



June 12, 2018

Department of Ecology
Southwest Regional Office/Toxic Cleanup Program
PO Box 47775
Olympia, Washington 98504-7775

Re: Proposed Schedule Modification for Agreed Order No. DE 6083, Budd Inlet
Sediments Site

Dear Mr. Striplin:

This letter provides a proposal for a schedule modification for work required under Agreed Order No. DE 6083 for work being completed by the Port of Olympia (Port) on the Budd Inlet Sediments Site. Ecology provided comments on the November 2016 Draft Identification and Evaluation of Interim Action Alternatives Memorandum (Alternatives Memorandum) to the Port on March 29, 2018. Per Exhibit H of the Agreed Order, the Port has 90-days to respond to Ecology comments and provide the final Alternatives Memorandum. The current due date of the final Alternatives Memorandum is June 27, 2018.

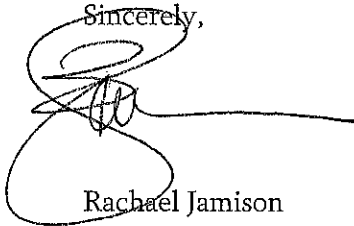
The Port has reviewed the comments and is revising the document to address Ecology's comments. The Port met with Ecology on May 24, 2018 to discuss and clarify several key comments. As discussed at that meeting, the Port is requesting additional time to modify the document to address the comments. We believe the most effective method of finalizing the Alternatives Memorandum is to work collaboratively with Ecology to complete individual components of the document for Ecology review ahead of a complete resubmittal to Ecology. This approach should reduce the amount of revisions required and ultimately result in a more efficient process to finalize the Alternatives Memorandum.

The Port proposes the following schedule for completing the work:

- Submittal 1: June 28, 2018. The Port submits the revised Alternatives Memorandum Appendix C: Human Health Sediment Cleanup Objectives and Cleanup Screening Levels Development. This submittal will include calculation spreadsheets to accommodate Ecology review.
- Submittal 2: 30 days after receipt of Ecology comments on Appendix C. The Port submits a summary of cleanup levels, cleanup footprints, and cleanup alternatives based on Ecology comments to Appendix C. The Port will meet with Ecology to review Ecology comments on cleanup levels, cleanup footprints, and cleanup alternatives.
- Submittal 3: 60 days after meeting with Ecology to discuss Submittal 2. Port submits the complete revised Alternatives Memorandum to Ecology.

The Port is dedicated to working collaboratively with Ecology and completing the Alternatives Evaluation in a timely manner. Please feel free to contact me at (360) 528-8020 or email at rachaelj@portolympia.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rachael Jamison', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Rachael Jamison
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cc:

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