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April 20, 2022

Brent Kirk
City Manager
City of Granite Falls
P.O. Box 1440
Granite Falls, WA 98252

Re: Granite Falls Wastewater Treatment Plant (NPDES Permit No. WA0021130)
Approval of "City of Granite Falls Wastewater System Facilities Tier II Analysis" (April 2022)

Dear Brent Kirk:

The City of Granite Falls (City) has submitted to the Department of Ecology (Ecology) the "City of Granite Falls Wastewater System Facilities Tier II Analysis", dated April 2022 (prepared by Gray & Osborne, Inc.). Ecology received the report (e-copy) on April 15, 2022.

Ecology reviewed this document for conformance with the requirements in the City's NPDES permit, the requirements of state's surface water quality standards (Chapter 173-201A-320 Washington Administrative Code) and with Ecology's guidance on Implementing Tier II Antidegradation. Ecology hereby approves the document. An approved copy of the documents will be kept on file at Ecology.

Nothing in this approval shall be construed as satisfying other applicable federal, state or local statutes, ordinances or regulations. This review and approval is limited to assuring compliance with the State water quality laws and regulations listed above.

If you have any questions about this approval, please feel free to contact me by telephone at 206-594-0168 or via email at kevin.leung@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kevin Leung".

Kevin Leung, PE
Permit Manager
Northwest Regional Office

Sent via email

ecc: Lyle Bjornson, WWTP Supervisor, City of Granite Falls
Stacey Clear, P.E., Project Engineer, Gray & Osborne, Inc.
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