

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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September 15, 2023

Perkins Family Farms, LLC ATTN: William Perkins 8624 Libby Road NE Olympia, WA 98506

Re: Coastal Zone Management Federal Consistency Decision for Perkins Family Farms -Mazanti Lease (Corps No. NWS- 2023-0482), Henderson Inlet, Olympia, Thurston County, Washington

Dear William Perkins:

On July 17, 2023, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) received a Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP) for the above project. Pursuant to Section 307(c)(3) of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 as amended, Ecology concurs with Perkins Family Farms LLC's determination that the proposed work is consistent with Washington's CZMP.

The proposed work includes cultivation of Pacific and Kumamoto oysters in bags-on-bottom on 3.6 acres of Henderson Bay between tidal elevations +2.0 and -4.0 feet (mean lower low water). The plastic mesh bags will be clamped onto 5/16" Blue Steel Crab Lines which will be anchored at both ends and at 14-foot intervals by 22-inch rebar stakes. Harvest will be by hand. All access will be by boat. This activity located on tidelands within Henderson Inlet, on parcel number 9300010000, near Olympia, Thurston County, Washington; Section 5, Township 19 North, Range 1 West; WRIA 13, Deschutes Watershed.

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's decision, please contact Teressa Pucylowski at (360) 764-0546.

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 Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

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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 information 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 mail, in person, or by email (see addresses below).

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

Filing an appeal

Filing with the PCHB

For the most current information regarding filing with the PCHB, visit: https://eluho.wa.gov/ or call: 360-664-9160.

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Sincerely,

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