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Kendra Henderson Washington Department of Ecology P.O. Box 47696 Olympia, WA 98504–7696

RE: Comments on the Draft Construction Stormwater General Permit and Fact Sheet

Dear Ms. Henderson,

The Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) appreciates the opportunity to provide comments on the draft Construction Stormwater General Permit (draft permit) and Fact Sheet. WSDOT has a strong interest in working with the Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) because the Construction Stormwater General Permit (permit) substantially impacts WSDOT policy and construction operations.

With our online submittal, WSDOT has included this cover letter and an excel spreadsheet with specific comments organized by permit section and page number.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide input regarding the draft permit and fact sheet. Please direct questions about these comments to Jeannie McCully at jeannie.mccully@wsdot.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

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