

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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August 09, 2021

Matt Turner Energy NW Environmental (PPL) Lab PO Box 968, MD 1025 Richland, WA 99354

Dear Matt Turner:

Thank you for your application for renewal in the Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Program. Enclosed is a new Certificate of Accreditation covering the one-year period beginning August 8, 2021 and a current Scope of Accreditation.

Renewal of accreditation is based in part on review of your lab's performance over the past year as evidenced by participation in proficiency testing (PT) studies.

The following methods are denied accreditation pending acceptable PT sample results because no PT sample results were submitted for this renewal. Two acceptable PT sample results are required prior to the Labs August 2022 renewal.

EPA 524.2 in drinking water EPA 8260D in solid and chemical materials

EPA 552.2 remains denied pending acceptable PT sample results and the requested supporting documentation.

As a reminder, continued participation in the Ecology Lab Accreditation Program requires the lab to:

- Submit a renewal application and fees annually.
- Report significant changes in facility, personnel, analytical methods, equipment, the lab's quality assurance (QA) manual or QA procedures as they occur.
- Participate in proficiency testing studies semi-annually, with the following exception: For each parameter where all required PT samples were analyzed and all results were satisfactory, you are required to submit only one PT result over this next year, and in subsequent years, as long as the results are satisfactory.

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal Ecology's decision to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision letter. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal you must do the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision:

• File your appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.

• Serve a copy of your appeal and this decision on Ecology in paper form - by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

ADDRESS AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses	
Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk 300 Desmond Drive SE Lacey, WA 98503	Department of Ecology Attn: Appeals Processing Desk PO Box 47608 Olympia, WA 98504-7608	
Pollution Control Hearings Board 1111 Israel Road SW STE 301 Tumwater, WA 98501	Pollution Control Hearings Board PO Box 40903 Olympia, WA 98504-0903	

If you have any questions concerning the accreditation of your lab, please contact Kamilee Ginder by e-mail at kamilee.ginder@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Lab Accreditation Unit Supervisor

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Energy NW Environmental (PPL) Lab Richland, WA

has complied with provisions set forth in Chapter 173-50 WAC and is hereby recognized by the Department of Ecology as an ACCREDITED LABORATORY for the analytical parameters listed on the accompanying Scope of Accreditation. This certificate is effective August 8, 2021 and shall expire August 7, 2022.

Witnessed under my hand on August 9, 2021

Rebecca Wood

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Lab Accreditation Unit Supervisor

Laboratory ID **C563**

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

ENVIRONMENTAL LABORATORY ACCREDITATION PROGRAM

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION

Energy NW Environmental (PPL) Lab

Richland, WA

is accredited for the analytes listed below using the methods indicated. Full accreditation is granted unless stated otherwise in a note. EPA is the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. SM is "Standard Methods for the Examination of Water and Wastewater." SM refers to EPA approved method versions. ASTM is the American Society for Testing and Materials. USGS is the U.S. Geological Survey. AOAC is the Association of Official Analytical Chemists. Other references are described in notes.

Matrix/Analyte	Method	Notes
Drinking Water		
Chlorine (Residual), Total	SM 4500-CI G-2011	
Total coli/E.coli - detect	SM 9223 B Colilert® 24 (PA)	
Non-Potable Water		
Chlorine (Residual), Total	SM 4500-CI G-2011	
pH	SM 4500-H+ B-2011	
Accredited Parameter Note Detail		
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Authentication Signature	Date	

Rebecca Wood, Lab Accreditation Unit Supervisor

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