
 - ◆ **Divers Find Debris in Columbia River**
 - ◆ **Some Components Found to Contain PCBs**
 - ◆ **Sediments Show PCB Contamination**
- **2001 – Design and Coordinate Removal**
- **2002 – Remove In-Water Components**
- **2003 – Post Removal Sediment Sampling**
- **2004 – Post Removal Report**

Bonneville Lock and Dam Project Area Map



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Bradford Island Historic Landfill Investigation









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Contaminants of Concern

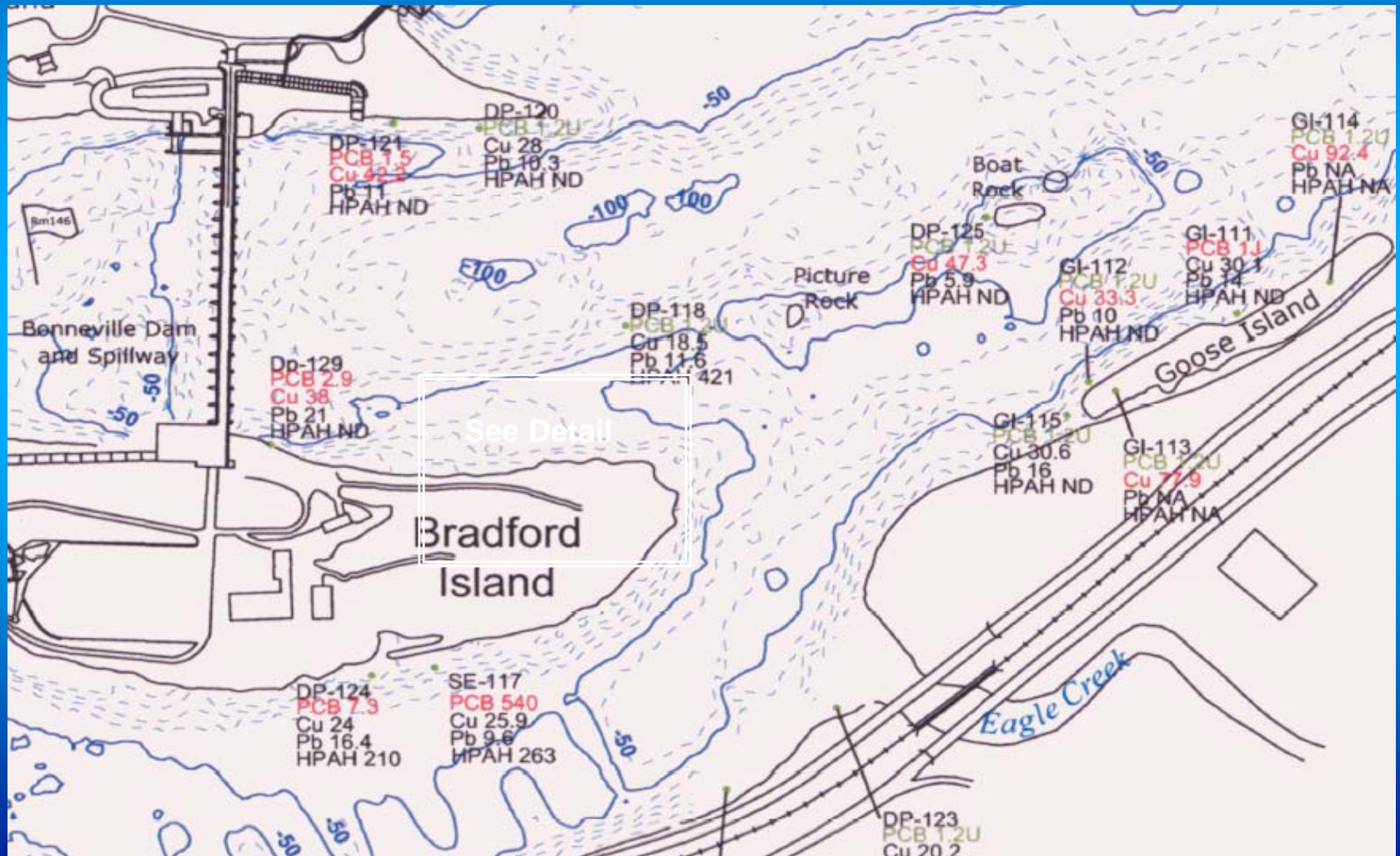
Analyte Group	Analytes
Metals	Lead
	Copper
PCBs	Aroclor 1254
SVOC	Benzo(a)anthracene
<i>(10 PAHs, 1 phthalate)</i>	Benzo(a)pyrene
	Benzo(g,h,i)perylene
	Benzo(b+k)fluoranthenes
	Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (BEHP)
	Chrysene
	Fluoranthene
	Indeno(1,2,3-c,d)pyrene
	Phenanthrene
	Pyrene



