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CERTIFIED MAIL

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American Construction Company Inc.
ATTN: Mr Bill Elmer
411 13th Street
Everett, WA 98201

Dear Mr Elmer:

RE: Coastal Zone Consistency for U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Reference #200500447, for the installation of three 4-foot wide by 50-foot long grated ramps and a 10-foot wide by 730-foot long float assembly secured by sixteen steel piles, Hylebos Waterway off Commencement Bay, Puget Sound, at Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) has reviewed the Corps Section 10 public notice for your proposed project. On behalf of the State of Washington, we have no objections to the issuance of a Corps permit under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbor Act.

Ecology agrees with your determination that this work is consistent with the approved Washington State Coastal Zone Management Program per the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (Section 307 (c) (3), as amended). This concurrence is based upon compliance with all applicable enforceable policies of the Coastal Zone Management Program.

Please note that this letter does not exempt the applicant from compliance with other requirements of federal, state, and local agencies. If you have any questions, please call Lori Ochoa of my staff at (360) 407-6926.

Sincerely,

Perry J Lund
Unit Supervisor
Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program
Southwest Regional Office

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cc: Koko Cronin, U S. Army Corps of Engineers

