

# STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

#### NORTHWEST DRINKING WATER REGIONAL OPERATIONS

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May 1, 2023

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RE: Cross Valley Water District, ID# 16270

**Snohomish County** 

WATER SYSTEM PLAN - APPROVAL

Submittal #22-0305

Dear Mike Johnson:

The Cross Valley Water District (the District) Water System Plan (WSP), originally received on March 29, 2022, and resubmitted on March 15, 2023, has been reviewed, and in accordance with the provisions of WAC 246-290-100, is **APPROVED**.

Approval of the plan is valid as it relates to current standards outlined in Chapter 246-290 WAC, revised January 2022, Chapter 246-293 WAC, revised September 1997, Chapter 70.116 RCW, and is subject to the qualifications herein.

#### APPROVED NUMBER OF CONNECTIONS

The analysis provided in the WSP supports that the water systems can support an "unspecified" designation for their approved number of connections. A specific number of approved connections will not be applied at this time. Development may occur in compliance with the schedule and information provided in this WSP. This designation may be rescinded (and replaced with a specified number of approved connections) if ODW determines that the WSP is no longer representative of system activities.

An approved update of this plan is required on or before May 1, 2033, unless ODW requests an update or plan amendment pursuant to WAC 246-290-100(9).

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT CONSISTENCY

This document meets local government consistency requirements for WSP approval pursuant to RCW 90.03.386 and RCW 43.20.

## SERVICE AREA AND DUTY TO SERVE

Pursuant to RCW 90.03.386(2), the service areas identified in this WSP service area map may now represent an expanded "place of use" for this system's water rights. Changes in service area should be made through a WSP amendment.

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The District has a duty to provide new water service within its identified retail service areas. This WSP includes service policies to describe how your system plans to provide new service within your retail service area.

## **CONSTRUCTION WAIVERS**

Standard Construction Specifications were approved. Consistent with WAC 246-290-125 (2), the water system may proceed with the installation of distribution main extensions *provided the* water system completes and keeps on file, the enclosed construction completion report form in accordance with WAC 246-290-125 (2) and WAC 246-290-120 (5) and makes them available for review upon request by the department.

#### WATER RESOURCES

Below is the general regulatory language that applies to all water system approvals:

The department's review of your water system plan will not confer or guarantee any right to a specific quantity of water. The approved number of service connections is based on your representation of available water quantity. If the Washington Department of Ecology, a local planning agency, or other authority responsible for determining water rights and water system adequacy determines that you have use of less water than you represented, the number of approved connections may be reduced commensurate with the actual amount of water and your legal right to use it.

Thank you for your cooperation. Snohomish County is being notified of the terms and requirements of this approval and the determination of the approved number of connections. If you have any questions or wish to check our records, you may contact either of us at the numbers listed below.

Sincerely,

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