## KITTITAS COUNTY

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"Building Partnerships - Building Communities"

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USFS: OWNF -Naches Ranger Disrtict

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RE: Request for Shoreline Permit Exemptions for the Little Naches River Restoration Project.

To Whom it may concern:

Thank you for the opportunity to assist in this matter.

I am in receipt of your request for a Shoreline Exemption for your Fish Habitat Enhancement Project. I have reviewed the documentation submitted with your letter, and have made the following determinations:

## **Shoreline Exemption**

KCC 17B.07.030(2)(q)(iv)(d) states, "The County may not require permits or charge fees for fish habitat enhancement projects that meet the criteria of p.iv(a) of this subsection and that are reviewed and approved according to the provisions of this Section." CDS finds your project consistent with this exemption.

KCC 17B.07.030(4)(b) requires that any person claiming an exemption from a shoreline substantial development permit shall submit an application in manner prescribed by the Shoreline Administrator. Thank you for submission of the Shoreline Exemption application SX-22-00004 USFS Little Naches River FHEP on February 7, 2022. The application has been reviewed and an Exemption has been issued along with this letter.

Please let me know if you have questions or require any additional information.

Sincerely,

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