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May 13, 2021

WA Department of Ecology
Water Quality – NWRO
Attn: Colleen (Crotty) Griffith
3190 160th Ave SE
Bellevue, WA 98008

Re: G20 Non-Compliance Remediation of Western Washington Phase II Municipal Stormwater Permit, requirements (S5.C.2 a.ii(c)), (S5.C.2 a.ii(d)), (S5.C.2 a.iii), and (S5.C.3)

To Whom It May Concern,

The Public Works Department has submitted and updated City of Clyde Hill 2020 Annual Report. There are 3 requirements that were not achieved in the prescribed timelines and are described as follows:

(S5.C.2 a.ii(c)); The City missed the deadline of February 1st, 2021, developing a campaign following marketing practices and methods that are tailored to the community, and including development of a program evaluation plan.

(S5.C.2 a.ii(d)); The City did not begin to implement the strategy developed in S5.C.2.ii(c) on or before April 2021.

(S5.C.2 a.iii); The City did not advertise stewardship opportunities and /or partner with other organizations encouraging residents to participate in activities or events planned and organized within the community.

(S5.C.3); The City was unable to create opportunities within the reporting period for the public to participate in the decision making processes involving the development and implantation, and update of the SWMP and SMAP. A required public meeting has been held and available to the public for comment and interaction on March 9th, 2021.

The City is currently vetting a consulting firm to work closely with public works being a part of the planning team to work toward resolving these compliance issues and future planning and report needs as prescribed in the Phase II permit. Public Works is developing a planned approach to meet the planning, marketing and education requirements and based on the phase status of the pandemic will begin to approach the public with this information immediately and mobilize communications over the summer months.

I certify under penalty of law, that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that Qualified Personnel properly gather and evaluated the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for willfull violations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Dean Rohla', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Dean Rohla
City Administrator
City of Clyde Hill

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