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**Subject: City of Gervais
Molalla-Pudding Basin TMDL Plan
2014 - 2015 Annual Report**

This letter report is provided on behalf of the City of Gervais to report on the City's TMDL related activities as described in their TMDL Implementation Plan for the time period of June 2014 to December 2015. Management strategies and the related activities are identified below:

Management Strategy	Description of Activity
Require stormwater detention and water quality measures with development	There was no new development within the City during the reporting period that these measures applied to. Existing detention ponds are being maintained by the Public Works Department.
Ongoing assessment of management strategies	The City is in the process of the 5 th year review and update to their TMDL Implementation Plan. Revised management strategies have been submitted to DEQ for review.
Require erosion control for construction sites	Erosion control measures were implemented for the construction of the Ivy Ave./UPRR Crossing and Sidewalk Project, in accordance with an approved erosion control plan.
Actively maintain Sam Brown Creek	The Creek was cleaned of trash at the Hwy 99W culvert by Public Works staff. Public Works staff performs regular cleanup and weed control work along Sam Brown Creek.
Receive and respond to complaints regarding water quality problems (erosion; illicit discharge)	There have been no complaints with respect to erosion or illicit discharges.



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Maintain maps of City stormwater and sanitary sewer systems	CADD maps of all the City's utility systems are maintained. Updates of the mapping is scheduled for this year.
Enhance riparian vegetation along Sam Brown Creek	As a "Tree City, USA", Gervais plants new trees within the City annually. As has been done the last several years, the City planted 5 willow trees along Sam Brown Creek. Unfortunately, the trees were vandalized and none survived.
Enforcement of no pets in City parks	This continues to be the City's policy, with signage at all parks indicating this rule.
Hold annual public cleanup day; continue ongoing cleanup by Public Works	The annual City cleanup day was held on April 25, 2015. Street sweeping occurs on the first Tuesday of each month.

An additional activity performed this past year was the 2015 Drainage Project which resulted in improvements to and cleaning of the storm drainage system in a large portion of the City. New manholes and catch basins were installed to allow better maintenance. Numerous pipes were cleaned as part of the project. All sediment laden water from cleaning operations was removed by vacuum trucks and discharged to desilting areas.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this report, please give either Susie Marston or myself a call.

Sincerely,
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