



**STATE OF WASHINGTON  
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April 4, 2025

Shane DeGross  
BNSF Railway Company  
605 Puyallup Avenue  
Tacoma, WA 98421

**RE: Groundwater Sampling – Washington Central Railroad Roundhouse Site, FSID: 545**

Dear Shane DeGross:

The Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) is continuing the Yakima Railroad Area groundwater-monitoring project. As part of this investigation, Ecology's Environmental Assessment Program will be conducting groundwater sampling for the Yakima Railroad Area between April 21 and April 24, 2025.

Samples will be analyzed for tetrachloroethylene, breakdown products, and general water quality parameters. Results will be available to you once Ecology receives them, upon your request. Please consider this letter to be a formal property access notice for an Ecology representative.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (509) 907-1353.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Rachel Caron", is written over a horizontal line.

Rachel Caron  
Site Manager  
Toxics Cleanup Program  
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