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In-Water Sample Locations

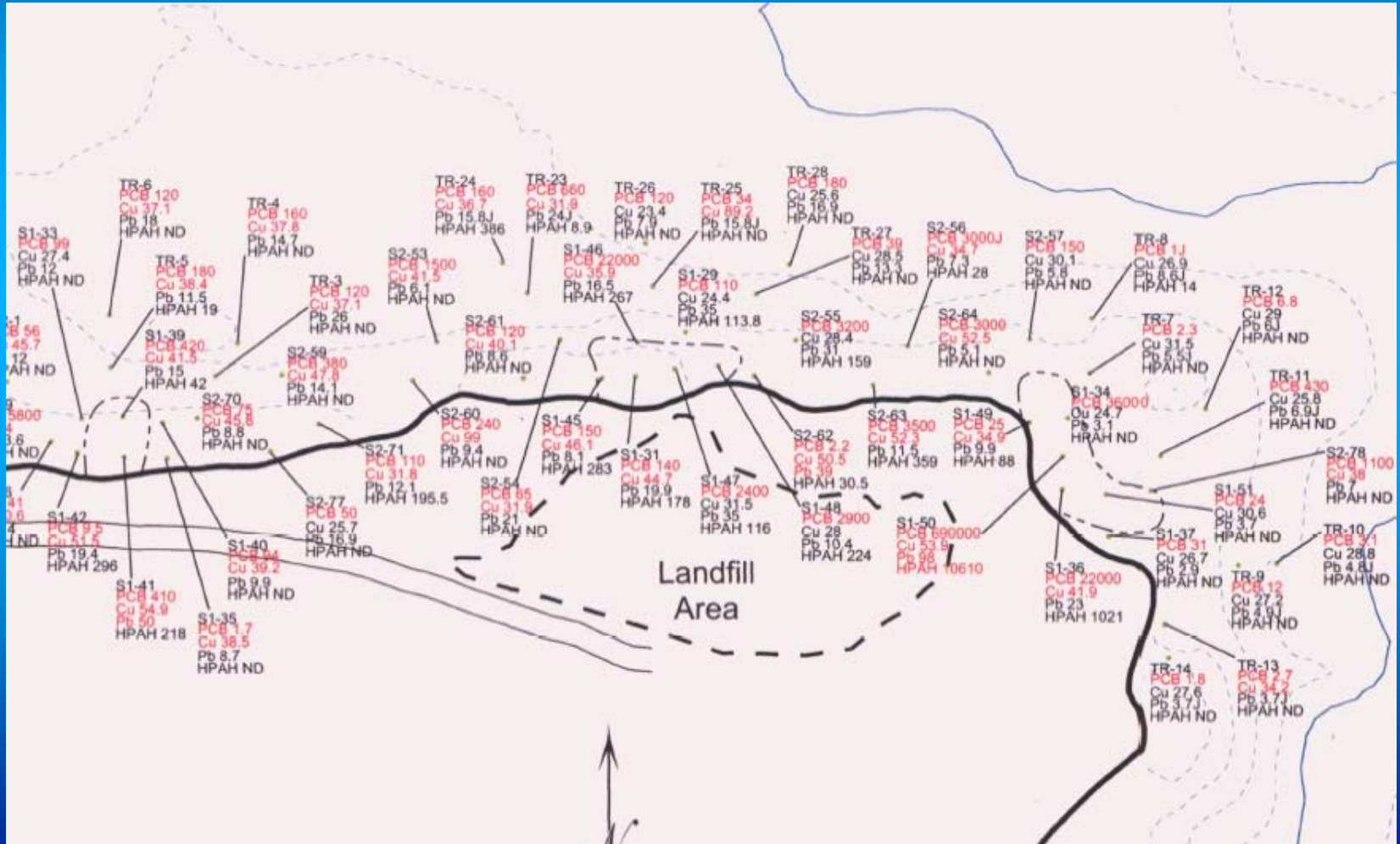




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In-Water Sample Locations





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UPLAND SITES



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East End of Bradford Island



1995 aerial photograph of eastern portion of Bradford Island.



