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April 21, 2025

The Honorable Jim Fletcher, Mayor
City of Cashmere
101 Woodring Street
Cashmere, WA 98815-1034

Sent via email only: mayor@cityofcashmere.org

RE: Administrative Extension for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. WA0023183 for Cashmere Publicly Owned Treatment Works, Effective June 1, 2025

Dear Mayor Fletcher:

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) acknowledges receiving a NPDES permit application for Cashmere POTW on May 30, 2024. The application was reviewed and accepted as complete on June 17, 2024. Your current NPDES permit has an expiration date of May 31, 2025. Renewal of your permit is in process; however, the permit may not be issued by the expiration date.

If your new permit is not issued and effective by the current permit's expiration date, then the current permit and its terms and conditions are hereby administratively extended effective **June 1, 2025**, the day following expiration of your existing permit. **It will remain in effect and enforceable until Ecology issues a new permit for your facility**, in accordance with the Washington Administrative Code 173-220-180(5).

That means your facility must continue to comply with the terms and conditions of the previous permit, issued on April 15, 2020. During the permit renewal process, Ecology may determine that additional information is necessary to complete the permit. In order to maintain complete application status, Cashmere POTW must provide any additional information Ecology may request in a timely manner.

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If you have any questions regarding the permitting process, please contact Caleb Bos at (509) 426-0679 or caleb.bos@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,



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