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May 25, 2023

WA Department of Transportation ATTN: Victoria Book PO Box 47440 Olympia, WA 98504-4744

Re: Coastal Zone Management Federal Consistency Decision for SR 160 Salmonberry Creek

Fish Passage (Corps No. NWS-2022-924-DOT) in Kitsap County, Washington

Dear Victoria Book:

On April 6, 2023 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 for replacing the existing culvert under SR 160 (Sedgewick Road) with a new buried bridge structure consisting of secant abutment walls and void top slab. The new structure will be approximately 34' long with a hydraulic opening of at least 25'. The stream channel will be regraded to align with the new structure and tie into the stream channel upsteam and downstream of the new bridge.

The work will result in temporary and permanent impacts to the stream and wetland but will replace a fish barrier culvert with a fish passable structure and restore stream riparian functions. The regraded section of the stream will include large woody debris to provide instream habitat, replanting riparian areas with native species and reconnecting the stream with the adjacent riparian and wetland habitat.

The project is located on SR 160 at milepost 2.29 on Salmonberry Creek in Kitsap County, Washington, Section 11, Township 23 N, Range 1 E, within Water Resource Inventory Area (WRIA) 15 Kitsap.

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

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If you have any questions regarding Ecology's consistency determination, please contact Penny Kelley at 360-280-8856.

Your right to appeal

You have a right to appeal this Order to the Pollution Control Hearings Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt. 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 Order:

- 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 Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

Filing an appeal with the PCHB:

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

Address and Location Information

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Not currently available (see WAC 371-08)

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Sincerely,

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