July 20, 2022

Blue Fern Development, LLC  
Attn: Michelle Branley  
1414 Market Street, #200  
Kirkland, WA 98033  

RE: Coastal Zone Consistency for Corps Reference No. NWS-2020-769, Blue Fern Development Canopy Project, King County, Washington

Dear Michelle Branley:

On April 28, 2022, the Department of Ecology received a Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP) for the above project.

This decision is for the development of an 8.4-acre property with a 55-lot residential subdivision with associated open space, utilities, and infrastructure.

The project is located at 4196 Lincoln Avenue NE, Renton, Washington, in King County.

Pursuant to Section 307(c)(3) of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 as amended, Ecology concurs with Blue Fern Development, LLC’s determination that the proposed work is consistent with Washington’s CZMP.

If you have any questions regarding Ecology’s consistency decision please contact Rebekah Padgett at (425) 365-6571, or by email at Rebekah.Padgett@ecy.wa.gov.

Your right to appeal

You have a right to appeal this decision to the Pollution Control Hearings Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt. The appeal process is governed by RCW 43.21B and WAC 371-08. “Date of receipt” is defined in RCW 43.21b.001(2). More information is available at https://eluho.wa.gov/content/11.
To appeal, you must do all of the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision:

- File your notice of appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see filing options below). “Filing” means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours as defined in WAC 371-08-305 and -335. “Notice of appeal” is defined in WAC 371-08-340.

- Serve a copy of your notice of appeal and this decision on the Department of 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 RCW 43.21B and WAC 371-08.

**Filing an appeal with the PCHB:**

For the most current information regarding filing with the PCHB, visit:
https://eluho.wa.gov/content/11

**Filing by mail**

*Filing Address:*
Pollution Control Hearings Board  
PO Box 40903  
Olympia, WA 98504-0903

**Filing in person (or by certified mail/courier)**

*Street Address:*
Pollution Control Hearings Board  
1111 Israel RD SW  
STE 301  
Tumwater, WA 98501

**Filing electronically**

*E-mail Address:*
pchb-shbappeals@eluho.wa.gov

**Serving a copy of the appeal on Ecology:**

Electronic copies of appeals are not accepted at the Department Ecology per WAC 371-08-305(10).

**Filing by mail**

*Mailing Address:*
Department of Ecology  
Attn: Appeals Processing Desk  
PO Box 47608  
Olympia, WA 98504-7608

**Filing in person (or by certified mail/courier)**

*Street Address:*
Department of Ecology  
Attn: Appeals Processing Desk  
300 Desmond Drive SE  
Lacey, WA 98503
Sincerely,

Joe Burcar, Section Manager
Northwest Regional Office
Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program

Sent by electronic mail: michelle@bluefern.com

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     Neil Molstad, Ecology
     Rebekah Padgett, Ecology
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