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October 7, 2020

The Honorable Thomas D. Wooten Tribal Chairman Samish Indian Nation PO Box 217 Anacortes, WA 98221-0217

Dear Chairman Wooten:

Subject: 2021 Indian Housing Plan

This letter confirms that the Northwest Office of Native American Programs (NwONAP) received your Indian Housing Plan on October 7, 2020 on-line via the Energy and Performance Information Center (EPIC) and has begun reviewing the plan for compliance.

Please note that during our plan review, additional information may be requested in accordance with the requirements of Section 102 of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act (NAHASDA) and the NAHASDA final rule, 24 CFR Part 1000.

To assist with the utilization of the EPIC system, NwONAP will be posting this year's EPIC/IHP Refresher Training on our Codetalk website. If you have any questions, or if NwONAP can be of assistance, please contact Katie Wilson, Grants Management Specialist, at (206) 220-6219, or by email at Katherine.T.Wilson@hud.gov; or Andrea Sexton, Grants Evaluation Specialist, at (206) 220-6165, or by email at Andrea.R.Sexton@hud.gov.

Sincerely,

David P. Boyd

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