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October 8, 2020

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

**RE: Draft State Waste Discharge Permit No. ST0009272 for Desert Wind Winery**

Dear Greg Fries:

Enclosed for your review is your revised draft NPDES Permit and Fact Sheet which Ecology proposes to issue for your facility. The documents contain changes from the factual review copy. A draft permit and fact sheet were sent to you on **September 17, 2020**, for your preliminary review.

Please review these documents to insure that you understand and agree will all conditions. Your written comments must be submitted no later than **November 23, 2020**, to be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the draft permit. Comments should be sent to: [cynthia.huwe@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:cynthia.huwe@ecy.wa.gov) or Cynthia Huwe, WQ Permit Coordinator, Department of Ecology, Central Regional Office, 1250 West Alder Street, Union Gap, WA 98903-0009.

State Water Pollution Control laws require the publishing of a Public Notice which describes the discharge for any new or existing operation. This is to give the public a chance to be aware of, and comment on the draft permit and fact sheet. Enclosed is a copy of the public notice of draft permit describing your wastewater treatment discharge. The Department of Ecology will publish this notice in the "Legal Classified Section" of the **Prosser Record Bulletin** on **October 21, 2020**. Please review the enclosed notice and contact me **immediately** if you find any errors.

Should you have questions regarding this process, please contact me at 509/457-7105. Questions regarding content of the fact sheet or permit should be directed to 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  
Public Notice

Cc: Benjamin Hieb, Desert Wind Winery