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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

Name of Proposal: DNS 14-005: YAKIMA HWY 10 ACCESS

Description of Proposal:

The project will include grading a gravel parking lot and adding an apron to connect with the road. A pad will be placed for ADA compliance parking and as a pad for a port-a-potty. A ramp and turn around areas will be created out of articulated concrete blocks. A guard rail is also proposed for safety. There will be 8 car parking spots and 4 for trailers.

Approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ acres will be cleared of vegetation to allow for the amenities proposed. Filling and grading will account for approximately 200 cubic yards of gravel borrow, 375 cubic yards of crushed rock, 950 square feet of asphalt for the road apron and approach, 300 yards of excavation for the launch, 30 cubic yards of rip rap for stabilization, and 2,200 square feet of cabled concrete blocks for the ramp. Gravel will be used to create a driving surface and parking area. The asphalt apron allows for an easy transition between the highway and the parking area.

Proponent/Applicant: Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)
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Location of Proposal, including street, if any: WDFW Hwy 10 Access Site, Kittitas County, Washington: Township 18N, Range 17E, Section 12.

Lead Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

WDFW has determined that this proposal will likely not have a significant adverse impact on the environment. Therefore, state law¹ does not require an environmental impact statement (EIS). WDFW made this determination of nonsignificance (DNS) after we reviewed the environmental checklist and other information on file with us.

We issued this DNS according to state rules.² We will **not act on this proposal for 14 days** from the date we issued the DNS. Agencies, affected tribes, and members of the public are invited to comment on this proposal or DNS. We must receive your comments within 14 days of the date of this letter. The comment period will end at **5:00 pm on February 6, 2014.**

Method of Comment:

The following procedures shall govern the method to comment on agency SEPA proposals. Comments received through these procedures are part of the official SEPA record for this proposal.

You can submit your comments any one of the following ways:

- Email to SEPAde@dfw.wa.gov
- Online at the WDFW SEPA website comment link at: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/>
- Fax to (360) 902-2946;
- Mail to the address below.

Responsible Official: Lisa Wood

Position/Title: SEPA/NEPA Coordinator, WDFW Regulatory Services Section

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After the comment period closes, applicants may view the updated status of this proposal on the WDFW SEPA website: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/>. Once the status is posted as final, applicants and permittees may take action on the proposal. When a proposal is modified or withdrawn, notice will be given in accordance with state law.¹

If you have questions about this DNS or the details of the proposal, contact Lisa Wood at the address, e-mail, or fax number above; you can also call her at (360) 902-2260.

DATE OF ISSUE: January 22, 2014

SIGNATURE: _____

Lisa Wood

Footnotes

1. RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c)
2. WAC 197-11-340(2).

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