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September 5, 2017

Carl Sanders
Baja Properties
1327 Cole St.
Enumclaw, WA 98022

Re: Reserve Silica Corporation Property

Dear Mr. Sanders:

In 2016, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) completed a Site Hazard Assessment (SHA) of the Reserve Silica Corporation property located adjacent to your property at 28750 Black Diamond-Ravensdale Road SE in Ravensdale, WA. The SHA identified evidence that a release of hazardous substances has occurred on the Reserve Silica Corporation property. The release, resulting from leachate seeping from a fill area containing cement kiln dust, has affected surface water and groundwater on your property.

The SHA report is available here: <https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/gsp/Sitepage.aspx?csid=4728>. To view the documentation Ecology has available electronically, on the right-hand side of the web-page, click on View Electronic Documents.

Ecology has determined that Reserve Silica Corporation and Holcim (US) Inc. are Potentially Liable Parties (PLPs). We will seek to enter into an agreed order with the PLPs for investigation and cleanup of the site. Ecology has not identified you as a PLP at this time.

Enclosed are letters to Reserve Silica Corporation and Holcim (US) Inc., for your information.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this letter or the Reserve Silica Corporation Site.

Sincerely,

Madeline Wall
Site Manager
Waste 2 Resources Program

Enclosures (2)

cc: Jonathan Thompson, Office of the Attorney General
Marisa Floyd, Reserve Silica Corporation
Keith W. Dearborn, Schwabe Williamson & Wyatt
Jodie Earle, Holcim (US) Inc.
Gregory A. Jacoby, McGavick Graves, P.S.
Ecology Site File

