

Port of Tacoma

Developing Partnerships

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Partnerships in Planning and

Development



Guiding Principles

Help our Current Customers Grow

Prepare for the Future

Be a Good Neighbor





Port Governance

- In 1911, the state legislature authorized the Port District Act, allowing citizens to create port districts. Since that time, our state has grown to be the most trade-dependent in the union. And that trade activity is responsible for one in every four jobs in Washington.
- Ports in Washington are governed by local county-wide elected boards, separate from city or county governmental agencies.
- Ports bring economic development investment and jobs - to their communities.



- "Industry Only" Zone
- Reduced traffic congestion on rails and roads.
- Reduced Emissions
- Reduced Population Density
- Actively Worked to secure a Buffer Zone between Residential and Industrial uses

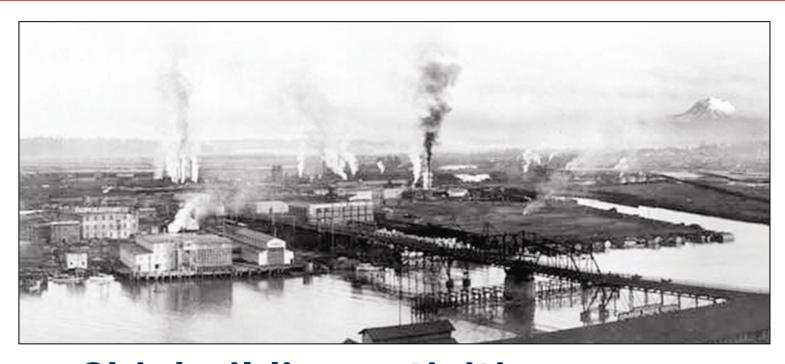


Good Neighbor Initiatives





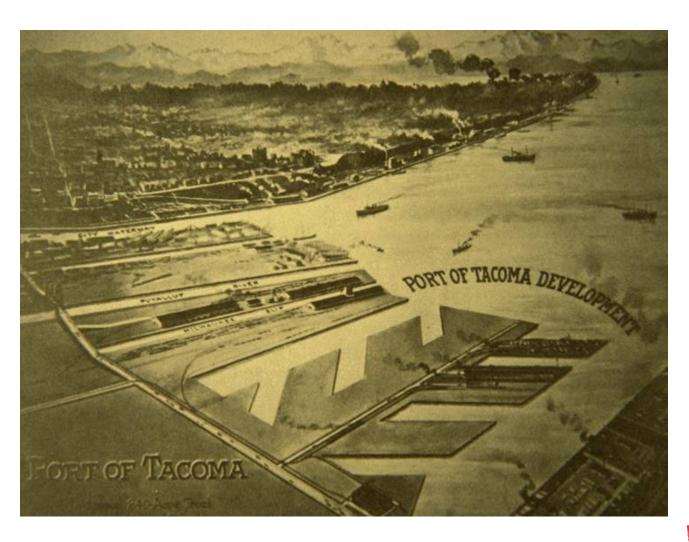
The Industrial Past on Tideflats



- Shipbuilding activities
- Heavy Industrial

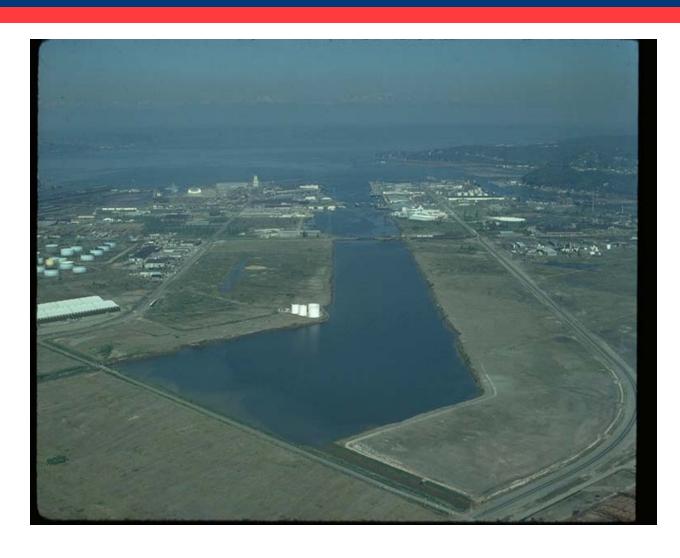


The Early Years





Re-development

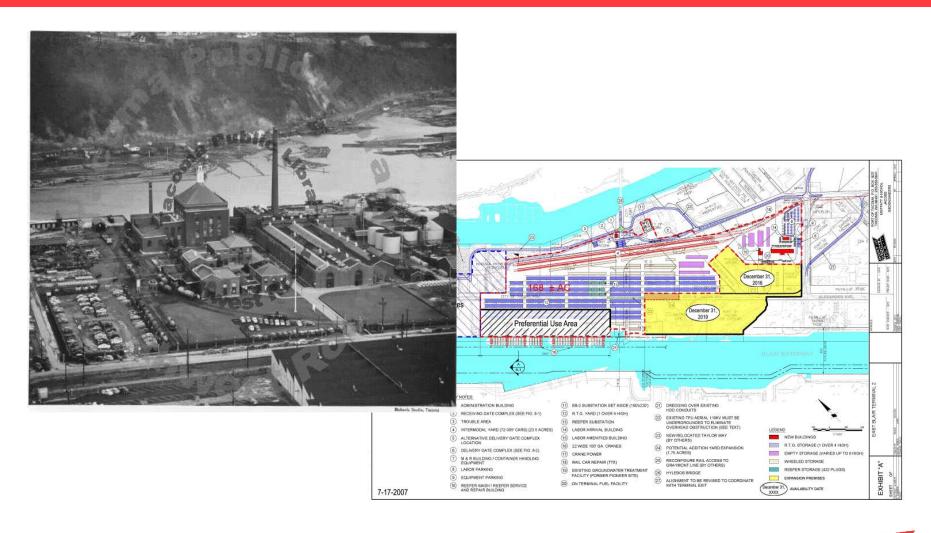


1960's Port Dredged Blair Waterway

1 mile and created 1600 acres of Industrial Lands with Dredge Materials



Re-development





Philosophy

We believe our Port growth is in harmony with environmental protection



