

**From:** [BrownScott, Jennifer](#)  
**To:** [Darlene Schanfeld](#)  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Request for DNR lease information  
**Date:** Monday, August 2, 2021 11:53:52 AM

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In response to your request:

It appears that a DNR commercial aquaculture lease has been offered to Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe for the lease area in Dungeness Harbor (within Dungeness NWR boundaries). I have provided the email chain below, so that I do not miscommunicate the current status. We had not yet provided the conservation measure recommendations that are mentioned in the email chain below.

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From: Carlson, Sean (DNR) <Sean.Carlson@dnr.wa.gov>  
Sent: Fri 7/30/2021 1:03 PM

Hello Jennifer,

As you'll recall from our discussion on June 2, DNR planned to review the conditions of the Corps permit and monitoring plans for consistency with DNR's habitat stewardship recommendations. We completed that review, and it resulted in adding three additional stewardship measures that will require the Tribe to furnish the same reports, data, and/or surveys to DNR that it will be submitting to the regulatory agencies. DNR is satisfied that there is consistency between the permits, monitoring plans, and stewardship measures.

We appreciate the dialogue with refuge staff over the last six years. These conversations contributed to DNR fulfilling its statutory responsibilities under [DNR%20is%20committed%20to%20fulfilling%20the%20statutory%20responsibilities%20of%20RCW%2079.105.030%20by%20providing%20a%20balance%20of%20public%20benefits%20on%20all%20state-owned%20aquatic%20land.]RCW 79.105.030 which provide a balance of public benefits on state-owned aquatic land. Furthermore, these conversations contributed to protecting the resources of Dungeness Bay and the surrounding USFWS refuge.

Following the review of the permit and monitoring plans, DNR completed its internal pre-approval process and has offered a lease to the Tribe.

I will be on vacation next week, but you may contact Dennis Clark (cc'd) if you have any questions.

Sean Carlson

Washington State Department of Natural Resources (DNR)

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From: BrownScott, Jennifer <jennifer\_brownScott@fws.gov>  
Sent: Thursday, July 15, 2021 8:09 AM  
To: Carlson, Sean (DNR) <Sean.Carlson@dnr.wa.gov>  
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] Lease 20-B13012 Exhibit B - courtesy draft

We are reviewing draft exhibit B and anticipate providing recommendations to ensure the proposed activity is consistent with the defined purposes of the Dungeness National Wildlife Refuge.

-jennifer

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Lease 20-B13012 Exhibit B - courtesy draft

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Hello Jennifer,  
Thank you for the call this morning. As discussed, attached is a courtesy draft copy of the habitat stewardship measures for the prospective Lease No. 20-B13012 with the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe.

Please let us know if you have any questions or comments.

Sean Carlson

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Jennifer:  
If you have any information regarding DNR lease for the JKT industrial oyster farm, kindly send it to me.

Thanks,

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