

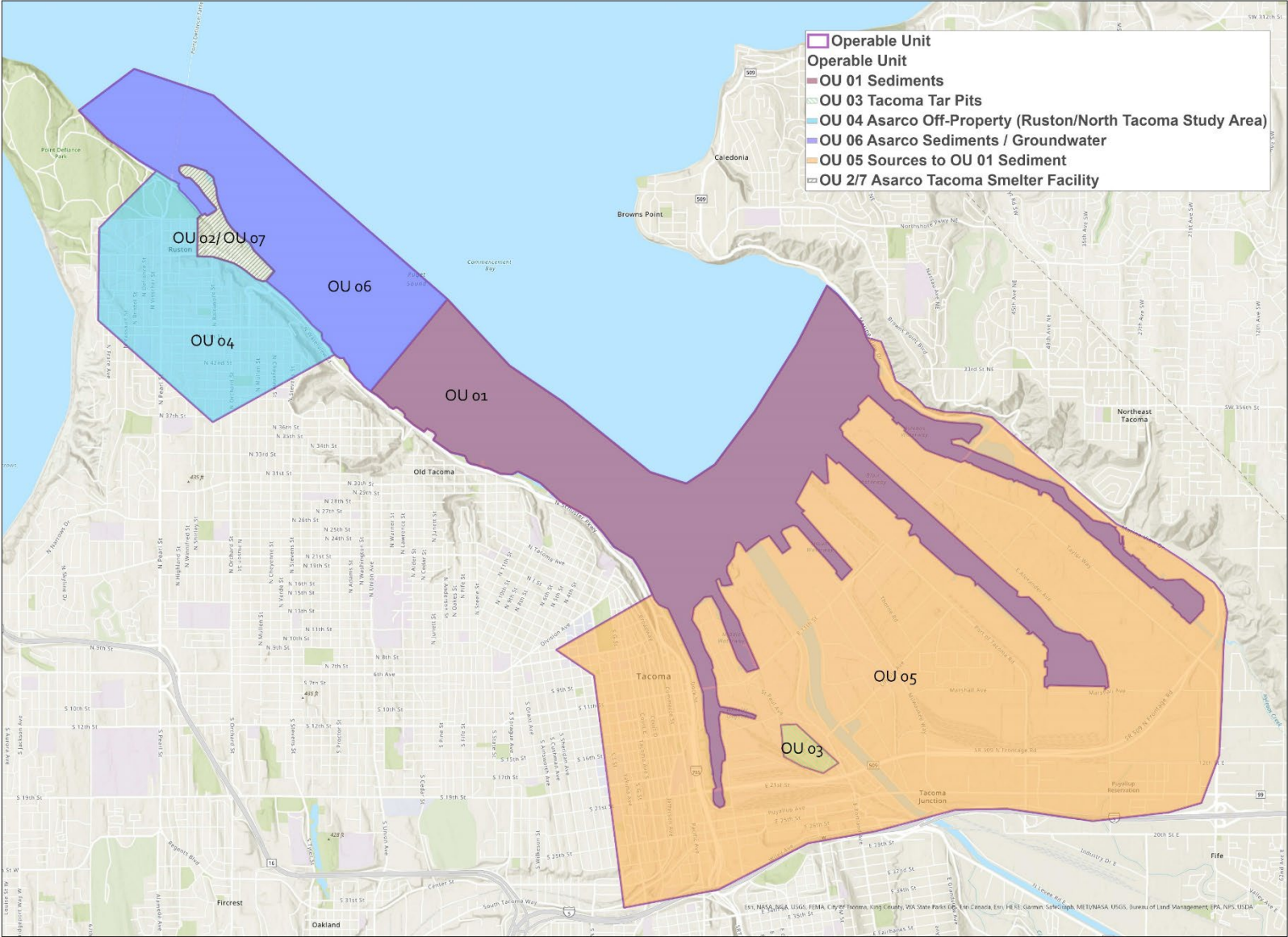


# Commencement Bay Nearshore/Tideflats Proposed Partial Deletion from NPL

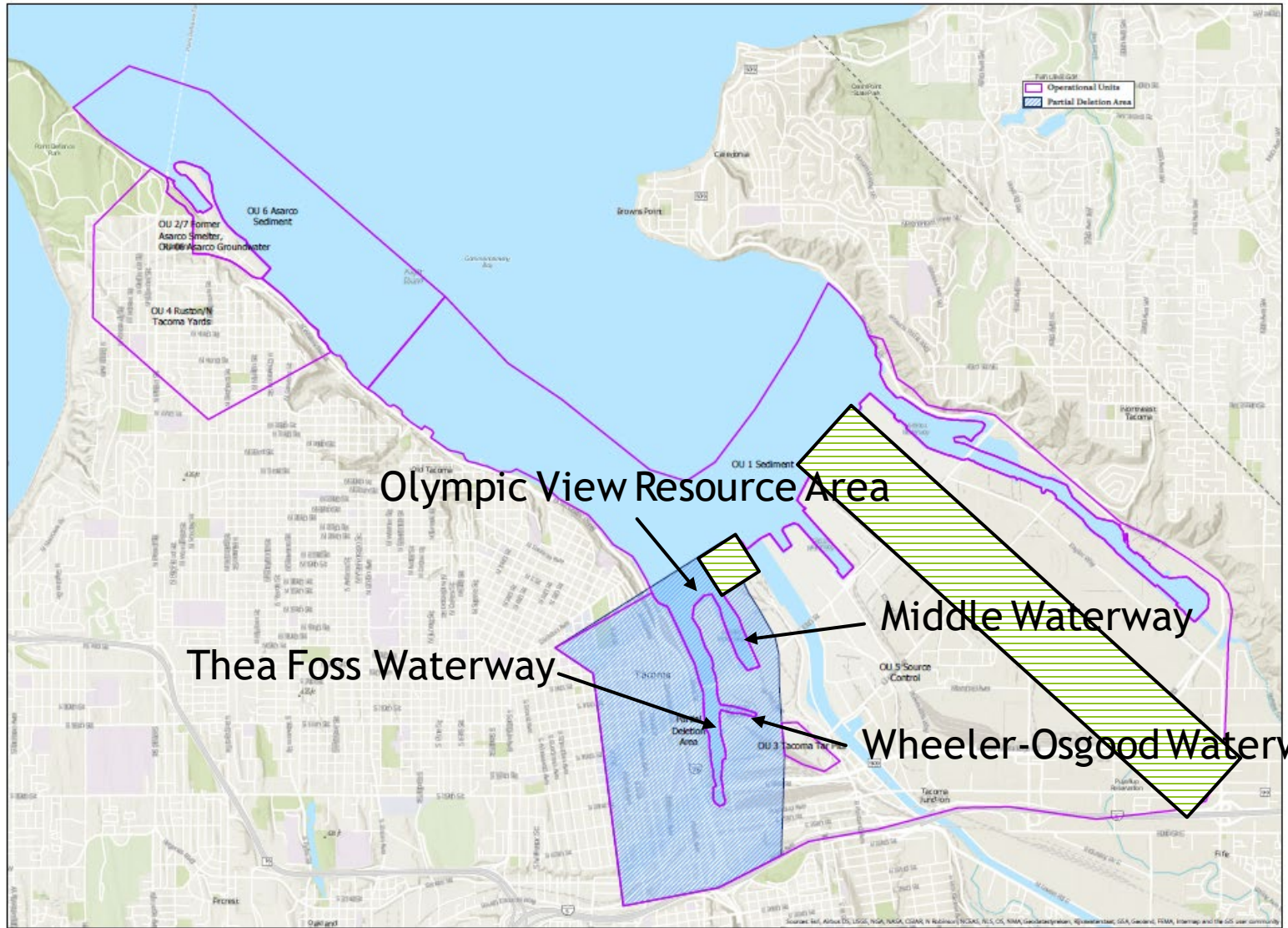
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# Location and Background



# Proposed Partial Deletion Area Waterways and Upland Sources



Proposed Deletion Area



Partially Deleted Area  
(1995)



# Why Partially Delete These Areas?

- ✓ Construction Complete
- ✓ Cleanup Goals Achieved
- ✓ Institutional Controls In-Place
- ✓ Long-term Monitoring & Maintenance Plans Approved
- ✓ Allows for Redevelopment Grants from EPA



# What does Deletion mean?

- ▶ All appropriate response actions implemented
- ▶ Still part of the Superfund Site
- ▶ Still requires long-term monitoring and maintenance
  - ▶ Capped areas
  - ▶ Landfill areas
  - ▶ Ongoing sources
  - ▶ Constructed habitat areas
- ▶ Still requires Five-Year Reviews by EPA
- ▶ Still requires coordination for CWA 404 permits
- ▶ Deleted areas can be put back on the National Priorities List at any time should a significant release occur

# Next Steps

Docket Materials	Public Comment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ecology Concurrence Letter</li><li>• Administrative Record</li><li>• Partial Deletion Justification</li><li>• All documents uploaded to docket before July 8, 2022</li><li>• Post all documents on EPA website</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fact Sheet July 2022</li><li>• Public Meeting in July</li><li>• Newspaper and listserv notice in August 2022</li><li>• August 2022 Notice in Federal register for 30-day Public Comment Period</li><li>• Respond to comments and final notice in March 2023</li></ul>

Continue to work together collaboratively with Partners

# Questions and Discussion