# Addendum to the Fact Sheet for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Waste Discharge Permit No. WA0001503 Modification Date: March 2, 2022

# 1. General Information

Facility: CenTrio Energy Seattle LLC (formerly Enwave Seattle) 1319 Western Avenue, Seattle, WA 98101

This is an addendum to the fact sheet to explain changes proposed for NPDES Permit No. WA0001503, issued on January 23, 2020. The Permittee requests a name change on the permit to reflect the new ownership, and a change in outfall location as requested by the City of Seattle due to the existing discharge line is causing interference to the City's waterfront and Alaskan Way roadway projects. Ecology is modifying the permit to accommodate the facility's request.

Note: New text in the modified permit is marked with grey highlight.

## 2. Modification to the Permit

Page 1, the facility name has been changed to read from "Enwave Seattle" to "CenTrio Energy Seattle LLC".

Page 1, Table: Receiving Water: wording has been added to clarify that the facility discharges to "Elliott Bay via City Storm Sewer".

Page 1, Table: Discharge Location: The old latitude and longitude have been changed to reflect the new outfall location. The new location of outfall 001 is: Latitude: 47.605820°N, and Longitude: 122.340541°W.

Page 5, S1.A, 3<sup>rd</sup> paragraph: wording has been added to clarify the Permittee is authorized to discharge treated wastewater to Elliott Bay via City of Seattle's storm sewer at the permitted location outfall 001.

Page 5, S1.B Mixing zone authorization: This authorization is removed from the permit because the Permittee is no longer discharged directly to Elliott Bay, rather it is discharged to Elliott Bay by means of City of Seattle's storm sewer line where it comingles with other discharges and stormwater in the storm sewer main line.

Page 9, S3.B Permit submittal and schedules: The address for the Northwest Regional Office (NWRO) has been updated to reflect the current address. Ecology's NWRO has moved from Bellevue to Shoreline in May 2021. The new address is: PO Box 330316, Shoreline, WA 98133-9716.

Page 10, S3.F Reporting permit violations: Ecology's phone number has been updated. The new reporting phone number is: (206) 594-0000.

## 3. Justification

Ecology received the Transfer of Permit to a New Owner/Operator form from the facility on December 6, 2021, requesting the facility name appearing on the permit be changed from "Enwave Seattle" to "CenTrio Energy Seattle LLC" to reflect the current new owner. Addendum to the Fact Sheet, March 2, 2022 NPDES Permit WA0001503 Page 2 of 5

Ecology received a request letter from the facility on December 14, 2021, requesting a change in outfall location (See Figure 1). The outfall relocation is necessary and triggered by the City of Seattle's waterfront and Alaskan Way roadway projects where the facility's existing discharge line is interfering with the City's improvement projects. The City of Seattle requests the facility's cooperation by relocating the discharge line via connecting to the City's storm sewer line which ultimately discharges to the same receiving water body, Elliott Bay. The City of Seattle has granted a side sewer permit to the facility to do the necessary connection construction work. The City of Seattle is await for the issuance of this permit modification to CenTrio to switch over and permanently terminate the old discharge line.

# 4. Public Process

The proposed changes made in this modification are considered to constitute a major modification under 40 CFR 122.62. Therefore, notice of the draft permit modification will be published to allow a 30 day public review and comment period.

## 5. Public Involvement Information

Appendix A describes the public involvement process

# 6. Permit Appeal Process

Appendix B describes the permit appeal process.

## 7. Response to Comments

Ecology received no comments during the public comment period.

The primary author of this permit modification and fact sheet is Jeanne Tran.

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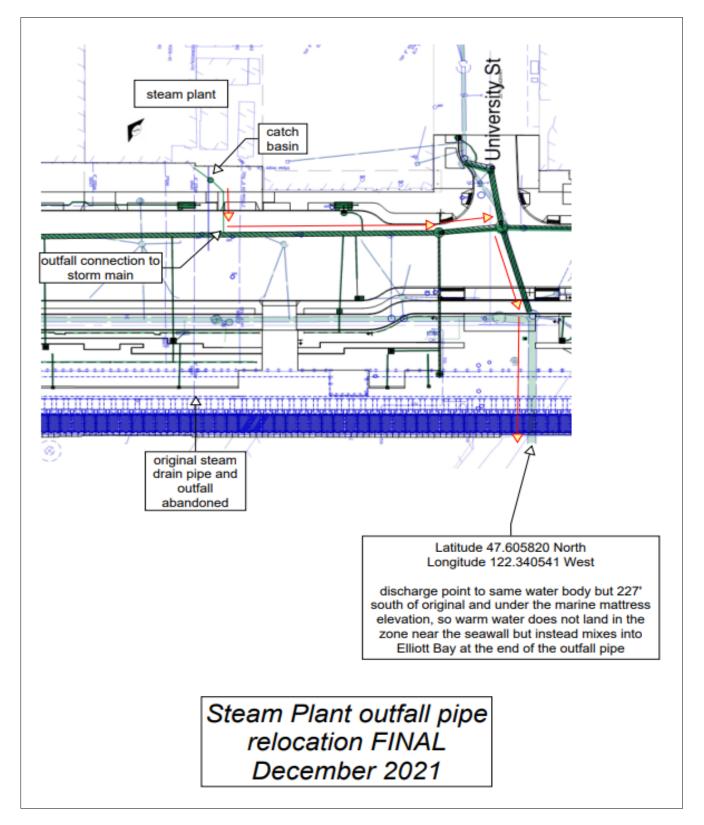


Figure 1 – The new outfall location (The City's storm sewer outfall is under Pier 56)

#### Appendix A – Public Involvement Information

The proposed changes to this permit constitute a major modification under 40 CFR 122.62. Notice of the draft permit modification was published to allow a 30 day public review and comment period. This modification was published in the *Seattle Times* on January 4, 2022 to fulfil the above requirements. The issuance of the final modification is contingent upon the outcome of the public review and comment period.

The notice:

- Tells where copies of the draft Permit and Fact Sheet are available for public evaluation (a local public library, the closest Regional or Field Office, posted on our website).
- Offers to provide the documents in an alternate format to accommodate special needs.
- Urges people to submit their comments, in writing, before the end of the Comment Period
- Tells how to request a public hearing of comments about the proposed NPDES permit.
- Explains the next step(s) in the permitting process.

Ecology has published a document entitled <u>Frequently Asked Questions about Effective Public</u> <u>Commenting</u> which is available on our website at https://fortress.wa.gov/ecv/publications/SummaryPages/0307023.html

You may obtain further information from Ecology by telephone, (206) 594-0000, or by writing to the address listed below.

Water Quality Permit Coordinator Department of Ecology Northwest Regional Office PO Box 330316 Shoreline, WA 98133-9716

# Appendix B – Your Right to Appeal

You have a right to appeal this permit to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of the final permit. The appeal process is governed by chapter 43.21B RCW and chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2) (see glossary).

To appeal you must do the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this permit:

- File your appeal and a copy of this permit with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.
- Serve a copy of your appeal and this permit on Ecology in paper form by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in chapter 43.21B RCW and chapter 371-08 WAC.

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses
Department of Ecology	Department of Ecology
Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive SE Lacey, WA 98503	Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia, WA 98504-7608
Pollution Control Hearings Board	Pollution Control Hearings Board
1111 Israel RD SW STE 301 Tumwater, WA 98501	PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903

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