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Chace:

The Department of Health (DOH) Office of Drinking Water (ODW) has reviewed the submittal and has the following comments:

- In the SEPA checklist for Item 16 (Utilities), the applicant indicates "extension of electricity, private wells" this application for a total of 11 building lots meets the definition of a "project", and all groundwater use needs to be evaluated as a total. The applicant cannot provide 11 exempt wells. The applicant should contact Ecology for further guidance.
- The applicant should also contact Kittitas County regarding any site-specific groundwater extraction requirements.
- If the applicant chooses to serve the 11 lots as a water system, then this would appear to meet the definition of a Group A water system (11 homes with 2.5 persons per home > 25 persons); however, DOH needs the duration of occupancy to confirm. If the duration of occupancy does not meet the Group A definition, then the water system would be a Group B exclusively under the regulatory authority of Kittitas County Health.
- Whether Group A or Group B, the applicant would need to submit a water system application to the respective regulatory agency.

If anyone has any questions or concerns, please contact DOH, thanks,

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CDS is requesting comments on the following SEPA application: **SE-23-00009 Nelson View**. Links to the file materials can be found below. Kittitas County anticipates issuing a DNS for this project application and is using the optional SEPA process. This may be the only opportunity to comment on the ecological impacts of this project.

The comment period will end **Monday, May 8, 2023 at 5pm**. CDS will assume your agency does not wish to provide comment if not received by this date. Please contact me directly with any questions or issues accessing the materials.

Public Access: <u>SE-23-00009 Nelson View</u>

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Thank you,

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