Ships travel and salmon swim in the same waterways





Land

- Over the last 20 years,the Port has invested\$162 USD million to:
 - Clean up Tacoma Tideflats
 - Develop mitigation sites
- Brownfield conversion,Kaiser project



Terminal densification



Land

Brownfield Conversion

Former Kaiser Aluminum Smelter



Before

After





Land *Recycling*

Materials recycled from the former Kaiser Aluminum Smelter

- Aluminum: 2,680 tons

- Steel: 11,000 tons

– Copper: 860 tons

Carbon: 4,530 tons

– Alumina ore: 8,200

tons

Transformer oil:473,000 liters





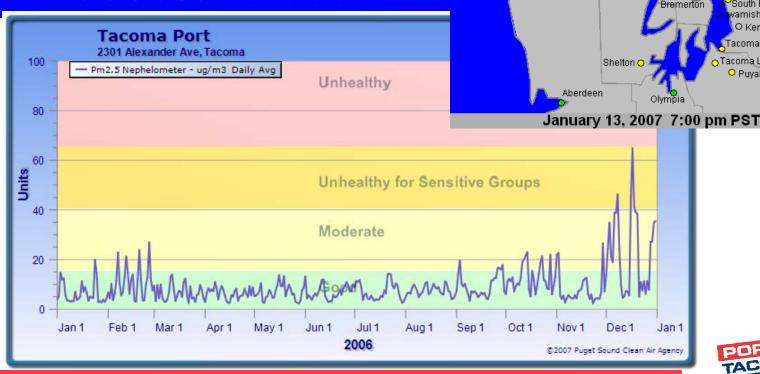
Land

Create Critical Habitats



Air

Future Growth and Air Quality: poor on cold foggy days due to woodstove use



Cheeka Peak

Port Angeles O

Silverdale



Bellingham Yew St

Darrington

O Marysville

Lynnwood Lake Forest Park

Queen Anne Bellevue Beacon Hill

O Kent

Tacoma Port

Tacoma L Street

Puyallup

South Park ONorth

Help our Customers Grow





Inland Strategy

Recognizing the different needs of each Business Unit







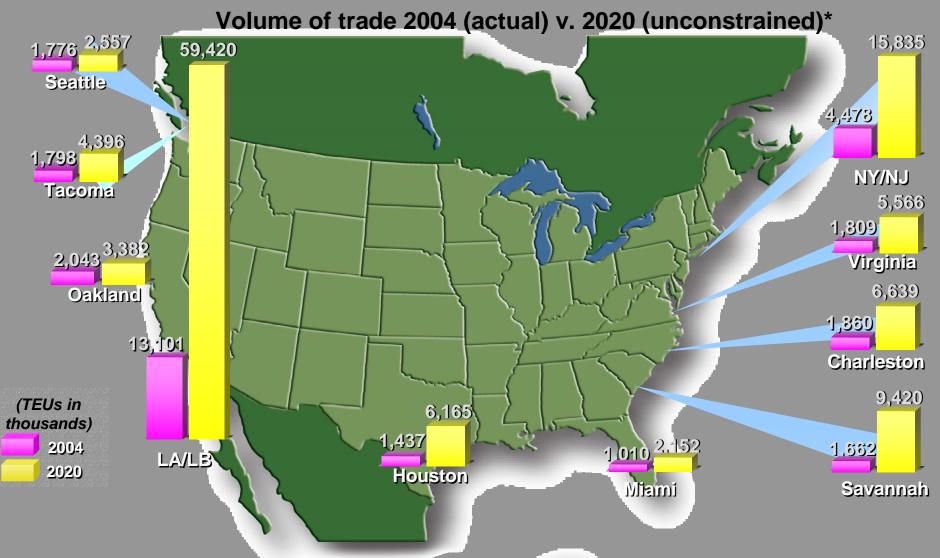


A Sustainable Business Unit that provides
Internal and External Customers a Seamless Solution
to the North America marketplace –

"An Expressway to your customers' door"



Projected Port Freight Demand



* Forecast figures are based on an unconstrained 10-year linear regression, and do not reflect the expected capacity of each port in 2020.

