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**Re: Approval of Additional Characterization Work Plan dated January 13, 2023**

- **Site Name:** Tacoma Coal Gasification site
- **Site Address:** 22<sup>nd</sup> and A Streets, Tacoma, Pierce County, WA 98402
- **Agreed Order:** DE 13972
- **Facility/Site No.:** 1249
- **Cleanup Site No.:** 3675

Dear Mary Henley, Libby Goldstein, Jeff Sawyer, and Jackie Wetzsteon:

Thank you for revising the Additional Characterization Work Plan for Department of Ecology review in response to Ecology's most recent comments communicated by email on January 5, 2023. Ecology has no additional comments on the plan and accepts the January 13, 2023, Additional Characterization Work Plan transmitted to us by email on January 17, 2023.

Please keep us updated regarding your schedule for the field work. If you have any questions about this letter, please contact me at 360-999-9588 or [sandy.smith@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:sandy.smith@ecy.wa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sandy Smith". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Sandy" and last name "Smith" clearly legible.

Sandy Smith, P.E., LHG  
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