

State of Washington

DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)

Name of Proposal: DNS 17-029: ROUND AND LONG LAKES BOAT RAMP REPAIR AND EXTENSION

Description of Proposal:

The Round and Long Lake WDFW Access Areas are located in the Aeneas Valley, Okanogan County, and are approximately ½ mile apart. They are both very similar in layout, containing a single concrete ramp, vault toilet, and gravel parking. Both sites are experiencing the same maintenance needs with broken ramp planks and eroded shoulder protection allowing the edges of the ramp to be undermined. Both ramps have also been totally out of water during summer months due to low lake levels and have been unusable during dry months. WDFW proposes to extend each ramp by 12 feet to allow year round launching and repair broken planks and damaged shoulder protection. The specific tasks are listed below:

- 1. Replace broken concrete ramp planks with new planks of the same size (12 feet long, 1 foot wide, 4 inches deep). There will be between 7 to 10 planks replaced on both Round and Long Lake ramps.
- 2. Place quarry spalls and crushed rock at the base of both ramps to fill in scour holes and serve as a base for the new planks. Round Lake will receive 9.8 cubic yards and Long Lake will receive 4.2 cubic yards of rock. This rock will be placed in the footprint of the new ramp extension and extend 1 foot beyond the edge of the planks for erosion control.
- 3. Install 12 new concrete ramp planks at the base of both ramps resulting in a 12 foot ramp extension. Ramp planks will be bolted together and anchored at edges.
- 4. Install quarry spalls on shoulders where previous rock placement has eroded away. 6 cubic yards of rock will be used at both Round and Long Lake for this shoulder repair.

Proponent/Applicant: Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) Contact: Marty Peoples 600 Capitol Way North Olympia, WA 98501 (360) 902-8426 Marty.Peoples@dfw.wa.gov

Location of Proposal, including street, if any: Aeneas Valley Road, Tonasket, Okanogan County, Washington:

Round Lake: Township 36N, Range 30E, Section 19 Long Lake: Township 36N, Range 29E, Section 13

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. The comment period will end at **5:00 pm on June 1, 2017.**

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

Responsible Official: Lisa Wood

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: <u>http://wdfw.wa.gov/licensing/sepa/</u>. 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 Lisa Wood at the address, e-mail, or fax number above; you can also call her at (360) 902-2260.

SIGNATURE: Mood

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Footnotes

1. RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c)

2. WAC 197-11-340(2).

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