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Attachments: RE: Sediment Contamination in Oakland Bay, Mason County, WA
Hi Candace -

Dick Wallace suggested that my sediment concerns in Oakland Bay, which possibly exist elsewhere in Puget Sound, should be directed to SARC via you, so I have included below an email from Valerie Partridge and myself.

The primary issue for the committee to address is whether there is a risk pollutants exist in lower sediment layers in some areas of Puget Sound where Geoducks are either being cultivated or are proposed to be cultivated, and, if so whether the extraction of the Geoducks in commercial quantities of 2+ per square foot bring with them the pollutants. Valerie seems to suggest that this is a concern worth consideration, which may be important when siting of Geoduck farms is considered.

Thanks - Jules Michel

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