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Subject: Re: RU-25-00003 Sage - Notice of Application

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Hi Ellie,

This review is in response to the RU-25-00003 Sage notice of application.

Please be advised that the proposed project lies within the traditional territory of the šnǰ əšqwáw səxw (people in between) or Wenatchi, one of the twelve tribes which make up the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation (CTCR), which is governed by the Colville Business Council (CBC). The CBC has delegated to the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) the responsibility of representing the CTCR with regard to cultural resources management issues throughout the traditional territories of all of the constituent tribes under Resolution 1996-29. This area includes parts of eastern Washington, northeastern Oregon, the Palus territory in Idaho, and south-central British Columbia.

Based on our review of the proposal against State and Tribal sensitivity maps documenting the known occurrences of pre-contact ethnographic, historic, and/or religious sites, we have no immediate concerns with the project's potential impacts on cultural resources. We generally recommend that the proponent develop an Inadvertent Discovery Plan (IDP) before project work as it can prevent legal and technical issues for them in the event they do they discover cultural material in the course of project work. However, given the area, the relatively small size of the proposed cabin, and the lack of ground disturbance, we find that other, more intensive cultural resource survey efforts are not necessary.

Thank you for submitting this project for review with the CTCR. Our comments are based on information as it is currently presented, and we do reserve the right to revise them if additional information becomes available and warrants such a change. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to me at this email or the numbers listed below.

My best,

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On Thu, Dec 11, 2025 at 8:29 AM Ellie Myers <ellie.myers@co.kittitas.wa.us> wrote:

Good Morning,

CDS is requesting comment on the following Reasonable Use Application: RU-25-00003 Sage. Links to the file materials can be found below. The comment period will end **December 29, 2025, at 5pm**. CDS will assume your agency does not wish to provide comment if not received by this date. Please let me know if you have any issues accessing the materials.

Internal Link: RU-25-00003 Sage

External Link: [RU-25-00003 Sage](#)

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<https://www.co.kittitas.wa.us/cds/land-use/default.aspx> and navigate to “Reasonable Use” and then the project file number “RU-25-00003 Sage”.

Best,



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