

# Spokane River Toxics and Human Health



sponsored by The Lands Council and the Collaborative on Health and the Environment — Washington

*A Workshop on Toxics in the River and Their Implications for Human Health*



## What:

Meet with others concerned about human health and the health of the Spokane River. Scientists will share what we know about toxics detected in river sediments (PCBs, PBDEs, heavy metals, etc.) and will explore what this might mean about risks to human health. Health advocates and local leaders will discuss how to protect the river as well as how we may safely recreate on the river and use its resources. Come participate in a free discussion and help find answers to these important questions: How can we become better stewards of the Spokane River and help clean it up? What are other communities in Washington doing to restore and “take back” their rivers?

## When and Where:

Wednesday, June 18, 2008  
Reception 5:00 p.m.  
Workshop 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.  
Community Building Lobby,  
35 W. Main Avenue, Spokane

## RSVP or Questions:

Contact Kat Hall at The Lands Council, 209-2403 or [khall@landscouncil.org](mailto:khall@landscouncil.org).

## Reception:

Complimentary food and drink will be provided. Come meet and mix with others working on similar issues.

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