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October 16, 2019

The Honorable Leanne Guier
City of Pacific
100 Third Avenue SE
Pacific, WA 98047

Re: Final Ecology Approval of City of Pacific Shoreline Master Program Periodic Review Amendment (Ordinance 2019-2002)

Dear Mayor Guier:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) is pleased to announce final approval of the City of Pacific (City) Shoreline Master Program (SMP) periodic review amendment. We recognize and appreciate the effort and involvement of your staff, Planning Commission, Council and the community to complete this periodic review process. With these amendments, Ecology finds that the City's SMP is consistent with the policy and procedural requirements of the Shoreline Management Act of 1971 (SMA) and the Shoreline Master Program Guidelines.

Ecology approves the City's SMP periodic review amendment as submitted. The enclosed Attachment A, Findings and Conclusions document provides more information about our review and decision. This is Ecology's final action and there will be no further modifications to the proposal.

The amendments adopted by this action conclude the City's periodic review under RCW 90.58.080(4). Ecology's approval affirms that the amendments are consistent with the applicable provisions of the SMA and its implementing rules, including periodic review requirements of WAC 173-26-090.

The amended SMP is effective 14 days from the date of this letter. This 14-day period was established by legislative action in 2011 and is intended to provide lead time for the City to prepare to implement the new SMP.

Ecology is required to publish a newspaper notice that the City's SMP has received final approval. The publication of this notice, in the form of a legal ad, will begin a 60-day appeal period. We will provide a copy of the legal ad to the City for its records.

Please send Ecology a final clean copy version of the complete approved SMP that includes the amendment changes.



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If you have any questions, please contact our regional planner, Michelle McConnell, at michelle.mcconnell@ecy.wa.gov or (360) 407-6349.

Sincerely,



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