What we know

- China Continues to Grow
- Shipping Lines are asking about our ability to take more intermodal cargo
- Shippers are looking for alternative supply chains to get their cargo to market
- Pacific Northwest (PNW) is being sold as an alternative to PSW for Chicago Traffic
- Ships are getting BIGGER



6800 TEU Ship in Tacoma





How Big?

Today's Mega Ships - Measuring Up



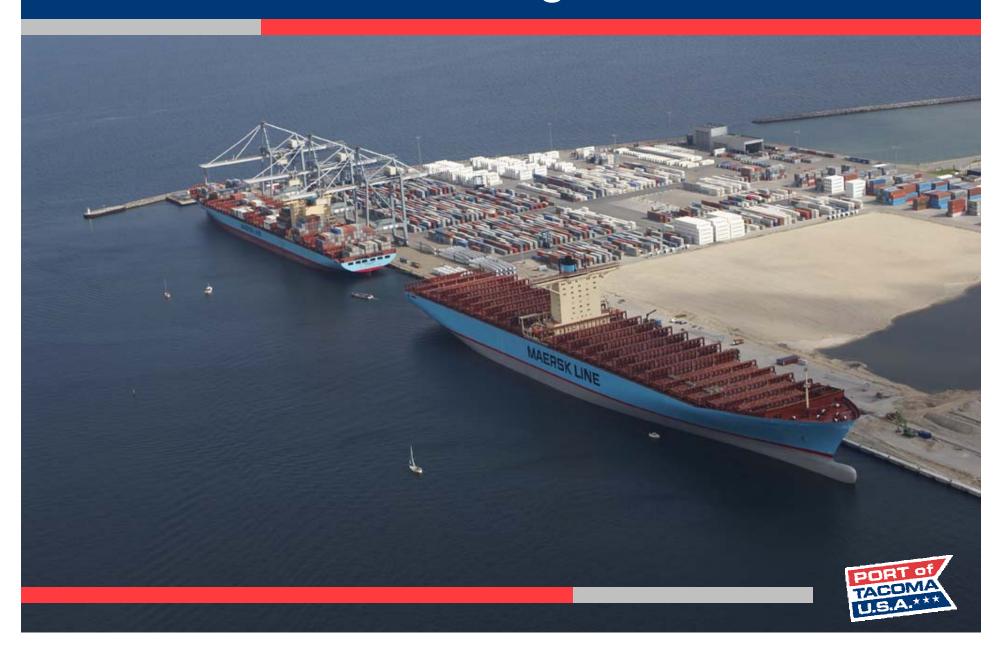


Regina Maersk - 1043 Ft, 140 Ft wide, 6000+ TEUs





The New Mega-vessel



Comparative Carrying Capacity

10,000 TEU Vessel 85% Discharge / Load 50% Local/ 50% Intermodal







1 10,000 TEU Container Ship 18
3,000 Foot
DoubleStack
Trains
(27 Miles)
(50 Acres)

5,800 Trucks (60 Miles) (95 Acres)

DISCHARGE OR LOAD ONLY!

