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Good Morning Kelly,

Thank you for meeting me onsite yesterday, April 15, 2021, to review the project parcel and defined wetland area based on the Sewall Wetland Consulting, Inc. report prepared for Parcel #15445 by Ed Sewall on the 25th and 27th of August 2020. Ecology requested a joint site visit with a County representative to review the parcel to help answer some questions that arrived based on the information or lack thereof found within the report.

While reviewing the critical area report prepared by Ed Sewall on October 12, 2020, Ecology staff noted a lack of detailed information and an outlined boundary of the delineated wetland. The majority of datasheets provided indicated upland areas and only one datasheet was provided which indicated the presence of a wetland, which was associated with the stream. No data sheets were provided for the interior wetland. Upon review of this area yesterday, Ecology would like to ask the consultant to provide a narrative as to why they determined the westernmost boundary in the forested area to terminate where they placed it and not to continue the wetland boundary further west, as many of the characteristics appears to be the similar approximately 50 to 100 feet west of the wetland boundary flagging.

It appears much the area that was once wetland no longer holds water long enough to meet the standard characteristic of a wetland. This may be the case on the west end of the delineated wetland. I look forward to receiving the additional information from Mr. Sewall.

Please let me know if you need a formal letter or this email is sufficient.

Sincerely,

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