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June 11, 1992

Mr. Dennis O'Neil Metro 2000 S.W. 1st Ave. Portland, OR 97201-5398

RG, SMITH & BYBEE LAKE OUTFALL CONTROL STRUCTURE JOBSITE ACCESS PROJECT 21289-901/EAN 92S012

Following our discussions of June 5, this is to request written permission to construct a permanent access ramp to the Smith & Bybee Lake outfall control structure from the St. Johns Landfill perimeter road.

To recap, in accordance with the Port's cooperative agreement, we are in the process of designing improvements to the existing Smith & Bybee Lake outfall control structure.

Current vehicle access to the site is 2 miles of unimproved road coming in from N. Marine Drive (marked on the attached vicinity map). This road is only passable during the dry season and would require improvements to be able to bring construction equipment for the outfall project. The improvements would be only short term, for the construction only, and would essentially be a throwaway cost. Improvements would also provide undesirable 4-wheeler access to the site that would be difficult to control.

It is our proposal to abandon the existing access road and to construct an access ramp from the St. Johns Landfill perimeter road in accordance with the attached sketch 2. This access ramp would accomplish three things. First, it would allow a much more convenient access for construction equipment. Second, vehicle access to the site could be controlled through the landfill entrance. Third, it would provide convenient access for future maintenance by Metro.

According to the survey information I have, all construction would take place above 14 ft. elevation.



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Therefore it would not involve working below the restricted elevation.

If the landfill access is approved, we would look to have it in place by August 20.

It is the intent of this request only to obtain permission to construct the access from the landfill in order to proceed with our permit applications. The source of funding and who is to prosecute the work is beyond the scope of this request and will be the subject of future discussions.

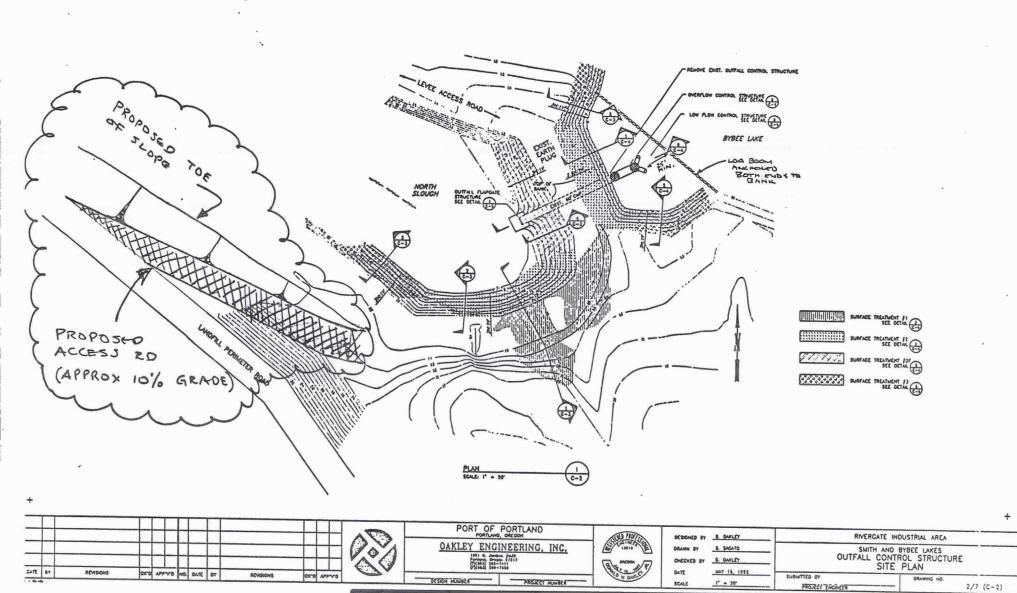
Your timely response would be appreciated. Should you have any questions, please call (telephone 731-7312).

Stan Snyder

Project Engineer

Attachments

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June 16, 1992

Mr. Stan Snyder Project Engineer Port of Portland P. O. Box 3529 Portland, OR 97208

Dear Mr. Snyder:

I am responding to your June 11, 1992 letter in which you requested Metro's permission to construct a permanent access ramp to the lake's outfall control structure from the St. Johns Landfill perimeter road.

Metro is willing to grant this permission subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The Port shall obtain all required permits, including City of Portland Land Use Authorization, prior to commencing construction.
- 2. The Port shall execute a "right of entry" agreement containing language satisfactory to Metro prior to commencing construction.
- 3. The Port shall notify Sam Chandler, Facilities Manager, no later than 48 hours before mobilizing equipment on the landfill.

Please contact me if you have questions and/or wish to proceed with the project.

Sincerely,

Dennis O'Neil, Project Manager

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Sam Chandler, Facilities Manager Jim Morgan, Senior Regional Planner

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