



State of Washington

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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

Name of Proposal: ONEIDA ACCESS AREA RENOVATION

Description of Proposal:

This project includes the renovation of an existing boat launch ramp and access site on Deep River. This single ramp is scheduled to be repaired and an associated boarding float will be replaced. The parking area will be paved and 2 additional areas will be graveled for additional access, including ADA parking and toilet access. The specific components of this project are:

1. Rip-rap will be removed and the ramp will be saw cut and removed below elevation 0.00. Armorflex concrete mat will be installed at the sides and at the bottom of the boat ramp at Parking Area 1. This will protect the ramp from premature degradation and undermining.
2. Install a "L" shaped boarding float (8' wide by 73' long and 8' wide by 69' long) with grated deck and five steel pilings.
3. Install 40' boom log upstream of replaced float, secured with (2) 12" steel piles.
4. Pave Parking Area 1 over existing gravel area with grade modifications (171 Cubic Yards asphalt covering 18,465 square feet and 660 cubic yards CSTC fill).
5. Place pinned concrete wheel stops and striping.
6. Install two ADA accessible asphalt parking stalls (Parking Area 1).
7. Install gravel for traffic lane of Parking Areas 2 and 3 (10,470 square feet and 5,086 square feet respectively).
8. Install asphalt approach and ADA parking for Parking Area 2 (2075 square feet).
9. Install new CXT vault toilet at Parking Area 2.
10. An informational kiosk will be constructed at Parking Area 1.
11. Mitigation area to be planted with 400 plants and barrier rock installed at edge of mitigation area to prevent vehicle use.

Proponent/Applicant:

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Location of Proposal, including street, if any: 424 Oneida Road, Naselle, Washington, Wahkiakum County; Section 31, Township 10 North, Range 08 West WM

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

WDFW has determined that this proposal will likely not have a significant adverse impact on the environment. Therefore, state law¹ does not require an environmental impact statement (EIS). WDFW made this determination of nonsignificance (DNS) after we reviewed the environmental checklist and other information on file with us.

We issued this DNS according to state rules.² We will **not act on this proposal for 14 days** from the date we issued the DNS. Agencies, affected tribes, and members of the public are invited to comment on this proposal or DNS. We must receive your comments within 14 days of the date of this letter. This means we must receive your comments by **August 13, 2012**

Method of Comment:

The following procedures shall govern the method to comment on agency SEPA proposals. Comments received through these procedures are part of the official SEPA record for this proposal.

You can submit your comments any one of the following ways:

- Email to SEPAdesk2@dfw.wa.gov
- Online at the WDFW SEPA website comment link at: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/>
- Fax to (360) 902-2946;
- Mail to the address below.

Responsible Official: Bob Zeigler

Position/Title: SEPA/NEPA Coordinator, WDFW Regulatory Services Section

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After the comment period closes, applicants may view the updated status of this proposal on the WDFW SEPA website: <http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/> Once the status is posted as final, applicants and permittees may take action on the proposal. When a proposal is modified or withdrawn, notice will be given in accordance with state law.¹

If you have questions about this DNS or the details of the proposal, contact Bob Zeigler at the address, e-mail, or fax number above; you can also call him at (360) 902-2578.

DATE OF ISSUE: July 27, 2012

SIGNATURE:



Footnotes

1. RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c)
2. WAC 197-11-340(2).