### PACIFIC groundwater GROUP

April 15, 2019

Tom Mackie Department of Ecology 1250 West Alder Street Union Gap, WA 98903-0009

Re: Status Report for Fourth Quarter 2018 Port of Seattle – Terminal 91 Site Agreed Order No. DE 8938

Dear Tom,

This quarterly status report for the Terminal 91 Site (T91 Site) is submitted to you on behalf of the Port of Seattle (Port) as required under the terms of Agreed Order No. DE 8938, amended by the First Amendment to Agreed Order (January 2016) (together, the Agreed Order) between the Port and the Department of Ecology (Ecology).

#### **WORK PERFORMED**

Work performed during the period from January through March 2019 (First Quarter) applicable to the entire T91 Site includes, by report:

- The Status Report for Fourth Quarter 2018 (PGG 2018a) was submitted on January 18, 2019.
- The Annual Compliance Monitoring Report (November 2017 through November 2018) Terminal 91 Tank Farm Affected Area, Seattle, Washington (PGG 2018b) was submitted on February 7, 2019.

Subarea-specific work in this time period is described in the sections below.

#### **TANK FARM AFFECTED AREA**

• Consistent with the Compliance and Monitoring Plan (CMP) (PES Environmental [PES] 2013a), groundwater sampling is conducted on a semi-annual schedule in 2018 with sampling conducted in May (Q2) and November (Q4) events. The next monitoring event will be in May 2019.

- The quarterly light non-aqueous phase liquid (LNAPL) monitoring event at the Tank Farm Affected Area (TFAA) was performed on February 21, 2019 by Pacific Groundwater Group (PGG), on behalf of the Port. The scope of work is described in the Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Plan (PES 2013b). The following observations were made and/or actions were performed:
  - LNAPL thicknesses ranged from sheen to 0.11 feet, consistent with previous measurements. LNAPL recovery was not performed because LNAPL thicknesses were less than 0.25 feet.

#### **DISCRETE UNITS**

• No actions were conducted nor work products required for the discrete units during this quarter.

#### SUBMERGED LANDS

• The Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) approved the final deliverable for the submerged lands preliminary investigation by letter dated September 28, 2018. Therefore, there were no work products or deliverables for the submerged lands during this quarter.

# PROBLEMS, SOLUTIONS, AND DEVIATIONS FROM WORK PLANS

• There were no deviations from work plans during this quarter.

# PROJECTED WORK FOR APRILTHROUGH JUNE (SECOND QUARTER) 2019

The sections below describe the work anticipated to be performed in the TFAA and Submerged Lands portions of the T91 Site in the second quarter of 2019.

#### **TANK FARM AFFECTED AREA**

- PGG, on behalf of the Port, plans to perform quarterly LNAPL gauging and recovery in May 2019, as described in the CMP Plans (PES 2013a) and O&M (PES 2013b).
- PGG, on behalf of the Port, plans to perform semi-annual groundwater monitoring in May 2019, as described in the CMP (PES 2013a).



### SIGNIFICANT FINDINGS, PERSONNEL CHANGES, CONTACTS

Unless otherwise reported elsewhere in this report, there were no significant findings, personnel changes, or contacts during the previous quarter.

#### **CLOSING**

PGG's work was performed using generally accepted hydrogeologic practices used at this time and in this vicinity, for exclusive application to the T91 Site, and for the exclusive use by the Port of Seattle and its legal counsel. This is in lieu of other warranties, express or implied. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or comments regarding this quarterly status report.

Sincerely,

**Pacific Groundwater Group** 

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#### **Attachments:**

Updated Exhibit C (Revised 1/8/2019)

#### **REFERENCES**

- Pacific Groundwater Group [PGG], 2018a. Status Report for Fourth Quarter 2018, Port of Seattle--Terminal 91 Site, Agreed Order No. DE 8938. Prepared for Port of Seattle. January 18, 2019.
- Pacific Groundwater Group [PGG], 2018b. Annual Compliance Monitoring Report (November 2017 through November 2018) Terminal 91 Tank Farm Affected Area, Seattle, Washington. January 20, 2019.
- PES Environmental, 2013a. Compliance Monitoring Plan, Terminal 91 Tank Farm Cleanup, Port of Seattle, Seattle, Washington. Prepared for Port of Seattle. July 11, 2013.
- PES Environmental, 2013b. Operation and Maintenance Plan, Terminal 91 Tank Farm Cleanup, Port of Seattle, Seattle, Washington. Prepared for Port of Seattle. July 11, 2013.

## Exhibit C

# Releases Requiring Corrective Action

Revised 1/8/19

### Terminal 91 Site - Known Discrete Units of Contamination

Disc	Discrete Units to Be Addressed During Redevelopment (Section VII.C.1.a)			
	SWMU, AOC, or	Description	Status	
	Other Area			
A.1.	AOC 2	USTs and UST Releases on	Complete with recording of	
		Terminal 91 Premises—Tanks	restrictive environmental	
		A-G	covenant 8/30/17.	

