



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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January 12, 2023

City of Renton
ATTN: Joe Stowell, Wastewater Utility Engineering Manager
1055 South Grady Way
Renton, WA 98057

Re: Coastal Zone Management Federal Consistency Decision for the Thunder Hills Sewer Interceptor Rehabilitation Project (Corps No. **NWS-2019-0144a**)
City of Renton, King County, Washington

Dear Joe Stowell:

On November 30, 2022, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) received a Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP) for the above project.

This determination is to replace approximately 1,469 lineal feet (LF) of existing 12 inch diameter pipe with new 12 inch pipe, rehabilitate approximately 1,404 LF of existing 12 inch & 10 inch diameter sewer pipe, install 8 new manholes along the pipeline, rehabilitate an existing gravel maintenance road adjacent to the sewer interceptor, and install stream and habitat enhancement plantings. 0.025 acres of impacts to Category III wetlands will be mitigated through the purchase of credits from the Springbrook Mitigation Bank. The project will also have temporary impacts to Thunder Hills Creek and a small amount of permanent impact to one of its tributaries.

The project site is located along and underneath Thunder Hills Creek between Interstate 405 and South 18th Street in the City of Renton, King County, Washington, Section 20, Township 23 N., Range 05 E., within Water Resource Inventory Area (WRIA) 9 (Duwamish-Green).

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

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's consistency determination, please contact Neil Molstad at neil.molstad@ecy.wa.gov or (425) 389-5549.

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 WAC 371-08. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2). More information is available at <https://eluhwa.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://eluhwa.gov/content/11>

Filing by mail

Mailing 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@eluhwa.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

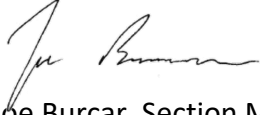
Filing in person (or by certified mail/courier)

Street Address:

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

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe Burcar".

Joe Burcar, Section Manager
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Sent via email: jstowell@rentonwa.gov

E-cc: Samantha Stanford, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Jesse Newman, City of Renton
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