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December 12, 2016

Mr. Mike Rhubright
City of Tacoma DPU, Tacoma Power
3628 South 35th Street
Tacoma, WA 98409

Re: Acceptance of VCP Application for the following Contaminated Site:

- **Site Name:** TPU Transformer at POT Pier 7
- **Site Address:** 2201 Sitcum Way Tacoma, WA 98421 Pierce Co.
- **Cleanup Site ID:** 12934
- **Facility/Site ID:** 15369
- **VCP Project ID:** SW1561

Dear Mr. Rhubright

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) has accepted your Voluntary Cleanup Program (VCP) application for the TPU Transformer at POT Pier 7 (Site). We applaud your initiative and welcome your interest in the VCP. This letter confirms your entry into the VCP and provides important information on how we will manage the VCP Cleanup Project (Project) and the Site.

Agreement

Ecology has completed and signed the VCP Agreement governing the Project on December 5, 2016. This is the effective date of the Agreement. **Enclosure A** includes a copy of the Agreement. Please review it carefully.

Identification

Ecology has assigned a unique name and number to the **Site**. We have also assigned a unique number to your **Project** at the Site. You can find this information in the box at the bottom of the first page of the Agreement. When contacting us, please use this information to identify your Project.

Designated Managers

Please direct communications between Ecology and Tacoma Public Utilities Through the designated managers to the maximum extent possible.

- **Ecology**

We have not yet designated a site manager. Until we designate one, please contact:

Nicholas M. Acklam
Department of Ecology
Toxic Cleanup Program, SWRO
Lacey, WA 98409
Phone: (360)407-6743
E-mail: nicholas.acklam@ecy.wa.gov

- **Tacoma Public Utilities**

The application designated you, Mike Rhubright as the project manager for Tacoma Public Utilities. We will therefore respond only to your requests. If someone replaces you as the project manager or your contact information changes, please submit a Change of Contact Form. You can download the Form from our VCP web site: www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/vcp/vcpmain.htm.

Requests for Written Opinions

In your application, you requested a written opinion on the sufficiency of your Draft Work Plan for Additional Soil and Groundwater. Ecology will review the documents you submitted and provide you a written response within about 90 days

Reporting Requirements

When requesting written opinions on planned or completed remedial actions, please comply with the following reporting requirements:

- **Licensing.** You must submit documents containing geologic, hydrologic, or engineering work under the seal of an appropriately licensed professional, as required by Chapters 18.43 and 18.220 RCW.
- **Data Submittal.** You must submit environmental sampling data in both a printed form and an electronic form capable of being transferred into our Environmental Information Management (EIM) system. For an overview of data submittal requirements, please refer to **Enclosure B**, which includes a copy of Toxics Cleanup Program Policy 840. For instructions on how to submit data, please refer to the following web site:
www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/tcp/data_submittal/data_requirements.htm.

Failure to comply with these requirements may result in unnecessary delays.

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Payment

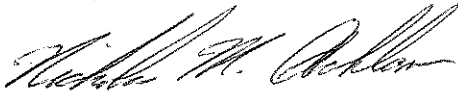
Ecology will send monthly invoices to the billing contact designated in the Application Form. If someone replaces the billing contact or their contact information changes, please submit a Change of Contact Form. You can find the Form on the VCP web site.

The invoice will include a summary of the costs incurred, payments received, identity of staff involved, and the amount of time spent on the Project during the previous month. Payment is due within thirty days of the invoice date. For more information on the billing system, please refer to the VCP web site.

Contact Information

We are committed to working with you to accomplish the prompt and effective cleanup of the Site. Again, if you have any questions about the VCP or your Project or the Waitlist, please contact me at 360-407-6347.

Sincerely,



Nicholas Acklam
VCP Unit Manager
Toxics Cleanup Program, SWRO

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Enclosures (2): A – Copy of VCP Agreement
 B – Toxics Cleanup Program Policy 840: Data Submittal Requirements

By certified mail: [91 7199 9991 7037 0221 7980]

cc: Max Wills, Robinson Noble
 Rob Healy, Port of Tacoma
 Matthew Alexander, Ecology

