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MEMORANDUM

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File No. 24-082201

TO: Snohomish County Planning Director
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 DFW SEPA Region 4
 Dept. of Revenue
 Skagit River Systems Cooperative
 Parks & Recreation
 E. Uloth, USDA Forest Service
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 Lummi Indian Tribe
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B. Hamilton/NW Forest Practices, DNR
G. Morrow/J. Parker/W. Crawford, DNR

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:

VW Timber Sale #103511 and Forest Practice Application #2819523 proposal is a variable retention harvest of 4,173 MBF of timber from 81.9 acres. The proposal includes up to 7,250 feet of temporary road construction, (road to be abandoned after completion of use, if built) and 45,870 feet of pre-haul maintenance. Located in Sections 01, 02, 03, 04, Township 29 North, Range 07 East, Section 06, Township 29 North, Range 08 East, Sections 25, 35, 36, Township 30 North, Range 07 East, and Sections 30, 31, Township 30 North, Range 08 East, W.M., Snohomish 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 **August 22, 2024**. We will consider comments on this proposed DNS received by 4:30 p.m. on **September 5, 2024**. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, sepacenter@dnr.wa.gov or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please include the file number listed above on all comments.