



**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT  
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE  
FINAL DETERMINATION OF  
NON-SIGNIFICANCE**  
July 5, 2000

State of Washington  
**DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

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**DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

**Name of Proposal:** ELSTON - GRASS CARP - ELSTON'S POND

**Description of Proposal:** Plant triploid (sterile) grass carp into Elston's Pond, with no public access, to control aquatic vegetation. Future restocking may be necessary due to fish loss.

**Proponent:** Mark Bradley Elston, P.O. Box 2217, Battleground, Washington 98604

**Location of Proposal, including street, if any:** 14506 Northeast 365<sup>th</sup> Street, LaCenter, Washington, Clark County; Southeast 1/4 of Section 26, Township 05 North, Range 02 East WM

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does 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 the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date of issue below. Comments must be submitted by: **July 4, 2000**

**Responsible Official:** Peter Birch

**Position/Title:** Environmental Services Division Manager

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**DATE OF ISSUE:** June 20, 2000 **SIGNATURE:**  for Peter Birch