

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

Northwest Region Office

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March 20, 2024

Richard Buchan 6027 77th Ave SE Mercer Island, WA 98040

Re: Coastal Zone Management Federal Consistency Decision for Buchan Boat Lift

(Corps No. NWS-2023-0727), Lake Washington, Mercer Island, King County, Washington

Dear Richard:

On January 4, 2024, 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 Richard Buchan's determination that the proposed work is consistent with Washington's CZMP.

The proposed work includes installing a 10-foot, 9-inch long by 13-foot, 3 inch wide (143 square feet) boatlift along a preexisting pier in a marina. The lift will be assembled by hand with various hand tools and set in place. The lift will be brought to the site by barge. This activity would occur in Lake Washington near 9150 Fortuna Dr, Mercer Island, King County, Washington.

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's decision, please contact Austin Schmalz at 425-301-6989 or Austin.Schmalz@ecy.wa.gov.

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).

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 Corps No. NWS-2023-0727, Aquatics ID No. 143210 Buchan Boat Lift March 20, 2024 Page 2 of 3

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,

Joe Burcar, Section Manager Northwest Regional Office

Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program

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