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DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: Cougar VRH VDT Timber Sale, App. No. 30-106246 and Forest Practice Application No. 2819529 . Variable retention harvest (VRH) with a Variable Density Thinning component for a total harvest of 4,480 MBF from 148.6 (149) acres. Proposal includes up to 4,796 feet of road construction and reconstruction (of which 803 feet are to be abandoned after completion of use, if built), and 17,906 feet of pre-haul maintenance.

Proponent: Department of Natural Resources

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Sections 10, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23 and 24 of Township 29 North, Range 7 East, W.M. Proposal is located 8 miles southeast of Granite Falls, in Snohomish County, off of Hwy 92, Mountain Loop Road, Menzel Lake Road, South Lake Roesiger Road, Monroe Camp Road and the LR-ML, CLR-30 and EK-ML forest roads.

Lead agency: Department of Natural Resources

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21c.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

There is no comment period for this DNS

This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from September 4, 2024. Comments must be submitted by September 18, 2024.

Responsible official: Jay Guthrie

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Date: 8/29/24

Signature: _____


There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.