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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY PERSONNEL IN COLD ZONES

Citizens located in neighborhoods outside the contaminated area may notice Department of Energy (DOE) personnel wearing personal protective equipment in their neighborhoods. This is not an indication that their neighborhoods have become hazardous. These DOE personnel are performing routine sampling and testing procedures. There is no cause for public alarm. Please do not call 9-1-1.

The contaminated area is located within the following perimeter: NE Clackamas, the Willamette River, and NE 9th Avenue from NE Clackamas to NE Holladay, from NE 9th and Holladay to NE First, NE First south to NE Pacific, and west on Pacific to the Willamette River.

Inquiries or concerns about DOE testing in areas outside the contaminated area can be directed to any of the following phone numbers:

1. 503-253-8901
2. 503-253-8876
3. 503-253-8742

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Important contact numbers:

Missing person hotline: 503-823-3088

Public information line: 503-253-8901

Websites:

For information on health, www.cdc.gov

For local Portland information, www.portlandonline.com