



**Dungeness River Management Team**  
***Cooperative Management of Our Watershed's Resources***  
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Mary Verner, Water Resources Program Director  
Washington Department of Ecology  
300 Desmond Drive SE  
Lacey, WA 98503

**RE: Support for Dungeness Off-Channel Reservoir Project, Streamflow Restoration Grant, FY 2019**

Dear Ms. Verner:

The Dungeness River Management Team (DRMT) reaffirmed its strong support for the Dungeness Off-Channel Reservoir Project at its October monthly meeting with a detailed *Resolution in Support of the Dungeness Flow Restoration and Aquifer Recharge Off-Channel Reservoir* **(please see attached)**.

The DRMT, the long-standing (30-year!) watershed council for the Dungeness Watershed, has a strong history of supporting and coordinating water conservation efforts in the watershed, as documented in *History of DRMT support of streamflow enhancement, storage, and aquifer recharge* **(please see attached)**.

These attached documents reflect our ongoing commitment to better water resource management for all, and especially now, at a time when decreasing snowpack storage and critical low flows in the Dungeness and other Washington watersheds are reoccurring themes.

We appreciate your serious consideration of funding this important project to benefit fish, farms and people.

Sincerely,

Hansi Hals, Chair, DRMT  
On behalf of the DRMT

**Attachments:**

- (1) *Resolution in Support of the Dungeness Flow Restoration and Aquifer Recharge Off-Channel Reservoir*
- (2) *History of DRMT support of streamflow enhancement, storage, and aquifer recharge*