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Ms. Lisa Wood
SEPA Responsible Official/HPA Appeals Coordinator
Habitat Program, Protection Division
Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
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Re: Harris Access #1 Bridge Repair

Dear Ms. Wood:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Determination of Nonsignificance regarding the proposal to remove and replace an abutment to an existing pedestrian bridge and relocate it out of the stream channel, placed on top of the bank, and secured. The bridge will be lifted and placed in a gravel parking area temporarily to allow concrete spall repairs, and the refinishing of the deck, then placed back on new abutments (Proponent: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife). The Department of Ecology (Ecology) has reviewed the documents and submits the following comments:

Hazardous Waste and Toxics Reduction Program-Andrew Maher (509) 329-3612

Wastes produced during construction or remodeling can be dangerous wastes in Washington State. Some of these wastes include: Absorbent material, aerosol cans, asbestos-containing materials, lead-containing materials, PCB-containing light ballasts, waste paint, waste paint thinner, sanding dust and treated wood.

The Common Construction and Demolition Wastes website has a more comprehensive list and a link to identifying and designating your wastes. This can be found on line at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/hwtr/dangermat/common_demo_wastes.html

Responsibility for construction waste generated at a facility is the responsibility of the facility that generates the waste. More information about who is responsible for properly managing construction debris can be found at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/hwtr/dangermat/demo_responsibility.html

In order to adequately identify some of your construction and remodel debris, you may need to sample and test the wastes generated to determine whether they are dangerous waste. Information about how to sample and what to test for can be found at <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/hwtr/dangermat/samplingDemoDebris.html>.

For more information and technical assistance, contact John Blunt at (509) 329-3525 or via email at john.blunt@ecy.wa.gov.

Water Quality Program-Shannon Petrisor (509) 329-3610

Proper erosion and sediment control practices must be used on the construction site and adjacent areas to prevent upland sediments from entering surface water. Local stormwater ordinances will provide specific requirements. Also refer to the Stormwater Management Manual for Eastern Washington at http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/wq/stormwater/eastern_manual/manual.html. All ground disturbed by construction activities must be stabilized. When appropriate, use native vegetation typical of the site.

State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA)

Ecology's comments are based upon information submitted for review. As such, they do 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 staff listed above.

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cc: Marty Peoples, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife