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### **PSC Environmental Services Achieves OSHA VPP Star Status**

(Tacoma, WA) --- The northwest's leading waste treatment and storage facility has received national recognition for its worker safety program. PSC's Tacoma, WA facility was named a "STAR Site" within the Occupational Safety & Health Administration's (OSHA) Voluntary Protection Program (VPP), which recognizes worksites with comprehensive safety and health management systems that incorporate strong management commitment and meaningful, active employee involvement.

"Safety is our top priority at PSC and the VPP program takes our safety commitment to a new level," said Gary Crueger, regional vice president, Western Region, PSC Environmental Services Division, "Earning VPP Star Site recognition is something that our Tacoma employees should be very proud of. It is proof they share PSC's commitment to worker and community safety."

The qualification process included a comprehensive audit of the facility's safety, health, training and operational programs; in depth employee interviews about their understanding of the company's safety programs; and detail on how the company conducts business.

The truest test of any great company is how well it protects the safety and health of its people. The STAR award is recognition of PSC's commitment to its safety and health programs and taking care of its people.

The VPP was created in 1982 to encourage industry-related facilities to strive for safety excellence. VPP sites have shown their commitment to employee protection extends beyond the OSHA standards. Companies who achieve the VPP Star Award display injury and illness rates at or below the national average of their competitors.

The Tacoma facility is one of 13 hazardous waste treatment, storage & disposal facility for PSC's Environmental Service Division. The Tacoma facility provides customers with a complete range of technical services including laboratory, drum and bulk waste management along with a variety of special services including remediation, reactive chemical, low level radioactive, lab pack, e-waste and retail services. The Tacoma facility employs 12 team members, and is PSC's only transfer, storage and disposal facility to have earned VPP status.

#### **About PSC**

Headquartered in Houston, TX, PSC is an integrated industrial and environmental services company with operations throughout North America. PSC provides industrial cleaning, environmental, transportation and container services to all major industry sectors.

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