

# STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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June 26, 2017

Mr. Jeff Sawyer Washington State Department of Transportation Region Environmental and Hydraulic Manager 6639 Capital Boulevard SW, Suite 302 Olympia, Washington 98501

# Re: Termination of VCP Agreement for the following Site:

• Site Name: Midway Metals

• Site Address: 258010 Hwy 101 Port Angeles, 98362

Facility/Site No.: 1671323
Cleanup Site No.: 958
VCP Project No.: SW1202

Dear Mr. Sawyer:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) is terminating the VCP Agreement governing Project No. SW1202. The project involved the cleanup of the Midway Metals facility (Site). The effective date of termination is the date of this letter. We are providing this notice in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.

#### Reason

Ecology is terminating the Agreement because we understand that you are not actively cleaning up the Site. On May 25, 2017, we sent you a letter requesting an update on the status of your cleanup and your plan for completing the cleanup. You did not respond to that request. Since we have not heard from you, we have decided to terminate the Agreement.

## **Next Steps**

Based on this decision, Ecology may take one or more of the following steps:

1. Send you an invoice for any costs remaining on your account. In accordance with the terms of the Agreement, you remain responsible for any costs incurred by us before the effective date of termination.

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- 2. Identify those persons we find potentially liable for cleanup of the Site.
- 3. Initiate discussions for an agreed order or consent decree that will govern further action at the Site.

You may apply to reenter the VCP if you decide to conduct further action at the Site.

## **Contact Information**

Ecology is committed to working with you to accomplish the prompt and effective cleanup of the Site. If you have any questions about this notice, please contact me at (360) 407-6241.

Sincerely,

Rebecca S. Lawson, P.E., LHG

Southwest Regional Office Section Manager

Toxics Cleanup Program

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