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DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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March 4, 2020

Igor Shaporda
Grant County PUD
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Re: Kittitas County Local Permit SC-19-00002
Igor Shaporda - Applicant
Conditioned Shoreline Conditional Use Permit 1484

Dear Igor Shaporda:

On February 12, 2020, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) received the Kittitas County decision on your Shoreline Conditional Use Permit for the installation of 24" riprap revetment along 250-300 yards of the Columbia River bank at Wanapum Dam.

By law, Ecology must review Conditional Use Permits for compliance with:

- The Shoreline Management Act (Chapter 90.58 RCW)
- Ecology's Conditional Use Permit approval criteria (Chapter 173-27-160 WAC)
- The Kittitas County Local Shoreline Master Program

After reviewing Conditional Use Permits for compliance, Ecology must decide whether to approve, approve with conditions, or disapprove a Conditional Use Permit.

Our Decision:

Ecology approves your Conditional Use Permit provided your project complies with the conditions required by Kittitas County and the following Ecology conditions:

1. The hard armoring revetment is conditionally approved requiring mitigation for the reduced shoreline ecological functions from the cumulative use of shoreline modifications in the area. Mitigation steps are outlined below.
 - a. The Department of Ecology will accept the provided mitigation proposal consisting of 45 acres of upland enhancement adjacent to the shoreline.
 - b. Non-native invasive species must be maintained per site specific specifications and shall not exceed a maximum of 25 % aerial coverage of the mitigation site. Those species listed as Class A Weeds within the 2005 Washington State Noxious Weed List must be eradicated.
 - c. Plant success criteria
 - i. 100% survival at the end of year 1- re-plant as needed
 - ii. 80% survival at the end of year 2
 - iii. 75% survival at year 3
 - d. Supplemental watering is required for the first 3 years, until plants become established. Plantings should be weaned from the supplemental watering by year 5.



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- e. Submit annual status reports to the Department of Ecology and Kittitas County Community Development Services. Submittal to the Department of Ecology can be made to Lori White via email, lori.white@ecy.wa.gov.
- f. Annual reports will be reviewed and comments, if any, provided back Grant County PUD for a period of 3 years.
- g. After the 3rd year, the site will be evaluated for release from continued monitoring. If the site is not considered established and successful additional monitoring and adaptive management may be required.

Please note, however, that other federal, state, and local permits may be required in addition to this shoreline permit.

What Happens Next?

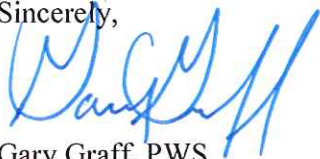
Before you begin activities authorized by this permit, the law requires you to wait at least 21 days from March 04, 2020, the "date of filing". This waiting period allows anyone (including you) who disagrees with any aspect of this permit, to appeal the decision to the state Shorelines Hearings Board. You must wait for the conclusion of an appeal before you can begin the activities authorized by this permit.

We recommend contacting the Shorelines Hearings Board at (360) 664-9160 before beginning permit activities to ensure that no appeal has been filed. Information on appeals is also posted at http://www.eluho.wa.gov/Decision/Search_Cases. Select "Shorelines Hearings Board" from the drop down menu labeled "Board" and enter "Search." The most current appeal will appear on top.

If **you** want to appeal this decision, you can find appeal instructions (Chapter 461-08 WAC) at the Shorelines Hearings Board website above. They are also posted on the website of the Washington State Legislature at: <http://apps.leg.wa.gov/wac>.

If you have any questions, please contact Lori White at (509) 575-2616.

Sincerely,



Gary Graff, PWS
Regional Section Manager
Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program

cc: Jeremy Johnston, Kittitas County
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Igor Shaporda, Grant County PUD
Scott Downes, WDFW