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March 4, 2021

Patrick Hulett, Fish Biologist
WA Department of Fish and Wildlife
Resource Assessment Division
804 Allen Street, Suite 3
Kelso, WA 98626

**RE: Application Accepted for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
(NPDES) Permit, WA DFW Lower Deep River Salmon Net Pens (WA0040053)**

Dear Patrick Hulett:

We hereby acknowledge receipt of the above-referenced application on November 16, 2020.
This application was reviewed by Ecology and is hereby accepted.

During the permit process, Ecology may determine that additional information is necessary to complete the permit. In order to maintain complete application status, Washington Department of Fish & Wildlife (WDFW) must provide any additional information Ecology may request in a timely manner.

For questions regarding, please contact me at Hiro.Kusakabe@ecy.wa.gov or 360-810-1340.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Hiro Kusakabe".

Hiro Kusakabe
Permit Manager | Environmental Engineer
Water Quality Program
Southwest Regional Office

HK:MD (WA0040053)

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Patrick Hulett, Fish Biologist:

Attached is a letter stating the NPDES permit application for **WA DFW Lower Deep River Salmon Net Pens** (WA0040053) has been officially accepted.

This is being sent electronically due to COVID-19.

Thank you,

Morgan Dorner
Industrial Permit Coordinator
Water Quality Program | Southwest Regional Office



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