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## ADDENDUM 22-026 TO DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS) 08-072 DATED: SEPTEMBER 25, 2008

Name of Proposal: DNS 08-072: ROUTINE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS AT

WDFW FINFISH HATCHERIES AND REARING PONDS

## **Description of Addendum 22-026:**

The original project and other elements of the proposed work have been modified as indicated below in <u>underlined red font</u>.

Additional locations and activities have been added to the original proposal, see attached table. These activities include temporary resistance board weirs operated in four additional watersheds. The operation of temporary resistance board weirs plays a critical role in limiting the number of hatchery origin salmonids on the spawning grounds for the benefit of ESA listed stocks.

No changes to the existing checklist were made because the scope of work and operation of these types of projects has not changed.

## **Description of Original Proposal:**

Facilities will be operated and maintained under the following general patterns of activity: (See checklist for details on each maintenance action)

- Sediment removal
- Debris removal or relocation (large and small woody material, organic, and inorganic debris)
- Temporary fish trapping, rack installation, and removal
- Instream adult holding and/or trapping pond maintenance
- Vegetation management

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**Location of Proposal, including street, if any:** All WDFW-operated finfish hatcheries statewide. Specific locations are listed in "Location attachment" document for DNS 08-072.

Additional locations to be added are: Changes at existing locations:

Grays River Weir: Wahkiakum County

Beaver Creek Intake Weir: Wahkiakum County

Washougal Weir: Clark CountyRisk Rd Weir: Wahkiakum CountyCoweman Weir: Cowlitz CountyModrow Weir: Cowlitz County

Cedar Creek Weir: Clark County

North Toutle Hatchery: Cowlitz County

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

This addendum is being distributed pursuant to WACs 197-11-600 and 197-11-625. The updated information provided above does not substantially change the analysis of significant impacts in the existing environmental checklist. Based on the original DNS and the updated information provided in this addendum, we have determined that a new threshold determination is not warranted. There is no comment period associated with this SEPA addendum.

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If you have questions about this DNS or the details of the proposal, contact Lisa Wood at <a href="mailto:SEPADesk2@dfw.wa.gov">SEPADesk2@dfw.wa.gov</a>.

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