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Lisa Wood, SEPA/NEPA Coordinator WA Department of Fish and Wildlife Regulatory Services Section PO Box 43200 Olympia, WA 98504-3200

Dear Ms. Wood:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the determination of nonsignificance for the Ward Lake Access Site Improvements Project (DNS 18-002) located at 4135 Ward Lake Court Southeast in Olympia as proposed by Anna Sample, WA Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW). The Department of Ecology (Ecology) reviewed the environmental checklist and has the following comment(s):

TOXICS CLEANUP: Mohsen Kourehdar (360) 407-6256

If contamination is suspected, discovered, or occurs during the proposed SEPA action, testing of the potentially contaminated media must be conducted. If contamination of soil or groundwater is readily apparent, or is revealed by testing, Ecology must be notified. Contact the Environmental Report Tracking System Coordinator for the Southwest Regional Office (SWRO) at (360) 407-6300. For assistance and information about subsequent cleanup and to identify the type of testing that will be required, contact Mohsen Kourehdar with the SWRO, Toxics Cleanup Program at the phone number provided above.

HAZARDOUS WASTE & TOXICS REDUCTION: Tara Davis (360) 407-6275

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 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. Please review the "Dangerous Waste Rules for Demolition, Construction, and Renovation Wastes," posted at Ecology's website, https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-

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<u>Permits/Guidance-technical-assistance/Dangerous-waste-guidance/Common-dangerous-waste/Construction-and-demolition</u>. The applicant may also contact Rob Rieck of Ecology's Hazardous Waste and Toxics Reduction Program at (360) 407-6751 for more information about safely handling dangerous wastes and demolition debris.

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 Southwest Regional Office

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cc: Tara Davis, HWTR Mohsen Kourehdar, TCP Anna Sample, WDFW (Proponent)