

**NOTICE: ANNOUNCEMENT OF AVAILABILITY OF WASTEWATER
DISCHARGE PERMIT TO THE CITY OF BURLINGTON
WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT**

Permit No: ST0501329

Applicant: Sakata Seed America Inc.
11857 Bay Ridge Drive
Burlington, Skagit County

has applied for a State Waste Discharge permit in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 90.48 Revised Code of Washington (RCW) and Chapter 173-216 Washington Administrative Code (WAC).

The wastewater, following treatment, must meet the requirements of the Washington State Water Pollution Control Act and applicable regulations for the permit to be issued. Following evaluation of the application and other available information, a draft permit has been developed which would authorize the discharge of wastewater generated from seed washing and cleaning to the City of Burlington Wastewater Treatment Plant

A tentative determination has been made on the effluent limitations and special permit conditions that will prevent and control pollution. A final determination will not be made until all timely comments received in response to this notice have been evaluated.

PUBLIC COMMENT AND INFORMATION

The draft permit, fact sheet, and related documents may be viewed at the Department of Ecology website: <https://apps.ecology.wa.gov/paris/DocumentSearch.aspx> by entering permit number ST0501329. Due to the existing Stay Home, Stay Healthy order and associated building closures, these documents are not available for in-person viewing at this time. To request a hard copy, please call (425) 649-7000.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the proposed permit. All comments must be submitted within 30 days after publication of this notice to be considered for the final determination. Comments should be sent to:

Water Quality Permit Coordinator
Department of Ecology
Northwest Regional Office
3190 - 160th Avenue SE
Bellevue, WA 98008-5452

Email comments should be sent to tricia.miller@ecy.wa.gov

Any interested party may request a public hearing on the proposed permit within 30 days of the publication date of this notice. The request for a hearing shall state the interest of the party and the reasons why a hearing is necessary. For Washington Relay Service or TTY call 711 or 877-833-6341 or visit <https://ecology.wa.gov/accessibility>

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