



State of Washington

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### **ADDENDUM TO DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE:**

#11-001 COLOCKUM WILDLIFE AREA BOAT RAMP IMPROVEMENT

**DATED: January 12, 2011**

**Name of DNS:** COLOCKUM WILDLIFE AREA BOAT RAMP IMPROVEMENT

#### **Description of DNS:**

This project consists of a renovation of an existing boat launch ramp on the Columbia River located on the Colockum Wildlife Area. This ramp is currently a gravel launch with no concrete planks present and limited parking. This launch will be improved by placing new concrete planks and slightly decreasing the ramp angle into the river to facilitate launching. An additional parking area will also be constructed. The specific components of this project are:

1. Upgrade one gravel boat ramp at the Colockum WLA.
2. Armorflex concrete mat will be installed at both edges of the concrete plank ramp to protect the new ramp from premature degradation and undermining.
3. Install a vault toilet and an asphalt ADA parking pad next to the toilet.
4. Construct an ADA loading platform.
5. Pave sections of the boat turn around area and the lower portion of the access road with asphalt.
6. Clear and pave the upper parking area with asphalt.
7. Install mitigation measures including road abandonment and re-vegetation in Areas 1 and 2. Also perform native tree and shrub plantings in mitigation Area 3. **Additional Mitigation has been added in Tarpiscan Creek and the reason for this addendum.**

#### **Proponent/Applicant:**

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**Location of DNS, including street, if any:** The Colockum Boat Launch is reached by driving from Wenatchee on the Malaga/Alcoa Highway 13 to the junction of the Colockum Road and the Tarpiscan Road. Head south on the Tarpiscan Road and at the entrance to Colockum Wildlife

Area turn east onto an unimproved gravel road to project site. This project is located in Chelan County, Washington, Section 29, Township 21 North, Range 22 East. WM

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW)

**WDFW is providing updated information on this project that may be of interest to other agencies or the public. The updated information provided below does not substantially change the analysis of significant impacts in the existing environmental checklist.**

**Perform mitigation in Tarpiscan Creek by placing two log piles below the Ordinary High Water mark to serve as LWD fish habitat. These logs piles will be placed as indicated in attached Tarpiscan Mitigation Drawings.**

**Based on the original environmental checklist and the updated information provided in this addendum, we have determined that a new threshold determination is not warranted. There is no comment period associated with this SEPA environmental checklist addendum.**

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