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SEPA ACTION DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

File: Kittitas County Flood Control Zone District SEPA Checklist (SE-22-00053)

Description: The applicant, Kittitas County Flood Control Zone District, is proposing to restore the function of an existing ditch that conveys snowmelt and stormwater runoff. The project elements consist of reditching the existing structure running east to west and making additional improvements to the slopes on either side of the easement and the toe of the Palouse to Cascades Trail revetment. The projects total area is approximately 200,000 square feet, or 4.59 acres. The work will include reditching for approximately 2,200 linear ft. at a depth of 2 ft. and width of 95 ft. The adjacent easement (south) and the Palouse to Cascades Trail revetment toe (north) will be brought to grade that supports ditch structure and efficiency with slopes of 3H:1V and 2H:1V.

Proponent: Kittitas County Flood Control Zone District
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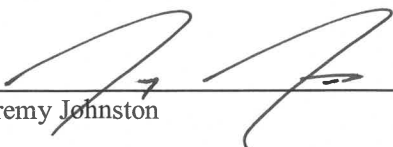
Location: The project is located approximately 10 miles west of the City of Cle Elum, Washington in Section 19 of Township 20 N, Range 14 East in Kittitas County between BNSF Railway parcel ID 848736 on the North and private properties referred to as the Old Cedars Development on the South. The approximate latitude/longitude of the beginning and of the project are -121.144, 47.218 (start) and -121.135, 47.217 (end).

Lead Agency: Kittitas County Community Development Services

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request, or can be viewed at the Kittitas County Community Development Services website at: <http://www.co.kittitas.wa.us/cds/land-use/default.aspx> under "Miscellaneous SEPA Applications" and project file number "SE-22-00053 KC Flood Control Zone District".

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-355; the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 10 working days. Any action to set aside, enjoin, review, or otherwise challenge this administrative SEPA action on the grounds of noncompliance with the provisions of Chapter 43.21 RCW, shall be commenced on or before **July 28, 2022 at 5 p.m.** to Kittitas County Community Development Services, 411 N Ruby ST, Suite 2 Ellensburg, WA 98926.

**Responsible
Official:**


Jeremy Johnston

Title: Kittitas County Planning Official

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Date: July 14, 2022

Pursuant to Chapter 15A.07.010 KCC, this DNS may be appealed by submitting specific factual objections in writing with a fee of \$1550.00 to Kittitas County Community Development Services, 411 N Ruby ST, Suite 2 Ellensburg, WA 98926. Timely appeals must be received no later than 5:00pm, July 28, 2022. Aggrieved parties are encouraged to contact CDS at (509) 962-7506 for more information on appeal process.