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**RE: 2022 Well Decommissioning Work Plan, Boeing Portland, Troutdale Gravel Aquifer
Remedy, Gresham, Oregon ECSI No. 13**

Dear Ms. Cavanaugh and Ms. Ives:

The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has reviewed the document entitled *2022 Well Decommissioning Work Plan Boeing Portland - Troutdale Gravel Aquifer Remedy* by Landau Associates. The Work Plan is dated July 22, 2022, and was received electronically at DEQ on August 3, 2022.

DEQ approves this Work Plan for well decommissioning as presented. All six wells slated for decommissioning are completed within the upper Troutdale Gravel Aquifer and are not needed for continued monitoring or remediation work. One well will be decommissioned by overdrilling in accordance with Oregon Water Resources Department standards. The five other wells are installed inside a building and are proposed for decommissioning in-place following approval of a variance from the Oregon Water Resources Department.

The Troutdale Gravel Aquifer in the Boeing Portland remedy area is not utilized by the South Shore Columbia Wellfield, or the Cascade Wellfield.

Please keep us informed of the in-place decommissioning variance from OWRD and the work plan implementation schedule. Please feel free to call me with questions.

Sincerely,

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