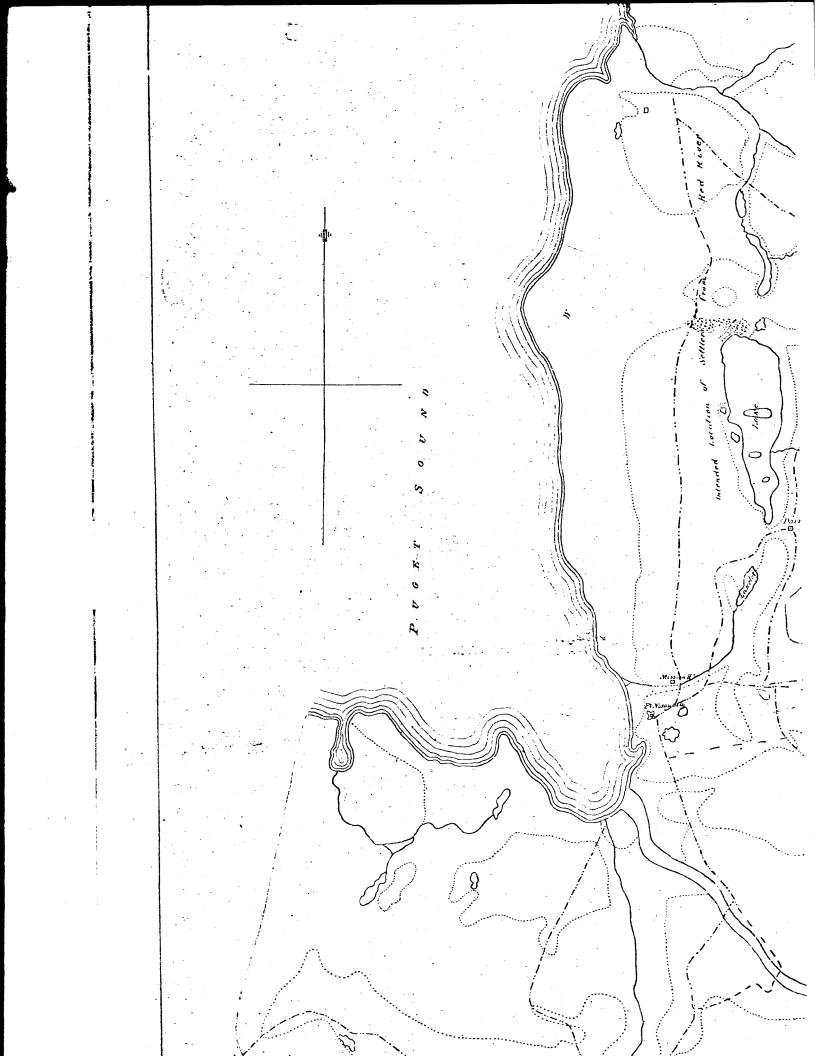


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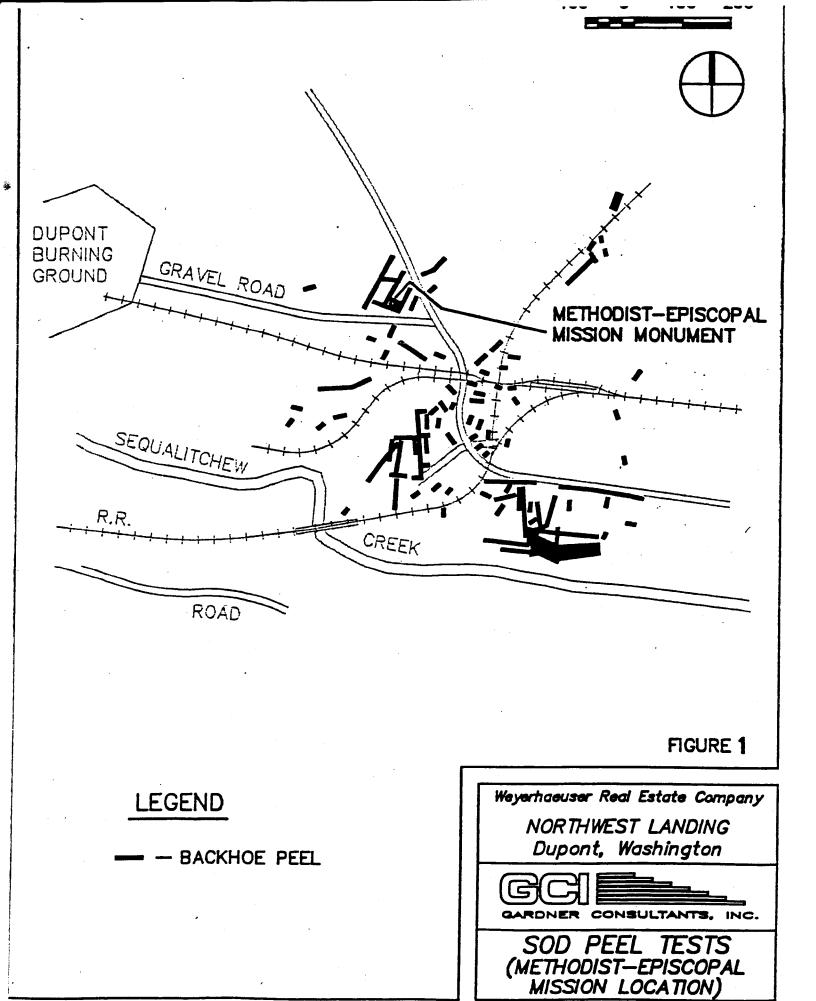
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#### MESSAGE FROM NDA'S NEW PRESIDENT, TOM SKJERVOLD:

I think it was 1978 or 1979 when I first attended an annual meeting of the Nisqually Delta Association and heard of the planned "log export facility" proposed for the DuPont shoreline. At that point a preliminary legal action had been started, but the Shorelines Hearing process still was ahead, as well as years of appeals that would ultimately lead the case to the State Supreme Court. (Actually by the time the Supreme Court delivered a decision, I was serving a term as President of the NDA Board.)

Since that time there have been a couple of proposals for building at the same site, and just last year NDA became a party to an agreement that effectively settled the issue for at least the next hundred years. There is now a gravel loading facility, but it has been moved far north of the originally proposed location and off of the "Shoreline of Statewide Significance" as defined in the Shoreline Management Act of 1971. Over twenty years of persistent wrangling has paid off the mouth of Sequalitchew Creek is to be protected for posterity. This is appropriate given the biological and historical significance of that site to our community. We on the Board feel we have won a major battle!

# So why should NDA continue? Maybe we should just declare victory and go home...

In fact we have been winners along the way. However, while we have won some battles, the war continues. The jewel of the Delta we all know and love has become increasingly valuable. Everyday more people move to the Puget Sound region, and everyday this brings more pressure to bear on the treasured Nisqually National Wildlife Refuge.

