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MEMORANDUM

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File No. 20-020401

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FROM: Tracy Cooper, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: **SEPA LEAD AGENCY & MITIGATED DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE**

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

Cousins Timber Sale #100007 and Forest Practice Application #3024004 is a sale of approximately 7,000 MBF of timber on 407 acres. This proposal includes 17,329 feet of road construction, 551 feet of road abandonment, and 64,558 feet of road maintenance. Located in Sections 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, 28, 29, 30, Township 35 North, Range 38 East, W. M., Stevens County.

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be accessed through DNR's website at:

<http://www.dnr.wa.gov/state-environmental-policy-act-sepa>

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on **February 4, 2020**. We will consider comments on this proposed MDNS received by 4:30 P.M., **February 18, 2020**. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, sepacenter@dnr.wa.gov or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please include the file number listed above on all comments.