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RE: SeaPort Midstream Partners, LLC. Harbor Island Terminal Stormwater Upgrades Notification; Consent Decree No: 00-2-05714-8

Dear Larry Roberts:

In accordance with Consent Decree No: 00-2-05714-8, and its associated Restrictive Covenant, dated May 30, 2000, Techsolve Environmental, Inc. (Techsolve), on behalf of SeaPort Midstream Partners, LLC. (SMP) provided notification to the Department of Ecology (Ecology) of upcoming construction activities at the Harbor Island Terminal Site (email dated January 17, 2023).

Per the email and associated construction documents, the purpose of the project is to convey stormwater that is currently discharged to the Duwamish Waterway via three outfalls to an onsite treatment system that will be installed in the area outside the southwest corner of the Plant 1 tank farm. The system will treat the stormwater for dissolved metals. The treated water will then be discharged to the Duwamish via the existing southernmost outfall.

The majority of the proposed construction will either be above grade or within existing utility corridors near the waterfront and loading rack, and along the tank farm wall. New subsurface utilities will primarily consist of piping and a vault box for a pumping station. Estimated maximum depths of excavation for the two components are 3.5 and 4.5 feet below ground surface, respectively. Excavated soils will be field screened, containerized, and sampled and profiled for appropriate disposal.

Per site information provided by Techsolve, the excavations are not expected to encounter groundwater, and the proposed area of excavation is outside of areas of known Site soil contamination.

Ecology approves this construction activity in accordance with the Restrictive Covenant, as we understand (and Techsolve has indicated) that no new contaminant pathways will be created, groundwater will not be encountered or withdrawn, and existing land use will not be altered.

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Ecology requests that in-situ soil samples be collected for documentation purposes during construction. One soil sample should be collected per 50 feet of new utility trenching, and one soil sample collected from the base of the pumping station vault excavation. Soil samples should be analyzed for petroleum hydrocarbons consistent with known COCs and previous subsurface investigations at the Site, including TPH-G, TPH-D, and TPH-O utilizing Method NWTPH-Gx and NWTPH-Dx analytical methods, and benzene by EPA Method 8260. Please provide documentation of the sample results, as well as excavation soil characterization and disposal documents, upon completion of soil disposal.

If unexpected soil or groundwater conditions are observed during construction, please contact Ecology at your earliest convenience.

Please feel free to contact me by phone at (425) 324-1438 or by email at <u>Vance.Atkins@ecy.wa.gov</u> if you have questions about this letter.

Sincerely,

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