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Via US Mail and e-mail: dmoo461@ecy.wa.gov

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Subject: Request for Extension of Comment Period for Draft DO TMDL

Dear Dave,

The Spokane River Stewardship Partners (SRSP) are writing this letter to request a 15 day extension to the comment period associated with the Spokane River and Lake Spokane Dissolved Oxygen Total Maximum Daily Load, Draft Water Quality Improvement Report that was issued on September 15, 2009. The SRSP would appreciate knowing as soon as possible if the comment period will be extended.

The SRSP appreciate the continued opportunity to collaborate with you on the development of the Spokane River DO TMDL. If you have questions please feel free to contact Sarah Hubbard-Gray at GeoEngineers (541-389-1926 or shubbardgray@geoengineers.com) and she will coordinate with our group and get back to you.

Sincerely,



Executive Committee Members
Spokane River Stewardship Partners

Signed by Sarah Hubbard-Gray, GeoEngineers Facilitator for Spokane River Stewardship Partners, on behalf of the Executive Committee members, which include:

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