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HABITAT PROGRAM

Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife
600 Capitol Way North
Olympia, WA 98501-1091

Attention: Bob Zeigler, SEPA/NEPA Responsible Official

Subject: Lower Swauk Creek Habitat Enhancement Project
Vicinity of SR 970 milepost 8 and SR 10 milepost 95

We have reviewed the proposed project and have the following comments.

- The project is in the vicinity of State Route 10 (SR 10) and State Route 970 (SR 970). SR 10 is a class 3 managed access facility and SR 970 is a class 1 managed access facility. Both facilities have a posted speed limit of 55 miles per hour. As stated in the SEPA checklist, access to the project shall be via county road.
- All loads transported on WSDOT rights-of-way must be within the legal size and load limits, or have a valid oversize and/or overweight permit.

Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on this proposal. If you have any questions regarding our comments, please contact Rick Holmstrom at (509) 577-1633.

Sincerely,


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Planning & Materials Engineer

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cc: File #1, SR 970
Terry Kukes, Area 1 Maintenance Superintendent

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