



Public Notice

DEQ Requests Comments on Proposed Certification of Completion for Former Whetstone Industrial Park

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The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality invites the public to submit written comments on the proposed certification that cleanup activities at the Amy's Kitchen – Former Whetstone Industrial Park site in White City have been completed in accordance with a Prospective Purchaser Agreement.

How to provide public comment

Facility name: Former Whetstone Industrial Park

Project location: 441 W. Antelope Road in White City

Comments due by: June 1, 2026, at 5 p.m.

Submit written comments:

By mail: Rachel Murphy, Oregon DEQ, 165 E. Seventh Ave., Eugene, OR 97401

By email: rachel.murphy@deq.oregon.gov

Proposal highlights

DEQ is proposing to issue a Certification of Completion to Table Rock Group LLC upon completion of remedial actions required under the PPA. These actions ensure the site is protective of human health and the environment.

Cleanup and site controls implemented at the property include:

- Consolidation of waste debris into the Whetstone Landfill in accordance with the Landfill Consolidation Plan.
- Implementation of a Construction Soil Management Plan during site development activities.
- Placement of a soil cap consisting of a minimum of 12 inches of clean soil over areas of remaining waste debris in 2023.
- Development and implementation of a Landfill Monitoring and Maintenance Plan, and Facility Monitoring and Maintenance Plan to ensure long-term integrity of the cap.
- Recording of two separate Easement and Equitable Servitude, dated Feb. 23, 2026, establishing long-term engineering and institutional controls, including land use restrictions and cap protection requirements for both the Whetstone Landfill parcel and the Amy Kitchen Facility parcel.

Background

The property is located at 441 W. Antelope Road in White City and is adjacent to the former Whetstone Landfill. The landfill was historically used for disposal of construction-related debris from the 1940s through the 1960s.

During development of the Amy's Kitchen facility beginning in 2005, soil and debris encountered on the property were excavated and consolidated onto the former Whetstone Landfill in accordance with DEQ-approved plans. Remaining areas of shallow buried debris were addressed through placement of additional soil caps on the Amy's Kitchen property.

These actions were conducted under a PPA with DEQ to ensure protection of human health and the environment while allowing redevelopment of the property.

For more information

Visit DEQ's Environmental Cleanup Site Information database at [ordeg.org/Environmental Cleanup Site Information database 1465](https://ordeg.org/Environmental%20Cleanup%20Site%20Information%20database%201465).

If you do not have web access and want to review the project file, contact Rachel Murphy at 503-954-8350 or rachel.murphy@deq.oregon.gov to view the documents in person at a DEQ office.

Environmental Cleanup Site Information ID: 1465

The next step

Upon completion of this 30-day comment period, DEQ will respond to and consider all comments prior to making our final decision to certify completion.

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