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**CERTIFIED MAIL**

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Mr. Ryan Frederick, Engineering Facilities  
Washington State DNR  
PO Box 47030  
Olympia WA 98504

Dear Mr. Frederick:

**RE: Coastal Zone Consistency for U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Reference  
#NWS-2007-1263-NO, Skagit Mooring Buoys, Bellingham Channel, Skagit 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 Enlund of my staff at (425) 649-7271.

Sincerely,

Geoff Tallent  
Program Manager  
Shorelands and Environmental Assistance Program

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cc: Randel Perry, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
Loree Randall, Ecology  
Penny Keys, Ecology