Impacts to Infrastructure

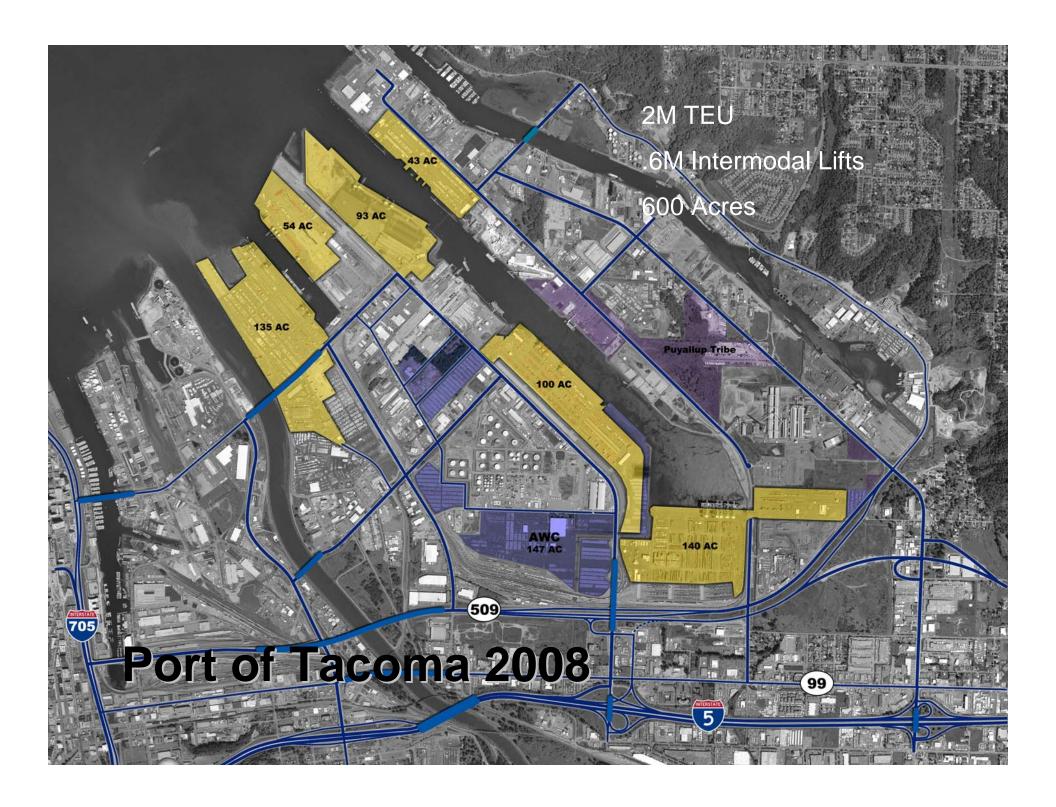
- Container Yards-
 - Land availability (current productivity 4500-8000 TEUs per acre)
 - Productivity (first train out within 4 hours of vessel berthing)
- Road Infrastructure (City, State and Federal)
- Tideflats Rail Capacity (land availability)
- Mainline Rail Capacity (BNSF and UP)
- Environmental Capacity (????)

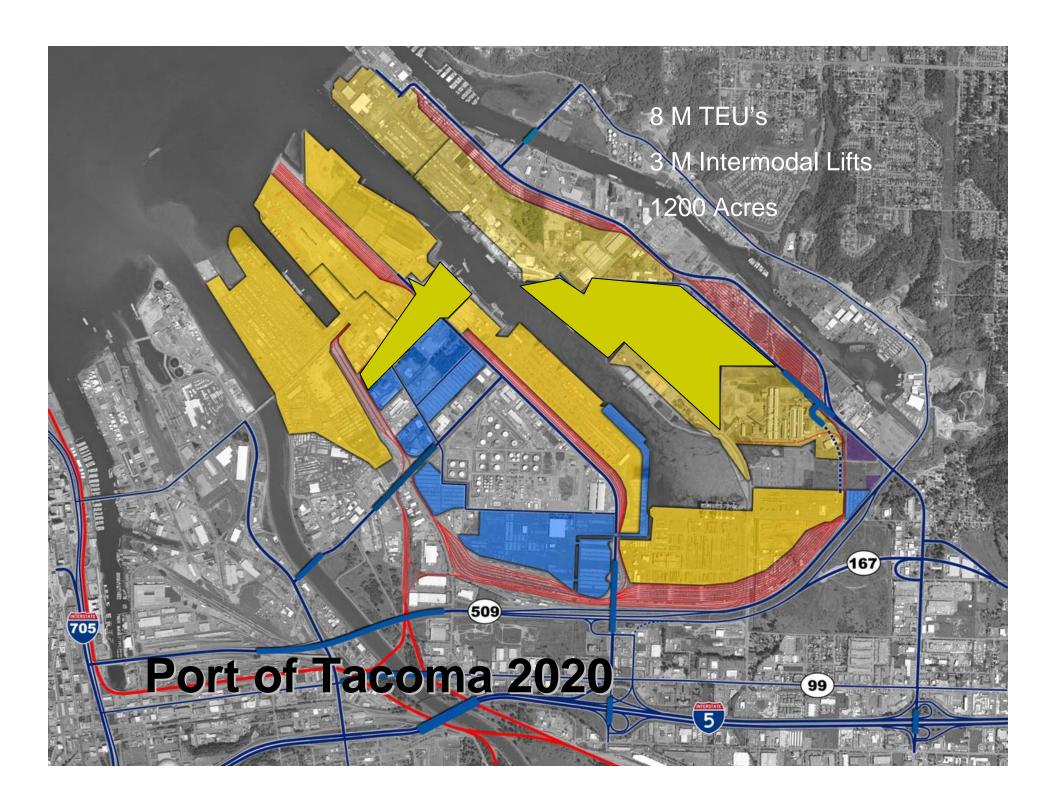


Challenges

- Growth is uneven year to year
- Infrastructure takes up to 10 years to build
- Who should pay for the infrastructure?
- Who truly benefits from the infrastructure?
- Funding is always an issue



