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**Notice of Final Determination
SEPA File No. 25-103102
FPA No. 2618903 & 2618941
Agreement No. 30-109994
Timber Sale: Fishhook**

The Department of Natural Resources issued a Determination of Non-significance (DNS), Mitigated Determination of Non-significance (MDNS), Modified DNS/MDNS on 10/31/2025 for this proposal under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) and WAC 197-11-340(2).

This threshold determination is hereby:

Retained.

Modified. Modifications to this threshold determination include the following: FPA 2618903 was withdrawn and resubmitted as FPA 2618941 with updated Geo report to provide additional information regarding unstable features.

Withdrawn. This threshold determination has been withdrawn due to the following:

Delayed. A final threshold determination has been delayed due to the following:

Summary of Comments and Responses (if applicable):

Comment- Comments from Jamestown S’Klallam Tribe recommending avoidance of known archaeological sites within project area and utilizing an Inadvertent Discovery Plan.

Response- Question 29 of the FPA includes language and RCWs regarding inadvertent discovery. By signing the application, the landowner acknowledges their responsibilities in the event of a discovery.

Comment- Comments from the Center for Sustainable Economy, The Legacy Forest Defense Coalition, and individuals were received. The comments generally oppose the harvest based on habitat and climate impacts.

Response- The Fishhook Timber Sale is located on State Trust lands. The DNR manages these lands under the State’s extensive Habitat Conservation Plan, the Policy for Sustainable Forests, RCW 76.09 Forest Practices Law, and WAC 222 Forest Practices rules. The Forest Practices laws in Washington are designed to protect public resources such as water quality and fish habitat while maintaining a viable timber industry. The State’s Habitat Conservation plan further restricts timber harvest beyond the Forest Practices rules. Additional information regarding the HCP, Policies & laws is available on the Department’s website at www.dnr.wa.gov.



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The landowner received copies of all comments from the SEPA Center. The review of FPA 2618903/2618941 was conducted in accordance with all applicable laws and Department procedures. No new information was provided to warrant a change to the Determination of Non-Significance.

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There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.
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