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CURRENT PLAN Under CERCLA*

- RI/FS
- IN-WATER NON-TIME
CRITICAL REMOVAL

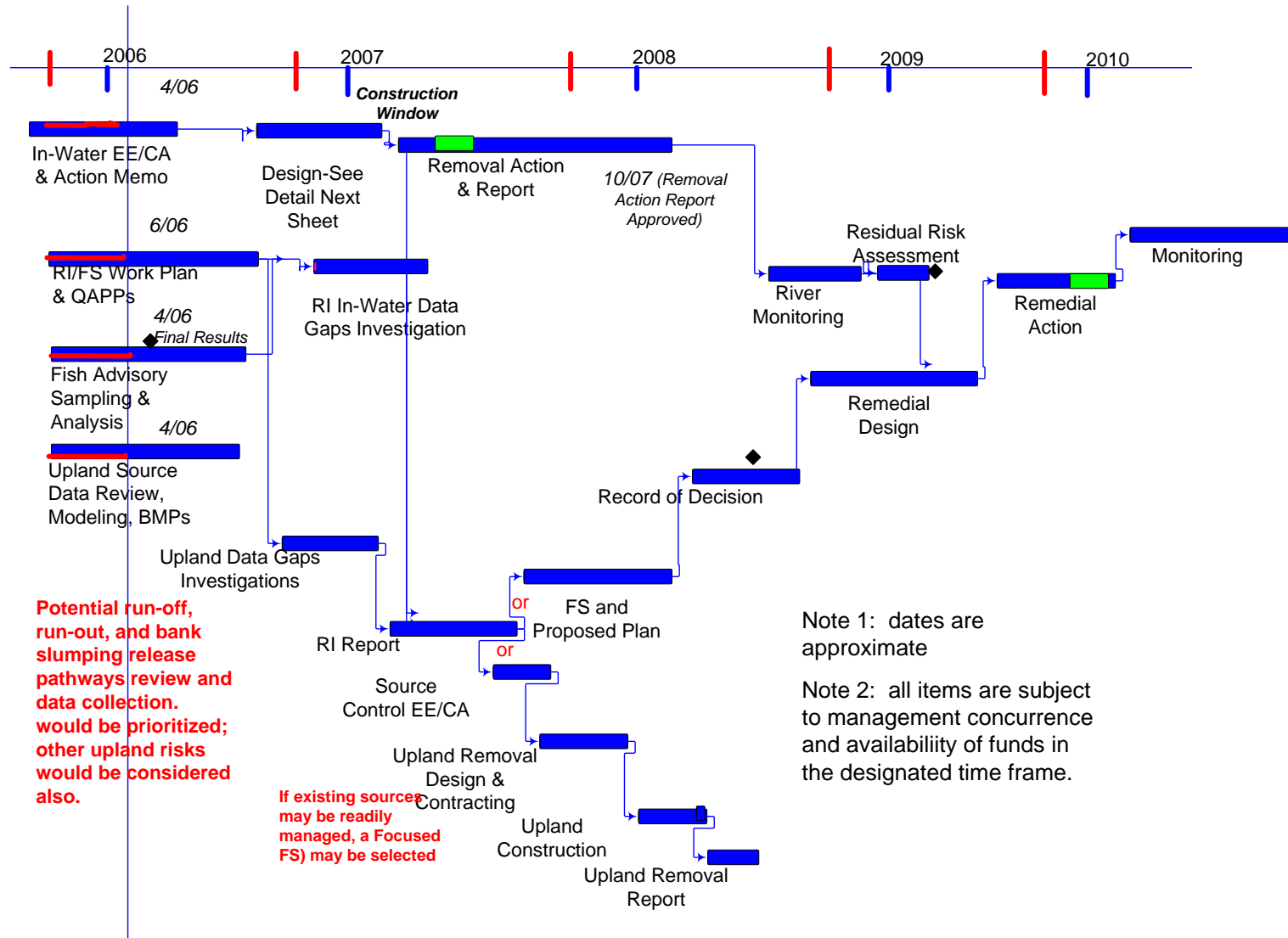
* Comprehensive Environmental Response,
Compensation and Liability Act



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RI and In-Water Removal Conceptual Schedule



Potential run-off, run-out, and bank slumping release pathways review and data collection would be prioritized; other upland risks would be considered also.

If existing sources may be readily managed, a Focused FS may be selected

Note 1: dates are approximate

Note 2: all items are subject to management concurrence and availability of funds in the designated time frame.



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CURRENT PLAN

RI/FIS



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RI/FS 2006-2010

- 2006 – Complete Work Plan (June)
- 2008 – Record of Decision
- 2009 – Remedial Design
- 2010 – Remedial Action(s)



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CURRENT PLAN

NON-TIME CRITICAL REMOVAL



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NON-TIME CRITICAL IN-WATER REMOVAL 2006-2007

- **March '06 – Complete Public Review of EE/CA**
- **October '06 – Complete Removal Design**
- **January '07 – Complete Coordination**
- **2007 - Complete Removal Action**