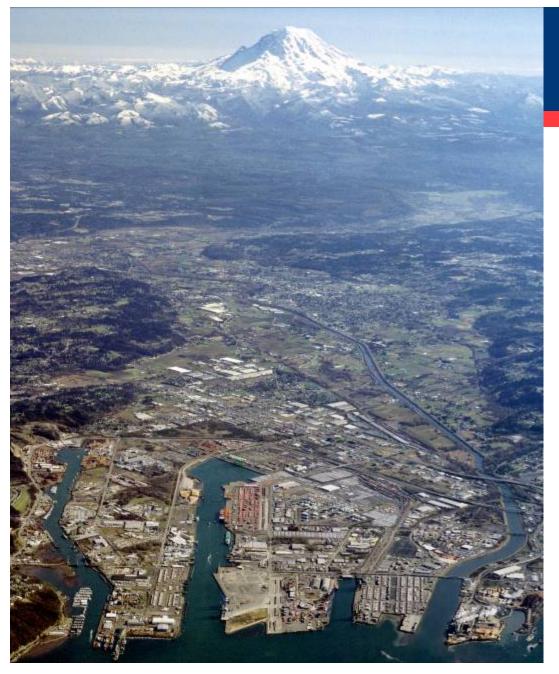




Port of Tacoma Partnerships











A Tribally Chartered Entity of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians





-Maximizing-Economic-Opportunity-



In 1989,
President
George H. W.
Bush signed
into law the
"Puyallup Tribal
Indians
Settlement Act
of 1989".



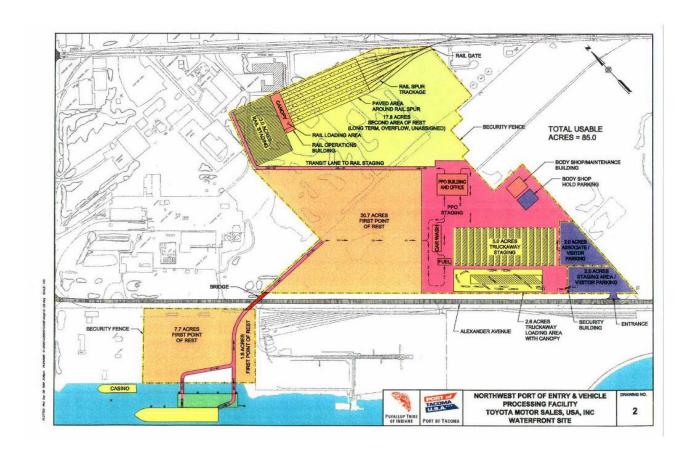


In 1997, the Blair Bridge was removed, unlocking the full development potential of Tribal and Port land on the upper Blair Waterway





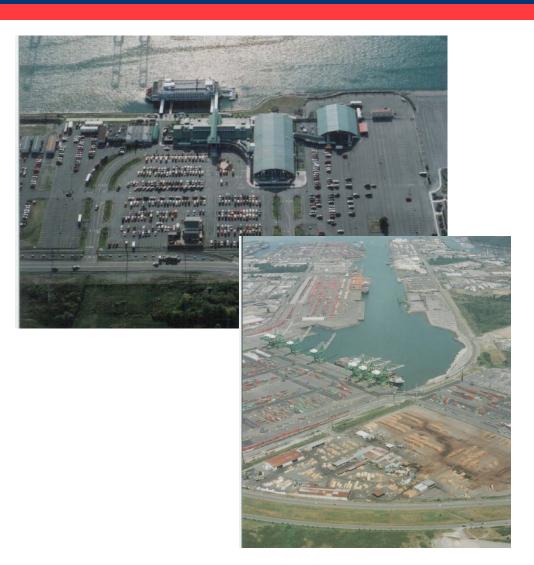
Port and Tribe cooperation



In 1990's Port and Tribe prepared a joint proposal for Auto Facility



Port and Tribe cooperation



Opening of Evergreen Terminal

- Coordination on Alexander Avenue Vacation
- •Relocation of Tribal gaming activities from the Blair Waterway to the current location on I-5



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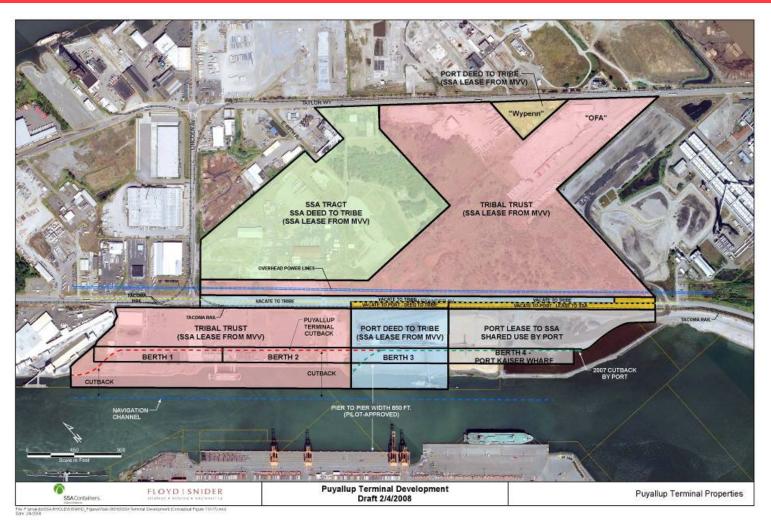


