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January 14, 2020

Stephanie Cotton Snohomish County Public Works 3000 Rockefeller Avenue, MS 607 Everett, WA 98201

RE: Coastal Zone Consistency for Corps Reference #NWS-2018-1129-WRD, North Creek Regional Trail, Snohomish County, Washington

Dear Stephanie Cotton:

On November 26, 2019, Snohomish County Public Works submitted a Certification of Consistency with the Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program (CZMP).

The proposed project entails constructing a 2.8-mile pedestrian/bicycle trail between Centennial Park and North Creek Park. This will connect the existing Sammamish River/Burke-Gilman Trail in Bothell with the Snohomish County Regional Interurban Trail in Mill Creek. The project includes: permanent impacts to 2.22 acres of wetland and 1.82 acres of wetland buffer; and temporary impacts to 0.2 acres of wetland, 0.87 acres of wetland buffer, 1,557 linear feet of fish-bearing stream, and 65 linear feet of non-fish bearing stream. The trail corridor is located within Section 18, Township 27N, Range 5E, WRIA No 7, North Creek watershed.

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

If you have any questions regarding Ecology's consistency determination please contact Doug Gresham at (425) 649-7199.

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 of this decision. 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 appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.

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• Serve a copy of your appeal and this decision on Ecology in paper form - by mail or in person (see addresses below). Email is not accepted.

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

ADDRESS AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses
Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive SE Lacey, WA 98503	Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia, WA 98504-7608
Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel RD SW STE 301 Tumwater, WA 98501	Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903

Sincerely,

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E-cc: Andrew Shuckhart, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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