

COMMENT RECEIVED ON 12-005 MDNS Waterwheel Creek Restoration and Reply

From: [phillipstd](#)

Sent: Wednesday, February 15, 2012 2:34 PM

To: SEPADesk2 (DFW)

Subject: Re: #12-005 MDNS Waterwheel Creek Restoration

Cherry Valley

The work purposed at cherry valley to improve fish habitat and salmon mortality will directly impact waterfowl habitat. Basically, trading one for the other, this land was donated for waterfowl habitat and dog training. Sounds like another gross misuse of funds, we just got done destroying the waterfowl habitat at nisqually to improve the fisheries for the nisqually tribe. Please do not approve this work, let this small piece of land stay a prime spot for waterfowl and dog training, like it was intended for by the man who donated it.

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Reply to Philipps Feb 17, 2012

Thank you for your rapid reply to the Waterwheel Creek MDNS. Attached are copies of our Wildlife Area Management Plan and 2010 Update. With the stream restoration project, the land use does not change and dog trials, pheasant hunting and waterfowl recreation will continue to be major activities on the Wildlife Area.

We will post all comments we receive on the WDFW SEPA web page along with a response from project proponents. Thank you for commenting.

Sincerely,

Bob

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