



**STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY**

1250 W. Alder St. • Union Gap, Washington 98903 • (509) 575-2490

August 17, 2016

Don Gibson
The Dalles Fruit Co LLC
PO Box 1588
Yakima, WA 98907-1588

**RE: Coverage under the Fresh Fruit Packing Industry General Permit
Permit No. WAG435290**

Dear Don Gibson:

On July 20, 2016, the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) reissued the Fresh Fruit Packing Industry General Permit (permit). Ecology is issuing your facility coverage under the new permit based on the information you provided in your application and coverage modifications, if any, that have been subsequently submitted. A copy of your new permit is enclosed. The effective date of the new permit is September 1, 2016.

Coverage Page and Authorization

Coverage under this general permit is limited to the discharges specified on the enclosed coverage page. **Retain the enclosed coverage page on site. The enclosed coverage page is the official record of permit coverage for your site.** Please review all of the information on your coverage page. Contact Ecology if changes are necessary.

Electronic Discharge Monitoring Reports (WQWebDMR)

The first monitoring period begins on **January 1, 2017** for Annual Discharge Monitoring Reports (ADMRs) and **the first month following permit coverage** for Monthly Discharge Monitoring Reports (MDMRs).

By **March 1, 2017**, Permittees without electronic reporting waivers will submit Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs) through WQWebDMR. If you have previously submitted an Electronic Signature Agreement Form (ESAF) you do not need to submit another one.

You can find more information regarding WQWebDMR on our website at:
<http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/wq/permits/paris/webdmr.html>.

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Right to Appeal the Permit

You have a right to appeal the terms and conditions of the permit to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt this notice. 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).

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

- File your appeal and a copy of this notice 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 notice on Ecology in paper form – by mail or in person. E-mail is not accepted.

Address and Location Information:

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

Permit Documents

In addition to the permit, Ecology also issues a Fact Sheet for the permit. The Fact Sheet explains the legal and technical basis for the permit conditions and requirements. Ecology has also responded to comments that were submitted on the formal draft of the permit. The Response to Comments is an appendix to the Fact Sheet. The permit, fact sheet, and related documents are available at: http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/wq/permits/fruit_packers/index.html.

Fees

Ecology, in response to the passage of Initiative 97 in 1988, has adopted a regulation to recover costs associated with the issuance and administration of Wastewater Discharge Permits (Chapter 173-224 WAC). Please contact Charles Gilman at (360) 407-6425, by email at wqfee_unit@ecy.wa.gov, with any fee related questions.

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Where to Get Additional Information

If you need assistance with permit requirements, have site-specific questions, or need to correct your coverage page please contact:

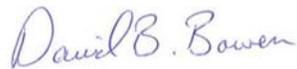
Central Region Counties: Benton, Chelan, Douglas, Kittitas, Klickitat, Okanogan, and Yakima

Marcia Porter, General Permit Manager
Central Regional Office
1250 West Alder Street
Union Gap, WA 98903-0009
509/454-7864

Eastern Region Counties: Adams, Asotin, Columbia, Ferry, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Lincoln, Pend Oreille, Spokane, Stevens, Walla Walla and Whitman

Fruit Packing General Permit Manager
Eastern Regional Office
4601 N. Monroe
Spokane, WA 99205-1295
509/329-3400

Sincerely,



Section Manager
Water Quality Program

Enclosures



DEPARTMENT OF
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State of Washington

Permit No. WAG435290
Coverage Effective Date: September 1, 2016
Permit Issuance Date: July 20, 2016
Expiration Date: August 31, 2021

**THE FRESH FRUIT PACKING GENERAL PERMIT
COVERAGE PAGE**

Name & Mailing Address

Don Gibson
The Dalles Fruit Co LLC
PO Box 1588
Yakima, WA 98907-1588

Facility/Site Name & Location

The Dalles Fruit Co LLC
111 Parallel Ave
Dallesport, WA 98617

Site Contact

Don Gibson

Site Contact Phone Number

(509) 457-6177

Name of Surface Waterbody*

Latitude

Longitude

Receiving POTW*

Dallesport POTW

*If blank, no discharge to POTW or Surface Water is authorized.

Monitoring Point Information

<u>Outfall ID</u>	<u>Monitoring Point ID</u>	<u>Wastewater Source</u>	<u>Chemical Additives</u>	<u>TDM</u>
001	001	Hydrocooler	Chlorine-Based Fungicides	Publicly Owned Treatment Works
002	002	NonContact Cooling Water	NCCW Chemical Additives	Publicly Owned Treatment Works
003	003	Combined Packing	Chlorine-Based Fungicides; NCCW Chemical Additives	Lined Evaporative Lagoon

Sincerely,

David B. Bowen

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Section Manager
Water Quality Program