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Bob Zeigler, SEPA/NEPA Coordinator
WA State Dept of Fish & Wildlife
Regulatory Services Section
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Dear Mr. Zeigler:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the determination of nonsignificance for the Kress Lake Access Improvements project located at located on Old Highway 99 in Cowlitz County as proposed by Chris Gourley, WA State Department of Fish & Wildlife (WDFW). The Department of Ecology (Ecology) reviewed the environmental checklist and has the following comment(s):

WASTE 2 RESOURCES: Mike Drumright (360) 407-6397

Demolition with Specifically Treated Wood

The applicant proposes to remove a structure(s) that may contain treated wood. Please refer to Ecology's publication "Focus on Treated Wood Exclusion," available at: <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/pubs/0304038.pdf>, for suggested best management practices and disposal requirements for treated wood. For additional information or clarification, please contact Dee Williams with Ecology's Hazardous Waste and Toxics Reduction program, at (360) 407-6348.

Recycle Construction, Demolition & Land Clearing (CDL)

Property owners, developers, and contractors are encouraged to recycle all possible leftover CDL materials and reduce waste generated. Recycling construction debris is often less expensive than landfill disposal. Please visit Ecology's 1 800 Recycle Hotline database at: <http://1800recycle.wa.gov> or call the 1-800-RECYCLE hotline to find facilities that will accept your CDL materials for reuse or recycling.

If greater than 250 cubic yards of inert, demolition, and/or wood waste is used as fill material, a solid waste handling permit is required from the local jurisdictional health department (WAC 173-350-990).

The applicant proposes to demolish an existing structure(s). In addition to any required asbestos abatement procedures, the applicant should ensure that any other potentially dangerous or hazardous materials present, such as PCB-containing lamp ballasts, fluorescent lamps, and wall thermostats containing mercury, are removed prior to demolition. It is important that these materials and wastes are removed and appropriately managed prior to

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demolition. It is equally important that demolition debris is also safely managed, especially if it contains painted wood or concrete, treated wood, or other possibly dangerous materials.

Ecology's comments are based upon information provided by the lead agency. As such, they may not constitute an exhaustive list of the various authorizations that must be obtained or legal requirements that must be fulfilled in order to carry out the proposed action.

If you have any questions or would like to respond to these comments, please contact the appropriate reviewing staff listed above.

Department of Ecology
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cc: Mike Drumright, W2R
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