Joint Mitigation Sites

Expansion of Gog-le-hi-te



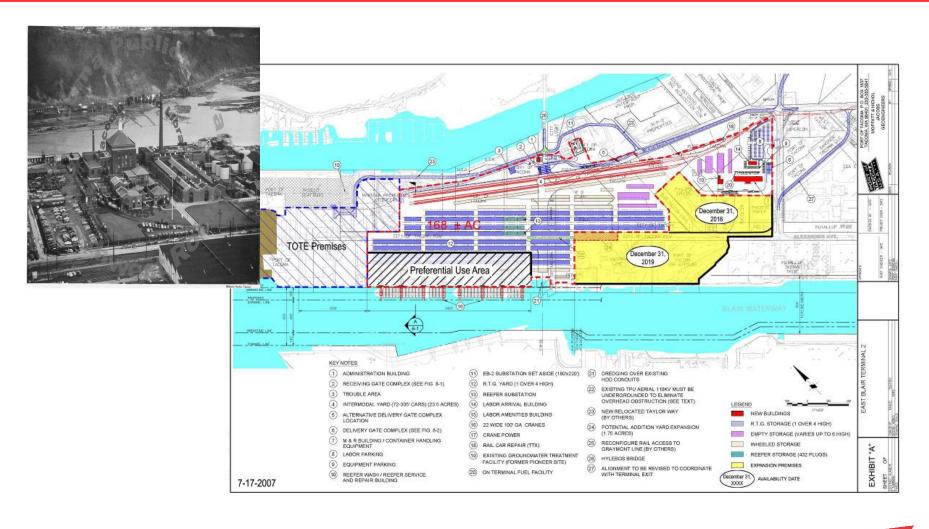
Port, Tribe, MVV and SSA







Re-development for NYK





Stakeholder Outreach

- Transparency of Decisions
 - Web streaming Meetings
 - Public Friendly Public Comment Format
 - Freedom of Information Act
 - Open Meetings Act
- Public Awareness
 - Open Houses
 - Commission Work sessions
 - Editorial Boards
- Communication of Future Plans
 - Local Communities
 - Local Cities
 - Community Groups



The Local Community Issues

Good Neighbor Policy-Environmentally

Friendly Growth

- Noise
- Lights
- Emissions



- How to Balance Economic Development for Region vs. Individual?
 - Eminent Domain Authority



Growth with Care

Environmental Provisions:

Promote "Environmentally Conscientious Practices"

Goal: Maintain the most environmentally conscientious practices by using **best management practices** and **latest technology**.

- Explicitly acknowledges benefits of **stewardship practices** and **emphasizes mutual commitment**.
- Practices to be reviewed and updated every 3 years during the lease term



Initial Agreement on Environmental Practices:



Renewable Power:

- Maximize renewable energy use and electric powered equipment



Clean Fuel, Clean Engines:

- Terminal: ULSD/biodiesel, LNG, and Electric; Best Engine Technology
- Vessels: Fuel Switching & Emission Control Technologies

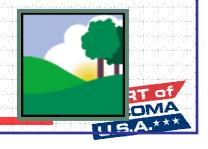


Compliance with Port-Established Standards:

- Port-administered municipal stormwater permit program
- Hazardous waste management and reporting
- Spill Response and Prevention
- Ballast Water Management and Invasive Species Prevention

Also:

- Low-Impact Development Practices for Terminal Facilities
- Noise and Light Pollution Limits
- Protection of Adjacent Habitats and Use of Native Species for Landscaping



NYK Group Environmental Management Vision

We aim to manage environmental risk and strike an optimal balance between the environment and the economy, with the goal of contributing to a sustainable society.



NYK's "Captain Eco"

Recent Voluntary Accomplishments:



Research and Implementation of Ballast Water Treatment Systems

Aggressive Group-wide Environmental Management System

NYK's "EcoShips" have advanced environmental protection features

NYK Proprietary Advanced Bilge Water Treatment Systems



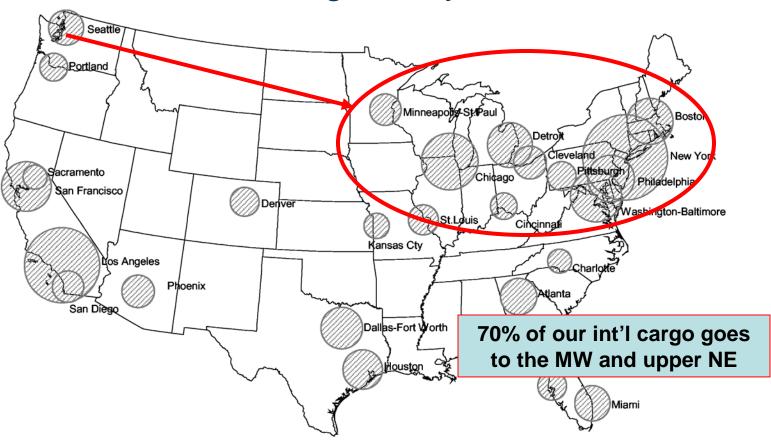
Intermodal Rail is a Environmentally Friendly way to Move Cargo





