



**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
FINAL DETERMINATION OF
NON-SIGNIFICANCE
May 1, 2003**

**STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Name of Proposal: HETLAND – GRASS CARP – UNNAMED POND

Description of Proposal: Plant triploid (sterile) grass carp into an unnamed pond, with no public access, to control aquatic vegetation. Future restocking may be necessary due to fish loss.

The proponent may need to incorporate the following mitigation measures into the project:

1. Inlets and/or outlets may need to be fully screened prior to planting grass carp to prevent fish from emigrating out of the pond. Please check with the regional habitat biologist in your area to verify if additional screening may be needed.

Proponent: Larry Hetland, P.O. Box 627, Lakebay, Washington 98349.

Location of Proposal, including street, if any: 21402 South Herron Road, Lakebay, Washington, Pierce County; Northeast 1/4 of Section 05, Township 20 North, Range 01 West 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: **April 29, 2003**

Responsible Official: Cynthia R. Pratt

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e-mail: habitatSEPA@dfw.wa.gov if you have questions or comments about this determination.

DATE OF ISSUE: April 15, 2003 **SIGNATURE:** _____

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