Discrete Units to Be Addressed under Work Plans and Schedules (Section VII.C.1.b)			
	SWMU, AOC, or Other Area	Description	Status
B.1.	SWMU 32	Oil Blending Station	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.2.	SWMU 33	Solid Waste Yard	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.3.	SWMU 35	Storage Area Outside Building W-47	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.4.	SWMU 36	Storage Inside Building W-47	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.5.	SWMU 37	Car Wash Station	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.6.	SWMU 38	Paint and Motor Oil Waste Building C-154	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.7.	SWMU 39	Paint Filter Waste Storage Area	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.8.	SWMU 40	Short Fill	Complete after restrictive covenant; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.9.	SWMU 43	Berth Stations and Valve Vaults	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.10.	SWMU 44	Waste Oil Storage Shed	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.11.	SWMU 45	Storm Drain at North End of Terminal 91	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.12.	SWMU 46	Two Storm Drains at Center of Terminal 91	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.13.	SWMU 47	Abandoned Oil/Water Separator	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05
B.14.	SWMU 48	Transfer Piping	Complete; Ecology letter 4/20/05

B.15.	AOC 2	USTs and UST Releases on	Complete; Ecology letter
		Terminal 91 Premises—Tanks	4/20/05
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B.16.	AOC 2	USTs and UST Releases on	Complete; Ecology letter
		Terminal 91 Premises—Tank J	4/20/05
B.17.	AOC 2	USTs and UST Releases on	Complete; Ecology letter
		Terminal 91 Premises–Tank K	4/20/05
B.18.	AOC 2	USTs and UST Releases on	Complete; Ecology letter
		Terminal 91 Premises—Tank T	11/16/11
B.19.	AOC 2	USTs and UST Releases on	Complete; Ecology letter
		Terminal 91 Premises–Tank Z	4/20/05
B.20.	AOC 4	Leaking Motor	Complete; Ecology letter
			4/20/05
B.21.	AOC 5	PCB Transformer Pad	Complete; Ecology letter
			4/20/05
B.22.	AOC 7Pier 90 Area	Concrete Aprons	Complete; Ecology letter
			11/16/11
	AOC 7Pier 91 Area	Concrete Aprons (see also	Complete; Ecology email
		1991 Soil Investigation for Pier	10/9/12
		91 Chill Facility)	
B.23.	AOC 16	Inactive Transformers	Complete; Ecology letter
			4/20/05
B.24.	Other Area (from	1990 PNO Pipeline Break	Complete after restrictive
	Baseline Report)	South of Building T-38, Pier 91	covenant; Ecology letter
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B.25.	Other Area (from	1991 PNO Pipeline Break at	Complete; Ecology letter
D 04	Baseline Report)	South End of Pier 91	4/20/05
B.26.	Other Area (from	1994 Transformer Pad	Complete; Ecology letter
D 27	Baseline Report)	1004 DAC D '11' C'4	4/20/05
B.27.	Other Area (from	1994 DAS Building Site	Complete; Ecology letter
B.28.	Baseline Report)	Investigation 1991 Soil Investigation for Pier	4/20/05
D.∠ð.	Other Area (from		Complete; Ecology letter 11/16/11
	Baseline Report)Pier 90 Area	91 Chill FacilityPier 90 Area (see also AOC 7)	11/10/11
B.29.	Other Area (from	1996 PNO Pipeline Alignment	Complete; Ecology letter
D.49.	Baseline Report)	Soil Remediation, Pier 90	11/16/11
B.30.	Other Area (from	1996 PNO Pipeline Break, Pier	Complete; Ecology email
D.50.	Baseline Report)	91	10/9/12
B.31.	Other Area (from	1994 DAS Utility Trench	Complete; Ecology letter
	Baseline Report)	Investigation	11/16/11
B.32.	Other Area	1999 PNO Pipeline Release on	Complete; Ecology email
	(Independent Cleanup)	Pier 90	3/16/12
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B.33.	Other Area	Pier 91 Pipeline	Complete; Ecology email
	(Independent Cleanup)	Decommissioning and Historic	10/9/12
		Pipeline Releases in the	
		Vicinity of the Carnitech	
		Building	
B.34.	Other Area	Pier 91 Pipeline	Complete; Ecology email
	(Independent Cleanup)	Decommissioning and Historic	10/9/12
		Pipeline Releases in the	
		Vicinity of the Cruise Ship	
		Terminal	
B.35.	Other Area	Pier 91 Historic Pipeline	Areas B & CComplete;
	(Independent Cleanup)	Releases	Ecology emails 2/3/12 and
			3/16/12
			Area DComplete; Ecology
			email 7/17/13
B.36.	Other Area	Building 136	Complete; Ecology memo
	(Brownfields		emailed 12/23/13
	Investigation)	Building 136 Hydraulic Lifts	Complete; Ecology letter
		Building 150 Hydraune Ents	10/31/18
B.37.	Other Area	Locomotive Fueling Area	Complete; Ecology email
	(Brownfields		8/4/16
	Investigation)		
B.38.	Other Area	Incinerator UST Area	Complete; Ecology email
	(Brownfields		8/4/16
	Investigation)		
B.39.	Tank Farm Affected	Stormwater Sump Bottom	Complete; Ecology letter
	Area Interim Action	Filling Interim Remedial	12/7/11
		Action	

Discrete Units Addressed under the Contamination Contingency Plan			
	SWMU, AOC, or	Description	Status
	Other Area		
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