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August 7, 2024

Bill Monson  
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**RE: Warning Letter for Industrial State Waste Discharge Permit ST0009266, Monson Bulk Crush Facility**

Dear Bill Monson:

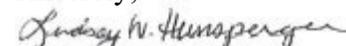
Your State Waste Discharge Permit ST0009266, for Monson Bulk Crush Facility, requires that monitoring data obtained during each monitoring period shall be summarized, reported, and submitted on a Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) through the Department of Ecology's (Ecology) WQWebDMR. DMR forms shall be received/submitted no later than the 15<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the completed monitoring period, which is stated in S3.A.7 of your permit on page 10.

Ecology has not received your previous three DMRs. Your DMRs for the months of **April, May, and June** are past due. Ecology has notified you of this violation by email on June 7, 2024, by phone message on June 27, 2024, by email on July 22, 2024, and by voicemail on August 6, 2024.

Ecology uses the DMR to evaluate compliance with permit requirements. Be aware of the importance Ecology places on complete and accurate DMRs and the legal implications they have for your facility. If you fail to comply with the conditions of your permit, Ecology may take formal administrative enforcement action, including issuing Administrative Orders to correct the problem and/or Civil Penalties of up to \$10,000 per day per violation, in accordance with [chapter 173-216 Washington Administrative Code \(WAC\)](#).

If you have any questions regarding matters of compliance, please contact me at [lindsay.hunsperger@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:lindsay.hunsperger@ecy.wa.gov) or (509) 208-1285. If you questions about your permit, please contact Stephanie Giesin, at [stephanie.giesin@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:stephanie.giesin@ecy.wa.gov) or (509) 504-0172.

Sincerely,

  
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