#1 Goal for the Port of Tacoma

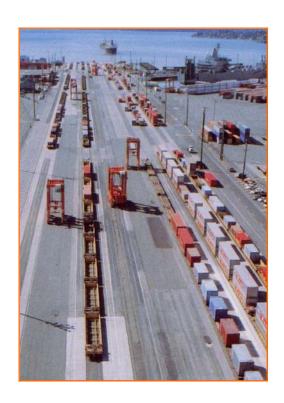
 The Port of Tacoma to be the most efficient and reliable intermodal gateway in North America





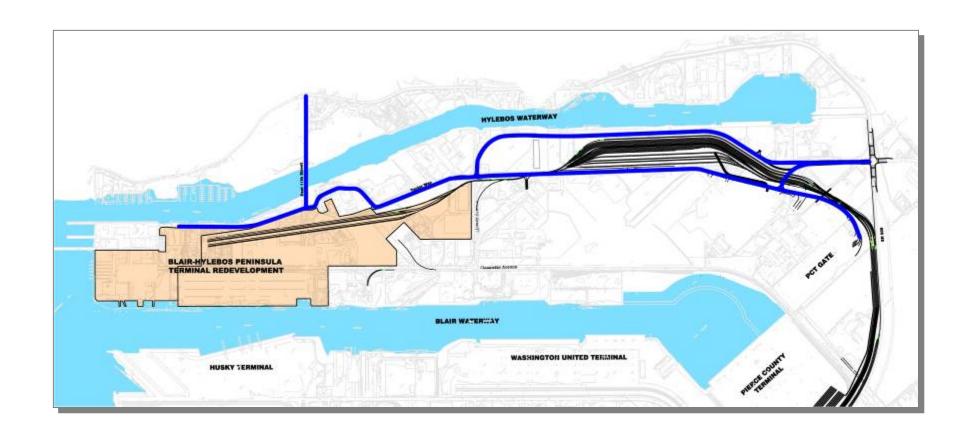
Increasing Capacity

- Balancing Port Capacity –Land Use
 - Container Yard Acres
 - Intermodal On-dock Acres
 - What is the right formula?
- Balancing Densification of Storage with Velocity of Rail
 - Decrease the Dwell & Increased Capacity
 - Do you stack it higher, or move it faster



