

# The State of Washington

Department



of Ecology

## Certificate of Competency

*The Water Quality Program Hereby Recognizes*

*Steven M. Thomas*

*as a*

**CERTIFIED GROUP I  
WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR  
CERTIFICATION #9855**

*and confirms this individual passed a standardized Class I wastewater operator certification exam and meets the established qualifications, in accordance with Chapter 173-230 WAC, Certification of Operators of Wastewater Treatment Plants, to operate and maintain the specified maximum size and type of wastewater treatment plant designated as follows:*

**CLASS I PLANT**

*Wastewater Operator  
Certification Program*

A blue ink signature of the State Coordinator, written over a horizontal line.

STATE COORDINATOR

*Witnessed under my hand  
This 21st day of May, 2025*

A blue ink signature of the Director, Department of Ecology, written over a horizontal line.

DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

ISSUED May 13, 2025

THIS CERTIFICATE SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT WHEN ACCOMPANIED BY AN ANNUAL RENEWAL CARD