



Aileen Gagney showing a resident how to use products safely and read the ingredients of the cleaning products.



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Healthy Home Assessment

Have a Master Home Environmentalist walk you through your home identifying simple changes that improve you and your family's overall health. A custom action plan, green cleaning kit, and doormats are all provided without charge.

To schedule a free healthy home assessment please call (206) 859-9178 or email kevin@duwamishcleanup.org



Get free cleaning kit & doormat after home assessment.

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Duwamish Community Action for Clean Air

Are you concerned about the air quality in your community?

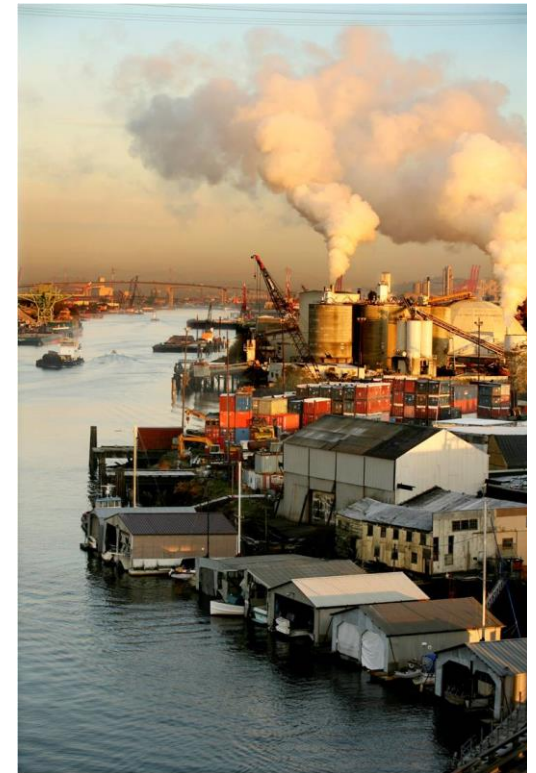


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Help us improve the air quality in our community!

The health of the Duwamish Valley residents is constantly threatened by pollution from industries, automobiles, trucks and other sources. Asthma hospitalizations of Duwamish Valley children occur at twice the rate of other King County communities.

A recent study published by Just Health Action and the Duwamish River Cleanup Coalition / TAG (Duwamish Valley Cumulative Health Impacts Analysis - CHIA) shows that the highest levels of air pollution occur in the Beacon Hill, Georgetown, and South Park neighborhoods (zip code 98108) when compared to other neighborhoods in Seattle.

The Duwamish Community Action for Clean Air project will work within our community to identify and analyze these threats to our health. We are now taking the next steps to identify the sources of pollution and to improve the health of residents within our community.

We need your help!



How can you help?

- Attend community meetings that will be scheduled throughout the next two years
- Schedule a free home assessment
- Learn more about the past work of the DRCC/TAG (DuwamishCleanup.org)

What are the project goals?

- Identify the most significant sources of air pollution (e.g. diesel particulates, others)
- Improve residents' understanding of the sources of air pollution
- Reduce residents' exposure to air pollution
- Ultimately, reduce the frequency and severity of asthma within the community

What are some of the activities to be developed?

- Research about sources of pollution
- Identify primary sources and relative contribution to air pollution
- Conduct healthy home assessments
- Implement community projects to improve the air quality

Why are we doing this?

DRCC/TAG heard from the community that there is an air quality issue based on the work that has been done through the Duwamish Valley Vision Plan and Map, Health Impact Assessment (HIA), and CHIA. Moreover, surveys, community mapping, and other community-based participatory research indicated that the biggest concern to the community is air quality/pollution. We listened and acted upon your concerns!

Since a high proportion of residents in the Duwamish Valley are at greater risk for health problems, the American Lung Association will offer a free healthy home assessment to help improve the health of your home.

Indoor Air Pollutants

