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December 31, 2014

The Honorable Michael Echanove  
City of Palouse  
PO Box 248  
Palouse, WA 99161

RE: Draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. WA0044806 – City of Palouse

Dear Mayor Echanove:

Enclosed is Ecology's draft NPDES Permit and Fact Sheet. Please review these documents to insure that you understand and agree with all conditions.

Also enclosed is a copy of the public notice of draft permit describing your wastewater treatment discharge. The Department of Ecology will publish this notice in the "Legal Classified Section" of the Whitman County Gazette on January 1, 2015. You may also find the draft permit and fact sheet on Ecology's Water Quality Permitting and Reporting Information System (PARIS) website at [https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/wqreports/public/f?p=110:302:6061397555056713::NO:RP:P302\\_PERMIT\\_NUMBER:0044806](https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/wqreports/public/f?p=110:302:6061397555056713::NO:RP:P302_PERMIT_NUMBER:0044806).

The comment period ends February 2, 2015; any comments must be received by our office no later than that date. We will review and respond to comments on your draft permit and plan to issue the final permit after all comments have been addressed.

Please contact Eleanor Key (Facility Manager) at (509) 329-3519 or by email at [ekey461@ecy.wa.gov](mailto:ekey461@ecy.wa.gov) if you have any questions or need assistance.

Sincerely,

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Water Quality Permit Coordinator

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Enclosure

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