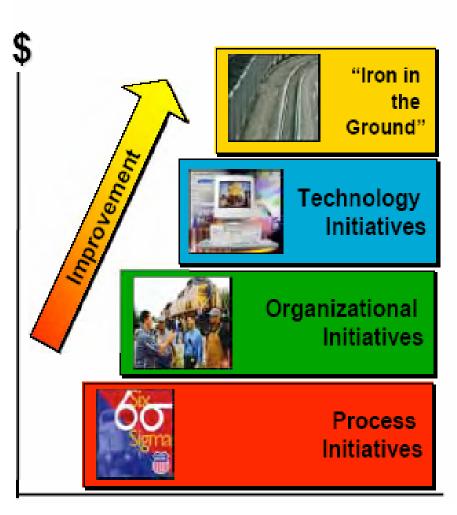


Conceptual Road and Rail Infrastructure Schematic





Capacity Improvement Process

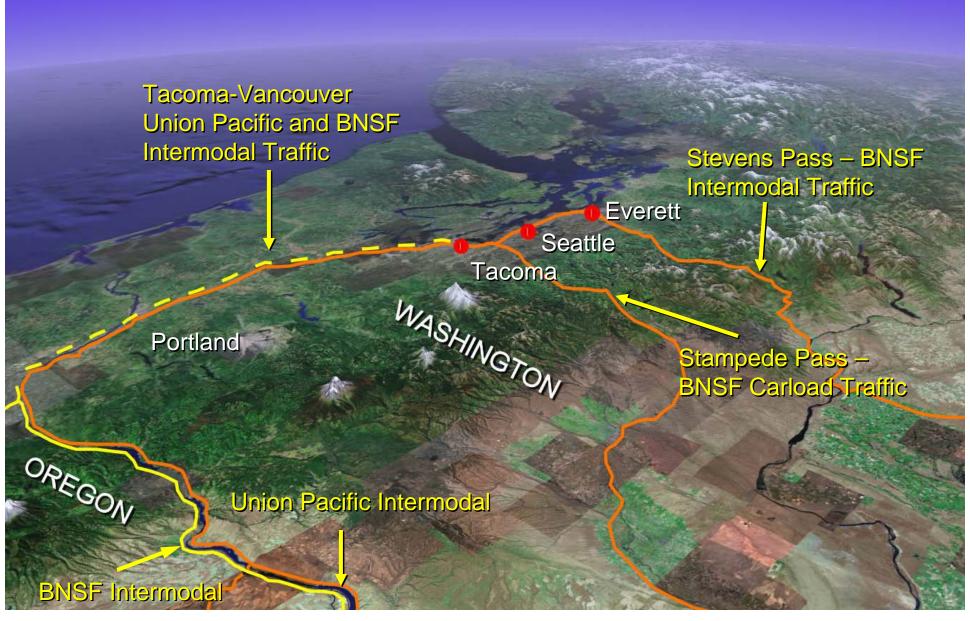


Build new Intermodal Facilities

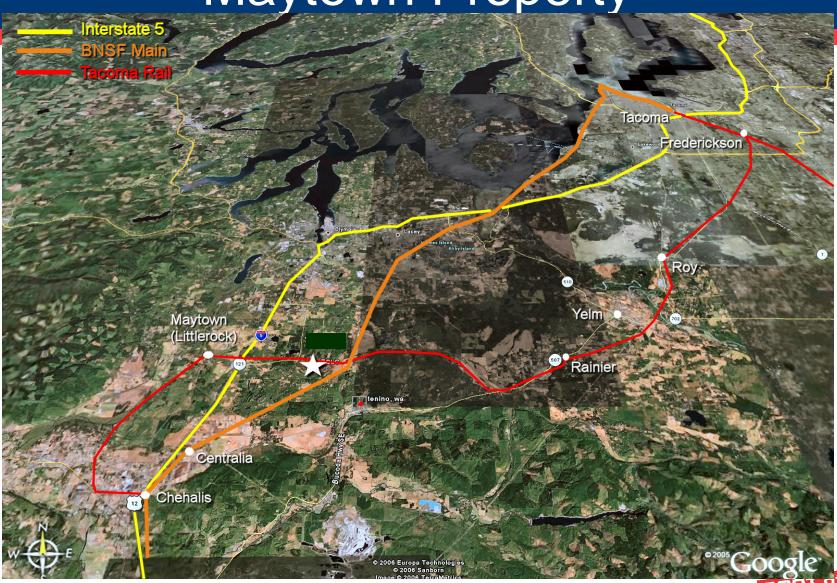
- Model current Facilities
- Develop Web based DecisionTools
- •Improve Financial Returns
- Improve Cashflows
- Document Processes- look for opportunities to improve efficiency



Collaboration with BNSF/ UP Rail Partners



Maytown Property



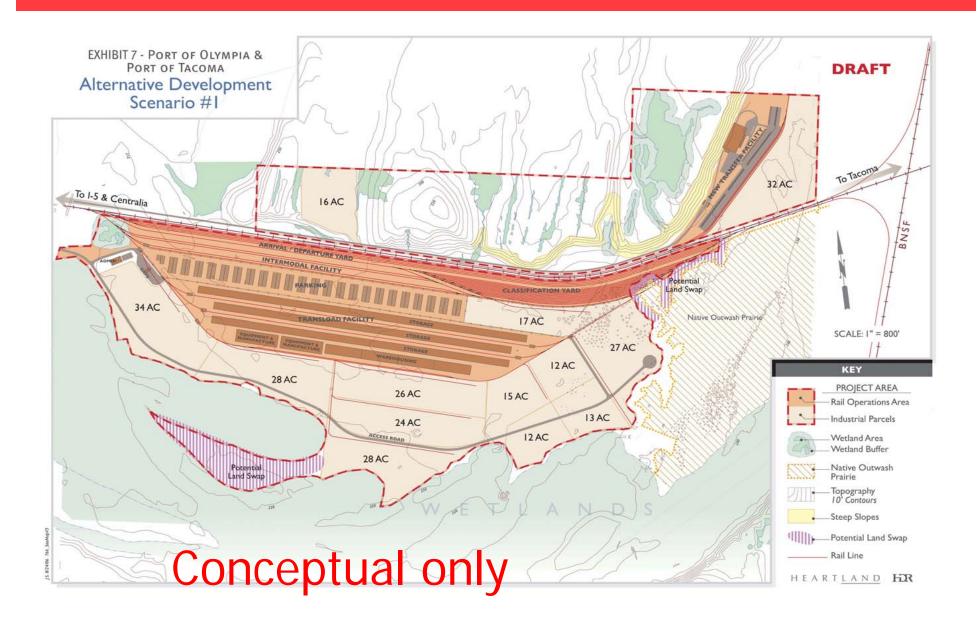
Maytown Property

- Port of Tacoma
- Port of Olympia

Tacoma Rail
Mountain Division
Purchased
Property

BNSF Mainline

South Sound Logistics Center



What it's going to take

We all must Be TEAM PLAYERS, It's a Team Sport.

- Continue developing the regional perspective on growth and demand
- Continue engaging the mainlines understand their plans and sharing ours
- Define what is Public and what is Private
- Investigate a wider range of funding options
- Engagement with our neighbors preventing deterioration of relationships



Questions?

