WAC 197-11-970 - Determination of Non-significance (DNS)

Date of Notice:

November 2, 2020

Lead Agency:

Chelan County Public Works Department Chelan County Flood Control Zone District

Project Location: Slide Ridge is located along South Lakeshore Road to the west of Lake Chelan approximately 13 miles northwest of the City of Chelan, just south of Shrine Beach, in Chelan County, Washington. The proposed project is located in Township 28 North, Range 21 East, Section 21.

Project Description: The proposed project work consists of raising South Lakeshore Road, improving residential access points, installation of a bridge over Slide Ridge, filling a portion of the existing debris basin and removal of the existing culverts, regrading and slight alignments changes to the existing channel, and extending the berms/side slopes from where the 2019 work terminated to the low water mark of Lake Chelan.

It is estimated that within 200 feet of the ordinary high water mark of Lake Chelan, there will be 1,000 cubic yards of cut (channel excavation) and 4,100 cubic yards of fill (extension of the berms/side slopes). Due to extensive debris modeling, it was determined that extending the conveyance berms/side slope will also need to occur below the ordinary high water line (approx. elev. 1102') down to the low water line (approx. elev. 1085') of Lake Chelan in order to protect adjacent private property from impacts during higher debris flow events. This will result in an estimated 80 cubic yards of cut (channel excavation) and 5,500 cubic yards of fill (i.e. rip rap type of rock). This work will occur in the dry between November and May, when Lake Chelan is lowered, so no in-water work will occur.

Supporting project information can be found at: https://www.co.chelan.wa.us/flood-control-zone-district/pages/slide-ridge

Decision: The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have 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 using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355.
This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2), the lead agency will not act on this proposal for a minimum of 14 days from the signature date below.

Comments must be submitted by November 17, 2020 by 5:00 P.M.

Please refer questions/comments relating to this determination or the proposal to:

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Date: 11 2 2020 Signature:

Appeal:

Pursuant to RCW 43.21C.075, Chelan County Code section 13.04.200 of Title 13 - State Environmental Policy Act and Chelan County Code section 14.12 of Title 14 - Appeals, decisions of the Responsible Official may be appealed within twenty-one days after the date of issuance of the this decision in superior court. Deadline for filing an appeal is **November 24, 2020**.

Note: The issuance of this Determination of Non-Significance does not constitute project approval. The applicant must comply with all other applicable requirements of Chelan County, federal, and state agencies, and/or Hearing Examiner prior to commencing work.

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Charge:

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