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February 15, 2023

Notice of Final Determination Juneau Timber Sale #30-102082 SEPA File No. 23-012602

The Department of Natural Resources issued a **[x]** Determination of Non-significance (DNS), **[]** Mitigated Determination of Non-significance (MDNS), **[]** Modified DNS/MDNS on **January 26, 2023** for this proposal under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) and WAC 197-11-340(2).

This threshold determination is hereby:

[x] Retained.

[] Modified. Modifications to this threshold determination include the following:

[] Withdrawn. This threshold determination has been withdrawn due to the following: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: Received February 1, 2023 from Squaxin Island Tribe. No specific cultural resource concerns, defers to DAHP's recommendations, if applicable.

Response: No additional recommendations from DAHP on this proposal.

Comment: Received February 8, 2023 from Friends of Trees regarding method of evaluating carbon storage and emissions and proposal acres.

Response: Specific concerns have been addressed in a response letter that was sent to the commenter and is on file with the SEPA Center.

Comment: Received February 9, 2023 from Washington Department of Ecology. Notification of standard requirements regarding solid waste, toxic clean up and water quality management. **Response:** Standard Forest Practices Rules apply.

Comment: Received February 9, 2023 from Center for Responsible Economy concerning the impact of timber harvests on climate.

Response: Specific concerns related to climate impact analyses at a regional scale, the sequestration capacity and climate resiliency on DNR's western Washington lands, and data used for previous



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environmental analysis have been addressed in the attached response letter which has also been sent to the commenter.

Comment: Received February 10, 2023, from Legacy Forest Defense Coalition regarding DNR's older forest policy.

Response: A response letter was sent to the commenter describing the proposal's compliance with DNR's older forest policy. This letter is on file with the SEPA Center.

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There is no DNR administrative SEPA appeal.