

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY Northwest Region Office

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September 23, 2022

bp Cherry Point Refinery ATTN: Becca Hardie 4519 Grandview Road Blaine, WA 98230

Re: Coastal Zone Consistency for West Avenue D Laydown Area (Corps No. **NWS-2022-108**), Ferndale, Whatcom County, Washington

Dear Becca Hardie:

On January 19, 2022, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) received a Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP) for the above project. On August 12, 2022, bp Cherry Point Refinery and Ecology agreed to stay the CZM until September 30, 2022.

This determination is for construction of an approximately 4.73 acre laydown area at the bp Cherry Point Refinery. The project site is currently an undeveloped area of the facility and primarily vegetated by grass. The proposal includes collection of stormwater generated at the proposed West Avenue D Laydown area, and routing to existing stormwater treatment facilities and detention pond. The project will result in approximately 1.5 acres of direct wetland fill, and 0.42 acres of indirect wetland impacts. Compensation for wetland and wetland buffer impacts will occur at bp's already constructed Brown Road Materials Storage Area mitigation site. These improvements would be located within the bp Cherry Point Refinery, 4519 Grandview Road, approximately 4.9 miles west of Ferndale, Washington, in Whatcom County.

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

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's consistency determination, please contact Chris Luerkens at (360) 410-4807 or Chris.Luerkens@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. The appeal process is governed RCW 43.21B and

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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 Order 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 Order 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 in person (or by certified mail/courier)
Mailing Address:	Street Address:
Pollution Control Hearings Board	Pollution Control Hearings Board
PO Box 40903	1111 Israel RD SW
Olympia, WA 98504-0903	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 of 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 Corps No. NWS-2022-108, Aquatics ID No. 141377 West Avenue D Laydown Area September 23, 2022 Page 3 of 3

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

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