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DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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April 8, 2022

Goodro Shellfish
Attn: Joseph Schrieber
PO Box 12551
Olympia, WA 98508

Re: Coastal Zone Consistency for Corps Reference No. **201201230**,
Goodro Shellfish Rau Property, Mason, Washington

Dear Joseph Schrieber:

On March 7, 2022, the Department of Ecology received a Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP) for the above project.

This determination is for commercially cultivate up to 1 acre of geoducks clams (*Panopea abrupta*) between + 2.0 ft. and -4.0 ft. Mean Lower Low Water (MLLW) on parcel number 220325000025. Access to tidelands is by boat.

Below is the cultivation and harvesting methods for this site location:

Geoduck Clams:

Prior to seeding activities, 4" gray PVC pipe will be depressed into the substrate by foot, approximately 1 pipe per square foot. The end above the substrate is covered with a black plastic mesh secured with a UV resistant band. Seeding activities occur either one of two ways: Scenario 1—juvenile geoduck clams are placed into the PVC pipes during high tide by divers, or Scenario 2—juvenile geoduck clams are placed into the PVC pipes during low tide by hand. After juveniles are placed into the sediment, about 1 year later, the secured plastic mesh is removed by hand. PVC pipes are removed approximately 1-2 years after seeding, and a sprinkler system is utilized during warm summertime low tide events. Harvesting occurs between 5-8 years after seeding, where they are either harvested at low tide by hand or by diver at high tide. In both scenarios, a stinger (PVC pipe with holes) is attached to a hose and gas powered pump to loosen the substrate

around the clam for harvesting. Clams are then bagged and removed by boat to Goodro Shellfish upland shop in Shelton.

This project is located on tidelands within Totten Inlet, on parcel number 220325000025, adjacent to 753 SE Arcadia Shores Road, near Shelton, Mason County, Washington; Section 32, Township 20 North, Range 2 West; WRIA 14, Kennedy-Goldsborough Watershed.

Pursuant to Section 307(c)(3) of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 as amended, Ecology concurs with Goodro Shellfish's determination that the proposed work is consistent with Washington's CZMP.

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's consistency determination, please contact Jennifer Riedmayer at Jennifer.Riedmayer@ecy.wa.gov.

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal this decision to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal you must do all of the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision:

- File your appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.
- Serve a copy of your appeal and this decision on Ecology in paper form - by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

Address and location information

Filing an appeal with the PCHB:

Mailing Address:

Pollution Control Hearings Board
PO Box 40903
Olympia, WA 98504-0903

Street address:

Pollution Control Hearings Board
1111 Israel RD SW
STE 301
Tumwater, WA 98501

Serving a copy of the appeal on Ecology:

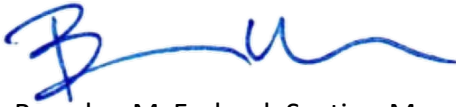
Mailing Address:

Department of Ecology
Attn: Appeals Processing Desk
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Olympia, WA 98504-7608

Street Address:

Department of Ecology
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Sincerely,



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