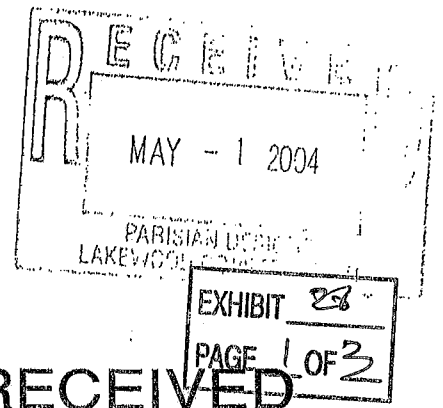




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CITY OF WOODINVILLE
PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Mr. Randolph Cherewick
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P.O. Box 12648
Mill Creek, Washington 98082

RE: Woodinville High School Annex Wetland Review Letter

Dear Mr. Cherewick,

Adolfson Associates, Inc. (Adolfson) is pleased to present the findings from our re-delineation of the Woodinville High School Annex site in Woodinville, Washington, and review of the *Wetland High School Annex Wetland Assessment Report* by Raedeke Associates, Inc (1988). Information collected from the site visits was compared to the report prepared by Raedeke Associates, and is summarized below.

Review of Materials

The *Wetland High School Annex Wetland Assessment Report* by Raedeke Associates, Inc (1988) states that three wetlands (Wetlands 1, 2, and 3) were identified on the site. Wetlands 1 and 2 are large palustrine forested wetlands located in the north (Wetland 1) and south (Wetland 2) portions of the property. Wetland 3 is a relatively small palustrine forested wetland located in the northeast portion of the property. The Raedeke report classifies these wetlands as palustrine forested wetlands.

The Raedeke report describes several well-defined streams occurring between the wetlands or connecting the wetlands on the property. Outside of the large wetlands, these streams have a narrow riparian zone parallel to the channel that supports hydrophytic plant species. These areas were designated as riparian zones in the Raedeke report.

Site Visit

At your request, Adolfson biologists re-flagged the wetlands previously delineated on-site by Raedeke in 1988. Adolfson field visits occurred on March 22, 25, and 30, 2004. Two wetlands (Wetland A and Wetland B) were delineated on the site. The areas described as riparian zones in the Raedeke report were included as portions of wetlands

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Within the limitations of schedule, budget, and scope-of-work, we warrant that this study was conducted in accordance with generally accepted environmental science practices, including the technical guidelines and criteria in effect at the time that this study was performed. The results and conclusions expressed herein represent our best professional judgment, based upon information provided by the project proponent, in addition to that obtained during the course of this survey. No other warranty, expressed or implied, is made.

Please contact Cathie Conolly or me at 206-789-9658, if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,



Elizabeth Larsen
Project Scientist