



# Ephemeral Sediment Data Collection to Establish Baseline Sediment Conditions for NRDAR

<b>Regional Priority Approach</b>	CHIN6.2: Strengthen local oil spill plans, integrate with regional programs, and allocate resources
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<b>Other Organizations</b>	Washington State Department of Ecology
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<b>Stage</b>	Implementation
<b>Duration</b>	2021 - 2022
<b>Activity Progress</b>	Off-Track
<b>Activity Progress Barrier</b>	Inadequate resources: Funding not fully secured
<b>2018 NTA ID</b>	2018-0854
<b>Total Proposed NTA Cost</b>	\$87,600.00

**CHIN6: Enhance preventative measures and develop integrated oil spill preparedness and response programs ▶**  
**CHIN6.2: Strengthen local oil spill plans, integrate with regional programs, and allocate resources**

Conduct analyses of sediment samples taken from 21 locations across seven DNR Aquatic Reserves and from five high risk sites on DNR managed lands located outside of the Reserves (see map below). This baseline data will be used to establish the foundation for a NRDA case in the event of a major oil spill impacting one and/or several of these areas.

A secondary goal of this project is to contribute sediment data to DNR's Aquatic Reserve's science monitoring program.

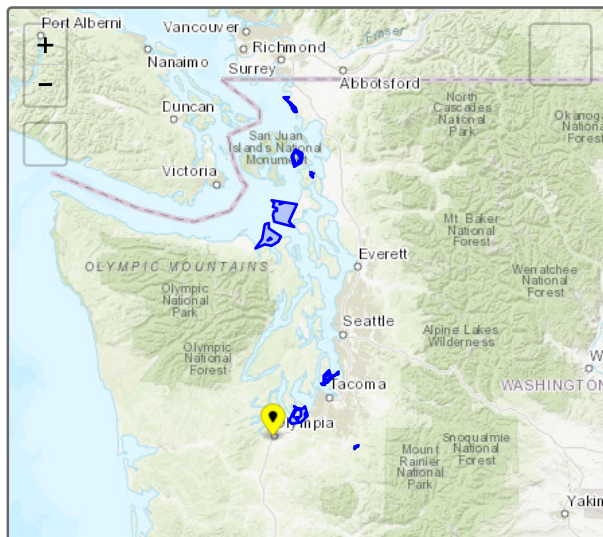
**Activity Types**

- Enabling Conditions - Monitoring



Ephemeral sediment sampling in Fidalgo Bay Aquatic Reserve

**Location**



**Expenditures**

*No expenditures provided*

## Photos

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Near Term Action last updated 8/25/2021