

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Town of Ruston
File Number: SMP Update

To: All Departments and Agencies with Jurisdiction

Subject: Determination of Nonsignificance

In accordance with WAC 197-11-340, a copy of the Determination of Nonsignificance for the project described below is transmitted:

Applicant: Town of Ruston
5117 North Winnifred
Ruston, WA 98407

Proposal: A text amendment to the Town's municipal code to update existing shoreline master program regulations.

Location: This amendment will apply to all properties within the Town of Ruston.

Lead Agency: Town of Ruston

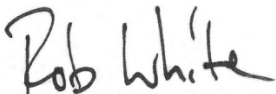
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The lead agency for this proposal has determined that this project does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(9c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public upon request.

This Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS) is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2). The Town will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date of issue. Comments must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. by the closing of the comment deadline. The Responsible Official will reconsider the DNS based on timely comments and may retain, modify, or, if significant adverse impacts

are likely, withdraw the DNS. If the DNS is retained, it will be final after the expiration of the comment deadline.

Responsible Official: Rob White, Town Planner

SEPA Official Signature:  _____

Issue Date: June 17, 2011

Comment Deadline: 5:00 p.m., July 1, 2011.

NOTE: The issuance of this Determination of Nonsignificance does not constitute project approval. The applicant must comply with all other applicable requirements of the Town of Ruston and other agencies with jurisdiction prior to receiving construction permits.