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Hon. Thomas S. Zilly
Senior Judge
United States District Court
Western District of Washington
United States Courthouse
700 Stewart Street, Suite 15229
Seattle, WA 98101
Attn: Kathryn Kim

Re: April & May 2022 Claim, Water Master, *United States & Lummi Indian Nation v. Department of Ecology*, No. C01-0047Z

Dear Judge Zilly:

The following is my statement for services rendered and reasonable costs incurred during April and May 2022, pursuant to my appointment as Water Master for the *Lummi Decree*.

Date	Description	Expenses	Fee
April 25	Website administration; review of Eligible Landowner fee payments & nonpayments (Court Clerk & DOE); letters to persons not paying fees Total 1.5 hour @ \$200 per hour Postage	 3.36	 \$300.00
May 30 & 31	Review of Water Master Account transactions; draft budget for 2022-23; prepare annual budget proposal to Washington AG and counsel for Lummi Nation		

	Total 2.0 hour @ \$200 per hour		\$400
	Subtotal	\$3.36	\$700.00
	TOTAL CLAIM		\$703.36

Note: The Water Master maintains detailed records of time and expenses incurred on individual proceedings and collection activities.

This claim will be published to the Water Master's website and sent by e-mail to the principal parties.

Please contact me if you have any questions about this claim.

Sincerely,

/s/John E. Thorson

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