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Hi Ellie,

This review is in response to PSA-25-00189 - Shoreline Review for a proposed project involving the repair and remodel of a cabin on an existing footprint.

Please be advised that the project area falls within the traditional territory of the Wenatchi, 1 of the 12 constituent tribes of the Colville Confederated Tribes.

The project area also falls within an area determined to be at very high risk for the presence of cultural resources per Washington State's predictive model as established by DAHP.

Given that the project involves ground disturbing activities including the installation of both a well and septic tank, the CCT recommends that the proponent have a cultural resource monitor during all ground disturbing activities, and that an Inadvertent Discovery Plan (IDP) be prepared and on hand during the course of the project.

Thank you for reviewing with the Colville Confederated Tribes. Please note that these comments are based on information available to us at the time of the project review, and that we reserve the right to revise our comments as information becomes available. Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or concerns.

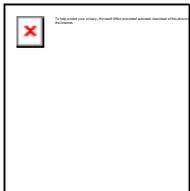
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On Thu, Jun 5, 2025 at 11:32 AM Ellie Myers <ellie.myers@co.kittitas.wa.us> wrote:

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To All:

You are receiving this request for shoreline review with an associated 15-day comment period because this application PSA-25-00189 is proposing a project (replace existing cabin within building footprint) within shoreline jurisdiction that is not exempt from cultural resources review pursuant to Kittitas County SMP 5.1(B)(1)(a). In accordance with the settlement agreement between the Yakama Nation and Kittitas County, Kittitas County Resolution No. 2018-195 and the Department of Ecology Final Approval (letter dated 1/14/19, effective 1/28/19) of the County's amended Shoreline Master Program, Kittitas County is hereby requesting comments regarding the proposed project.

This request is based off of the following amendment to Kittitas County SMP 5.1(B) as shown below:

B. Regulations

1. *Project Approval Requirements.* Prior to issuing a permit, exemption, or other approval for a proposed project in a shoreline area, the County shall determine whether or not a cultural resources review or archaeological survey shall be required under this Section 5.1(B)(1).

a. *Exceptions.* No cultural resources review or survey shall be required under this Section 5.1(B)(1) where the project applicant can demonstrate one or more of the following conditions is met:

i. The project or use does not include any ground disturbance. Projects that require the insertion of structural elements, but which do not require any excavation and create no spoil piles, shall be considered non-ground-disturbing for purposes of this Section (e.g. driving T-posts, planting tree seedlings with a hoedad).

ii. The project is limited to the installation of infrastructure entirely within the same area as an existing project or development.

iii. The project's entire three-dimensional area of proposed ground-disturbance is located within previous fill or previously disturbed earth.

iv. A professional archaeologist has surveyed the entire project area within the last ten (10) years, and the survey report(s) show that no cultural, archaeological, or historic resources were found.

b. *Cultural Resources Review.* The County shall provide electronic notice and a fifteen (15) day comment opportunity to DAHP and affected Native American tribes for all proposed projects in shoreline areas which are not excluded under Section 5.1(B)(1)(a) above.

i. When applicable, the above notification requirement will be included in the Preliminary Site Analysis process.

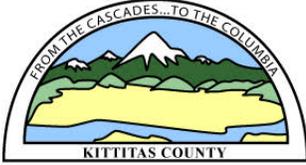
ii. Where the proposed project is already subject to a comment period through shoreline permitting and/or SEPA review, this comment period shall be run concurrently.

iii. For shoreline projects that fall under a shoreline exemption permit and have no notification requirement, if not already completed through the Preliminary Site Analysis process, the above notification and cultural resources review requirements will occur prior to the issuance of an exemption permit.

Kittitas County will not act on the attached request until the end of the 15-day comment window. Please respond to this email with any comments regarding this proposal no later than end of business day **June 23rd, 2025**.

Please contact me should you have any questions.

Best,



Ellie Myers

(she/her/hers)

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