



**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
FINAL DETERMINATION OF
NON-SIGNIFICANCE
March 22, 2005**

State of Washington
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Name of Proposal: MITCH PERRY BERRY FARM AND STREAM RELOCATION

Description of Proposal: This project is to clear a 5-acre wooded lot to develop a small berry farm, with a pond, irrigation system and berry packing building. The site would be cleared and graded. A small building will be constructed to serve as a berry packing shed and to provide equipment storage. An existing pond will be enlarged to collect water from Center Creek, as well as deliver irrigation water and irrigation return flows. The stream will be relocated from its diagonal path across the property to a path along the north property line.

Proponent: Mitch Perry, Landowner, 1710 W. University Way, Ellensburg, Washington 98926

Location of Proposal, including street, if any: Corner of Hanson and Cove Road, Ellensburg, Washington, Kittitas County; 1/4 of Section 01, Township 17 North, Range 17 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: **March 21, 2004**

Responsible Official: Teresa A. Eturaspe

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DATE OF ISSUE: March 7, 2005 **SIGNATURE:**