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Mark J. Johnson, Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW  
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RE: Commission Staff's Letter Confirming Compliance  
D-180473 – Wallin Excavating, LLC. – UBI: 603 507 602 – Investigation # 7738

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Commission staff has reviewed the compliance order for Wallin Excavating, LLC (Wallin Excavating), dated June 13, 2018. Compliance with the order required the following items be met:

- \$1,000 penalty for one violation of RCW 19.122.030(2);
- \$5,000 penalty for one violation of RCW 9.122.030(2);
- \$5,000 penalty for one violation of RCW 19.122.030(2); and
- The opportunity to suspend \$10,000 of the penalty if the owner and field supervisors of Wallin Excavating complete National Utility Contractor Association (NUCA) Dig Safe Training within four months of the issuance of a penalty assessment by the Commission, and the Company incurs no additional dig law violations within 12 months.

On June 28, 2018, Wallin Excavating notified the Commission of its acceptance of the Commission's offer to suspend \$10,000 of the penalty amount, and made a payment of \$1,000 on July 2, 2018. Employees from Wallin Excavating attended NUCA Dig Safe training on Oct. 12, 2018.

The docket will remain open and staff will continue to monitor Wallin Excavating as part of the order until the remaining compliance items are met:

- Wallin Excavating incurs no additional dig law violations before June 13, 2018.

Sincerely,

Sean C. Mayo  
Pipeline Safety Director

cc: UTC Records