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DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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December 21, 2015

Wallace Ranch II, LLC  
Attn: Robert C. Wallace  
P.O. Box 4184  
Bellevue, WA 98009-4184

Re: Trust Water Donation CS4-02267sb4d

Dear Mr. Wallace:

In response to your request, you are hereby granted an extension of the above referenced Trust Water Donation to remain in the Trust Water Right Program for an additional 5 years.

**This trust water right expires on April 1, 2021**

### YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

This Decision may be appealed pursuant to RCW 34.05.514(3), RCW 90.03.210(2), and Pretrial Order No. 12 entered in *State of Washington, Department of Ecology v. James Acquavella, et al.*, Yakima County Superior Court No. 77-2-01484-5 (the general adjudication of surface water rights in the Yakima River Basin). The person to whom this Decision is issued, if he or she wishes to file an appeal, must file the notice of appeal with the Yakima County Superior Court **within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Decision**. Appeals must be filed with the Superior Court Clerk's Office, Yakima County Superior Court, 128 North 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Yakima WA 98901, RE: Yakima River Adjudication. Appeals must be served in accordance with Pretrial Order No. 12, Section III ("Appeals Procedures"). The content of the notice of appeal must conform to RCW 34.05.546. Specifically, the notice of appeal must include:

- The name and mailing address of the appellant;
- Name and address of the appellant's attorney, if any;
- The name and address of the Department of Ecology;
- The specific application number of the decision being appealed;
- A copy of the decision;
- A brief explanation of Ecology's decision;
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- Facts that demonstrate the appellant is entitled to obtain judicial review;



- The appellant's reasons for believing that relief should be granted; and
- A request for relief, specifying the type and extent of relief requested.

The "parties of record" who must be served with copies of the notice of appeal under RCW 34.05.542(3) are limited to the applicant of the decision subject to appeal, Ecology and the Office of the Attorney General.

All others receiving notice of this Decision, who wish to file an appeal, must file the appeal with the Yakima County Superior Court within **thirty (30) days of the date the Order was mailed**. The appeal must be filed in the same manner as described above.

If you have any questions, please contact Jacquelyn Metcalfe at 509-457-7148 or [jmet461@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:jmet461@ecy.wa.gov).

Sincerely,



Tom Perkow, Acting Section Manager  
Water Resources Program  
Central Regional Office

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By certified mail: 7014 3490 0001 5527 8929

cc: Thomas M. Pors, Attorney  
Philip Rigdon, Director Natural Resources Division Yakama Nation



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January 9, 2013

Robert C. Wallace  
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RE: Trust Water Donation CS4-02267sb4d

Dear Mr. Wallace:

The purpose of this letter is to acknowledge the Department of Ecology's acceptance of your donation to the Washington State Trust Water Right Program. The trust water right has been assigned Application No. CS4-02267sb4d. Please refer to this number when corresponding with us about this trust water right.

The Department of Ecology (Ecology), pursuant to RCW 90.38.020(1)(b), accepts your donation in the amount of 1.35 cubic feet per second<sup>1</sup> and 79.17 acre-feet per year<sup>2</sup>. The purpose of the donation is to benefit instream flow in the Yakima River each year from April 15 through October 1.

**This trust water right expires on April 1, 2013.**

This trust water right is made possible through an increase in irrigation system efficiencies for Yakima County Superior Court Claim No. 02267 with a priority date of 1894, located within the NE¼ of Section 14, T. 19 N., R. 16 E.W.M.

RCW 90.38.020 provides in part that the total of any portion of the water right remaining with the donor plus the donated portion of the water right may not exceed the extent to which the water right was exercised during the five years before the donation.

In accordance with RCW 90.38.040(6), RCW 90.14.140(h), and RCW 90.14.215, a water right is not subject to relinquishment while it is managed within the Trust Water Right Program.

Ecology's acceptance of the donated water right into the trust water right program is not evidence of the validity or quantity of the right. When the period of trust ends, the water right will revert back to the water right holder or landowner in the full quantity accepted into the trust water program and for the original purposes.

If, prior to expiration of this temporary donation, you would like to extend the temporary donation, please send us a written request. Also, if you wish to modify any terms of your donation, your letter must

<sup>1</sup> 1.35 cfs is a combined instantaneous quantity entered into the Trust Water Right Program between CS4-02267sb4a and CS4-02267sb4d.

<sup>2</sup> 79.17 acre-feet represents 29% of the total saved water between (273 acre-feet) CS4-02267sb4a and CS4-02267sb4d.

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include the new terms. Ecology will review your request and any new or modified terms and conditions and will notify you whether the donation can be extended or terminated.

If you have questions or concerns, please call the Central Region's Trust Water Coordinator, Scott Turner at (509) 457-7106.

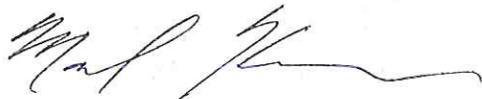
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