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September 17, 2020

Greg Fries  
Desert Wind Winery  
2258 Wine Country Rd  
Prosser, WA 99350

**Re: Factual Review of Draft Fact Sheet and Permit for Permit No. ST0009272 for Desert Wind Winery**

Dear Greg Fries:

Enclosed is a preliminary draft copy of your proposed Fact Sheet and Permit. Please review these documents to insure that you or your staff understand and agree with all conditions and comment on any factual mistakes. **Pay close attention to the requirements in Special Conditions S1 and S2. The monitoring requirements for parameter units, sampling frequencies, reporting, and permit limits may have changed from your current permit.**

**Comments must provide adequate information for evaluation by Ecology.** Your written comments or concerns must be submitted no later than **October 2, 2020**, to be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the draft permit. Send any comments or corrections you may have to: [cynthia.huwe@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:cynthia.huwe@ecy.wa.gov) or Cindy Huwe, Permit Coordinator, Department of Ecology, Central Regional Office, 1250 West Alder Street, Union Gap, WA 98903-0009.

Ecology will make the appropriate corrections in the draft permit, and place a public notice in a local newspaper. An official draft permit copy will be mailed to you along with a copy of the public notice. There will be a 30-day comment period from the date of publication. You will have the opportunity at that time to submit comments on requirements and/or conditions in the permit.

If you have any questions about the permit, please contact Erik Van Doren at 509/571-0934 or [erik.vandoren@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:erik.vandoren@ecy.wa.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cindy Huwe".

Cindy Huwe  
Permit Coordinator  
Water Quality Program

Enclosures: Draft Permit and Fact Sheet

Cc: Benjamin Hieb, Desert Wind Winery