



**HYDRAULIC PROJECT APPROVAL  
SIMPLIFIED APPLICATION**

**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT  
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

AGENCY USE ONLY

Date Received:

  

APP ID#:

**NOTE:** If your project requires a federal permit or you have an agent, do not use this form and submit an application via the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) online Aquatic Protection Permitting System (APPS) (<https://wdfw.wa.gov/licenses/environmental/hpa>) or using a completed Joint Aquatic Resources Permit Application (JARPA) ([https://www.oria.wa.gov/site/alias\\_\\_oria/4220/jarpa-form.aspx](https://www.oria.wa.gov/site/alias__oria/4220/jarpa-form.aspx)). You can find more information about federal permits at <https://apps.oria.wa.gov/opas/>.

**Project Name** (A name for your project that you create (e.g., Smith's Dock or Seabrook Lane Development))

**Business Name**

Applicant First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name

**Mailing Address (Street or PO Box)**

City	State	Zip Code
Phone (primary)	Phone (secondary)	E-mail

**Property Owner(s)** (Check appropriate box)

Same as Applicant (skip to Project Type and Plan)     Different than Applicant (complete information below)

There are multiple property owners. Complete Multiple Owner Attachment form for each additional property owner.  
Available at <https://wdfw.wa.gov/licenses/environmental/hpa/application>

Project occurs on public land (identify the Agency name below under Business Name, then skip to Project Type and Plan)

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## Project Type and Plan

Identify the project type(s) for which you are requesting an HPA (*check all that apply*). Attach plans for the project type(s) below. You can find more detail on project plan requirements at <https://wdfw.wa.gov/licenses/environmental/hpa/application> or by reaching out to your area habitat biologist for assistance.

Project Type		Description	
<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural projects		Irrigation, stock watering, or streambank stabilization for agriculture w/o the need for HPA renewal under RCW 77.55.021(9)(c)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Road maintenance work		Repairing existing structures associated with roads, such as bridge surface repairs, culvert cleaning, and ditch maintenance	
<input type="checkbox"/> Suction dredging		Suction dredging, highbanking, or other methods not covered by the Gold and Fish pamphlet	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other mineral prospecting			
<input type="checkbox"/> Beaver dam modification		Altering or removing existing beaver dams, such as by breaching the dam to relieve water pressure, full removal of the dam, or installing levelers or deceivers	
<input type="checkbox"/> Repositioning or removal of large wood		Relocating or removing one or more pieces of large woody material (logs, trees, or large limbs)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dock maintenance/repair		Repairing existing docks and associated structures such as piers, ramps, and floats, including decking or piling repair or replacement, or relocating a dock	
<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific instrument installation (beyond hand tools)		Placing, moving, or removing small scientific instruments such as flow meters, thermometers, and staff gauges using more than simple hand tools	
<input type="checkbox"/> Trenchless conduit (utility) crossing		Installing electrical, water, gas, or other conduits using trenchless methods such as directional drilling	
<input type="checkbox"/> Fish screen maintenance or replacement		Repairing, cleaning, or replacing existing fish screen structures	
<b>Project Site Location</b> (If multiple project sites, add these beginning on page 4 of application). (Each suction dredging location may only be for the length of a registered mining claim or 1,300 linear feet of stream (per WAC 220-660-050(9)). Include detailed maps showing upstream and downstream boundaries of all proposed suction dredging locations.)			
<b>Site Address or name of mining claim</b>		<b>Driving Directions:</b>	
<b>County</b>			
<b>Latitude</b>	<b>Longitude</b>	<b>Section</b>	<b>Quarter Section</b>
<b>Waterbody Name</b>	<b>WRIA</b>	<b>Township</b>	<b>Range</b>
<b>Project Description</b>			
<b>Summary of project:</b>			
<b>Will you be operating equipment in water? If yes, what type of equipment?</b>			
<b>When do you plan to do the work?</b>			
<b>How will you accomplish the work and minimize impacts to fish life and fish habitat?</b>			

## State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA)

Attach the final State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) determination for the project. If your project does not require SEPA review, please attach written documentation from the lead agency (usually city or county) stating the SEPA exemption or explain why your project is exempt. For more information on SEPA go to: [www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/sepa/e-review.html](http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/sepa/e-review.html)

SEPA Exemption	
<input type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption	Under what section of the SEPA administrative code (WAC) is it exempt?
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Attach documentation of other exemption from lead agency.

### NPDES Permit Required for Motorized or Gravity Siphon Aquatic Mining

If applying for an HPA for motorized or gravity siphon aquatic mining, you must provide a copy of a valid National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit from Washington Department of Ecology (Ecology) for each proposed location.

<input type="checkbox"/> I am including a copy of an NPDES permit for each proposed motorized or gravity siphon aquatic mining location
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### Signatures

I hereby certify that this application is made with the consent of the lawful property owner(s) and that all information submitted with this application is complete and correct. False statements, errors, and/or omissions may be sufficient cause for denial of the request. I consent to representatives of the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife entering and inspecting the project area(s) listed above and any work or equipment related to the project. Such inspections shall occur at reasonable times, and if practical, with prior notice.

<b>Applicant Printed Name (Required)</b>	<b>Applicant Signature (Required)</b>	<b>Date (Required)</b>

I consent to the permitting agencies entering the property where the project is located to inspect the project site or any work. These inspections shall occur at reasonable times and, if practical, with prior notice to the landowner.

<b>Property Owner Printed Name (Required)</b>	<b>Property Owner Signature (Required)</b> <small>Projects on Public Lands do not Require Signature</small>	<b>Date (Required)</b>

Submit completed application and attachments through mail, hand delivery, email, or FAX.	<b>Mailing Address:</b>	<b>Email: <a href="mailto:HPAapplications@dfw.wa.gov">HPAapplications@dfw.wa.gov</a></b>
	<b>Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Habitat Program PO Box 43234 Olympia, WA 98504-3234</b>	<b>Phone: (360) 902-2422</b>
		<b>FAX (360) 902-2946</b>

## Additional Project Site Locations

You may list up to 4 additional project sites on a single application. Complete the following information for each site and submit with your application. **If applying for an HPA for suction dredging, please note that each suction dredging location may only be for the length of a registered mining claim or 1,300 linear feet of stream (per WAC 220-660-050(9)). Include detailed map(s) showing upstream and downstream boundaries of all proposed suction dredging locations.**

Do not submit these additional pages if you are applying only for the single site identified on page 2 of this application.

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<b>Site Address or name of mining claim</b>		<b>Driving Directions:</b>	
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