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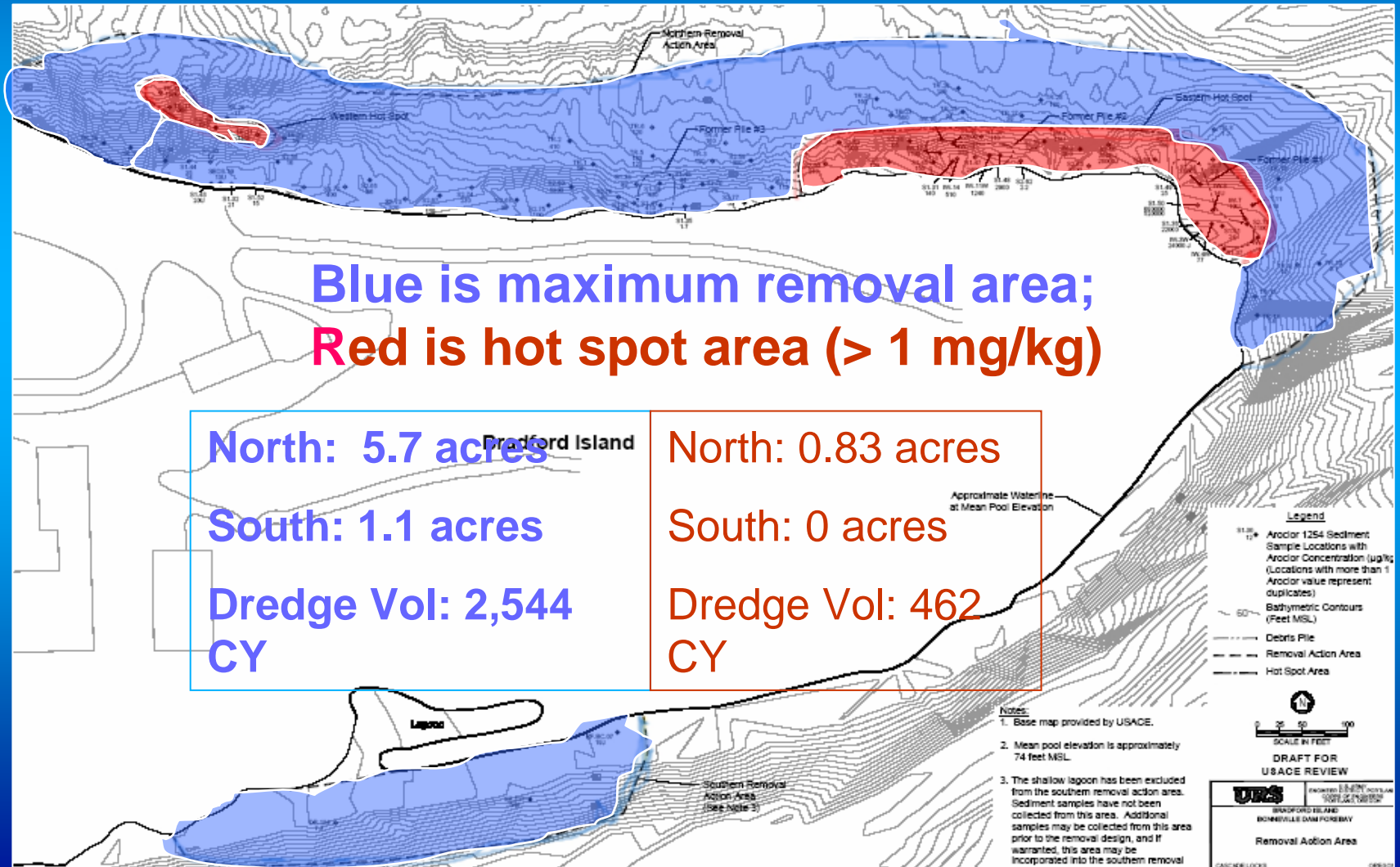
EE/CA ALTERNATIVES

- **No Action**
- **Dredging Removal Area**
- **Hot Spot Dredging with Capping**
- **Capping Removal Area**
- **Hot Spot Dredging & Enhanced Natural Recovery**
- *Hot Spot Dredging Only*



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In-Water Area, per Draft EE/CA





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EE/CA RECOMMENDATION

- **Hot Spot Dredging Only**
 - ◆ **Removes 94% of the PCB Mass**
 - ◆ **Very Effective at Risk Reduction**
 - ◆ **Compatible with Future In-Water Remedial Actions**
 - ◆ **May Achieve Adequate Protection Levels Without Further Action (Conservative factors used in EE/CA)**
 - ◆ **Can be Done Using Standard Methods**
 - ◆ **Least Cost (approx 50% less than any other alternative)**



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RISK FACTORS

● Direct Contact

◆ Access

- Water (Boat Restricted Zone)
- Land (Restricted from All)

● Ingestion

◆ Anadromous vs. Resident Fish

◆ Home Range of Resident Fish

- Percentage of Diet from Hot Spot / Removal Area

◆ Percentage of Diet from affected Fish

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