As a result of these pressures, the challenges that lie ahead are as great as those we have faced to date. Over twenty-five years ago a proposed port facility intended for the "Old Atlas Powder Site" in Thurston County provided the impetus for the establishment of NDA. Fortunately, that proposal was quickly stopped by popular demand - ironically, we have recently testified against a brand new dock and marina proposal for the same site!

This is just one of the myriad of issues relating to the Delta that we will be involved in over the upcoming years. We will continue to voice our concerns about sewer issues in Pierce and Thurston Counties, as well as in the city of Yelm. Our settlement agreement with Lone Star gives us an active role in monitoring noise and visual impacts of the gravel loading facility, and involves us in the oversight of the Environmental Mitigation Trust Fund. We are also responsible for administering a Public Participation Grant to encourage community involvement in the cleanup of toxic wastes at the Old DuPont Works Site. Land acquisitions to add to the Nisqually National Wildlife Refuge are, of course, an ongoing interest to the Association, and we also intend to continue our watchdog role over upland development issues on all sides of the Delta.

All to say that I am looking forward to serving as President once again. I expect the next year to give us, your Board, plenty to do. We appreciate the support you have given us, and hope you will continue to support us as we battle to SAVE NISQUALLY!



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PLEASE USE THE ENCLOSED ENVELOPE TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP TO NDA TODAY. THANKS!