



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

CR-101 (June 2004)
(Implements RCW 34.05.310)
Do **NOT** use for expedited rule making

Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

Subject of possible rule making: Updates to rules regarding hunters and fishers with disabilities.

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 77.04.012, 77.04.013, 77.04.055, 77.12.047, 77.32.237, 77.32.238, and 77.32.400.

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: Changes to rules related to hunters and fishers with disabilities are needed to streamline rules and make the rules more uniform, and to ensure compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: WDFW works with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Department of Interior (Civil Rights Division), and the Department of Justice on ADA compliance. WDFW will share draft language and coordinate with those agencies as needed through WDFW's ADA Program Access Manager.

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- Negotiated rule making
- Pilot rule making
- Agency study
- Other (describe)

How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

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Contact by January 29, 2014. Expected proposal filing on or after February 5, 2014.

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