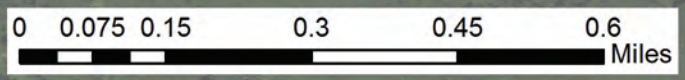
Howard Island Upland Disposal Site - River Mile 68.7

Size: 200 acres
Elevation: 10 to 30 feet above Mean Sea Level
Owner: Foreign Mission Foundation
Description: This site has been used for more than 50 years as a dredged material placement site. This site is uniformly level. Along certain reaches, there are steep banks (20-foot banks) that drop off into both the Columbia River and Carrolls Channel. A lowland area with a pond and wetlands area is located adjacent to the north-northeast boundary of the property near Carrolls Channel. A small drainage channel runs north from the pond into the channel. The wetland is avoided during placement of dredged material. To the northeast, forests abut the placement site. The property retains navigational aids and groins. There is no water service or direct access to the island property.