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November 16, 2022

Snohomish County Public Works ATTN: Troy Fields, Sr. Environmental Planner 3000 Rockefeller Avenue MS 607 Everett. WA 98201

RE: Coastal Zone Consistency for Corps Reference No. NWS-2022-132-WRD,

43rd Avenue SE Corridor Improvements Project, Snohomish County, Washington

Dear Troy Fields:

On May 19, 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 construction of arterial improvements to approximately 1.7 miles of 43rd Avenue SE to upgrade the existing roadway section to rural arterial standards. This will reduce travel times, improve safety, improve intersection operations, and promote multi-modal mobility throughout the corridor. Improvements to 43rd Avenue SE include adding turn lanes, traffic signals, planting strips, sidewalks, curb and gutter, and retaining walls in appropriate areas. Storm water collection and detention systems are proposed throughout the entire alignment.

The project is located along 1.7 miles of 43rd Avenue SE from SR524 to Sunset Road and 180th Street SE, Bothell, Washington in Snohomish County.

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

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's consistency decision please contact Doug Gresham at (425) 429-1846 or Doug.Gresham@ecy.wa.gov.

Your right to appeal

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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 Mailing Address:

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

Filing electronically E-mail Address:

Filing in person (or by certified mail/courier) Street Address:

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

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 Snohomish County Public Works Corps No. NWS-2022-132-WRD, Aquatics No. 141282 November 16, 2022 Page 3 of 3

Sincerely,

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