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MEMORANDUM

December 4, 2024

File No. 24-120403

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FROM: Tracy Cooper, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: SEPA LEAD AGENCY & DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

Forest Practice Application #3027425 proposal consists of 175 acres of harvest, which includes 118 acres of salvage of burned timber and 57 acres of uneven-aged harvest. Located in Section 29, Township 30 North, Range 33 East, W.M., Ferry County.

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be accessed through DNR's website at:

http://www.dnr.wa.gov/state-environmental-policy-act-sepa

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on <u>December 4,</u> <u>2024</u>. We will consider comments on this proposed DNS received by 6:00 p.m. on <u>December 18, 2024</u>. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, <u>https://wadnr.commentinput.com?id=cfkCH7gh6</u> or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please <u>include</u> the file number listed above on all comments.