

**SKAGIT COUNTY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES
MITIGATED DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (MDNS)
And NOTICE OF DECISION
For
Heather and David Larsen
File #BP20-0353**

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Notice is hereby given that on July 14, 2020 Skagit County Planning and Development Services approved independent State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) checklist review completed in conjunction with Grading permit application #BP20-0353 for the construction of approximately 450 linear feet of approximate 12 foot wide residential driveway to access a single family residential building site on approximately 5.11 acres. The project proposal includes the excavation of approximately 2,700 cubic yards of material and the placement of approximately 1,500 cubic yards of material. The project is located within the Rural Reserve (RRv) zoning/comprehensive plan designated area as indicated in the Skagit County Comprehensive Plan and associated maps adopted July 5, 2016, and as thereafter amended. The Swinomish Indian Tribal Community Zoning Map lists the property as Forestry (F).

PROPONENT: David and Heather Larsen, 1410 Glen View Court, Roseville, CA 95747.

PROJECT LOCATION: The project is located at 14704 Snee-Oosh Road, LaConner, within a portion of Section 15, Township 34 N, Range 2 E W.M., situated within Skagit County, Washington. (P20360 and P131872)

LEAD AGENCY: Skagit County Planning and Development Services.

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. This determination is subject to the mitigated measures as identified below and shall be deemed conditions of approval of the land use and/or permit pursuant to Skagit County Code 16.12. Such conditions are considered binding and may not be altered by subsequent decisions unless a threshold determination is re-issued.

1. Temporary erosion/sedimentation control measures, as approved by the Skagit County Planning and Development Services, shall be in place prior to the placement of any fill material. The applicant shall maintain all temporary erosion/sedimentation control measures in accordance with the Skagit County Stormwater Management Ordinance. Said measures shall remain in place until completion of the project.
2. The applicant shall comply with Northwest Clean Air Agency requirements.
3. The applicant shall comply with the provisions of Chapter 14.32 of the Skagit County Code, the Skagit County Stormwater Management Ordinance, as it relates to increased runoff resulting from additional impervious surfaces.
4. The applicant shall comply with Fire Code Standards.
5. An engineered soils compaction report shall be required for all structures placed on fill material.
6. The applicant shall comply with all relevant provisions of 14.24 of the Skagit County Code (Skagit County Critical Areas Ordinance).

7. This project may be subject to one of Ecology's National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Systems (NPDES) permits. A Construction Stormwater General or Industrial Permit may be required by the Department of Ecology (WSDOE) for this project. Contact the WSDOE Bellingham Field Office at (360) 715- 5200.
8. Should any human remains, archaeological, historic or cultural materials be discovered during construction, work in the affected area shall cease immediately and the area shall be secured of adequate size to protect it from further disturbance until the State provides a notice to proceed. Within 24 hours, of the discovery, or as soon thereafter as possible, the developer shall notify the Skagit County Sheriff's office, Skagit County Planning and Development Services, the Washington State Department of Archeology and Historic Preservation and affected tribes. The discovery of any human skeletal remains must be reported to law enforcement immediately. If following consultation with the above parties it is determined that further archaeological and cultural resource assessments are required, the project developer shall retain the services of a professional archaeologist to prepare such an assessment. Project work in the affected area shall only continue when in conformance with applicable state and federal laws.
9. Under our Tribal Historic Preservation Office (THPO) Department guidelines, a monitor is required on site any time that the ground is disturbed. Please contact our THPO line 48 hours before any digging begins. The THPO line to call is 360-488-3860.

The Lead Agency previously issued a comment period for this proposal under the Optional DNS process outlined under WAC 197-11-355.

You may appeal this threshold determination in accordance with Skagit County Code 14.06 and 16.12 and then by filing such with the Skagit County Planning and Development Services for service to the SEPA responsible official within fourteen (14) calendar days after the date of the threshold determination.

Appeals must be submitted no later than: **July 30, 2020**

RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL: Director of Planning and Development Services
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Date: 7-14-20 Signature Brandon Black.
On behalf of Hal Hart
Planning and Development Services Director

cc: WDOE, Public Works, NW Clean Air Agency, Fire Marshal, WSDF&W, Skagit River Systems Coop, DHAP, Upper Skagit Indian Tribe, Samish Indian Nation, Critical Areas and Stormwater review, Swinomish Indian Tribal Planning, Applicant, Parties of record

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