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**Attachments:** NBBB Lab Results for 12\_29\_22 Discharge.pdf

Hi Mr. Jiang – Nichols Brothers Boat Builders (NBBB) staff sampled effluent discharged from the electrocoagulation/detention tank/sand filter/GAC treatment system at the Freeland Shipyard on December 29, 2022 and submitted the samples to Onsite Environmental (Redmond, WA) for laboratory analyses. Late yesterday NBBB received the lab results that indicated 160 ug/L for zinc, which exceeds NBBB's permit limit (95.1 ug/L). The lab results are attached. All other analytes were below the permit limit. NBBB staff are repeating sampling of the effluent discharge and will submit the results to Ecology within 30 days of sampling. NBBB staff will also be inspecting the shipyard and the stormwater treatment system and will be performing maintenance as needed.

The zinc non-compliance was reported to Ecology's Reporting Number (206-594-0000) and Ecology's Kelly Sheldon, and the Report Number is 720123.

NBBB will continue to communicate with Ecology as NBBB gains additional information.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks – Tom

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