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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Franklin County Planning Director
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FROM: Tracy Cooper, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: **SEPA LEAD AGENCY & 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:

Special Use Lease for Potato Storage: The Washington State Department of Natural Resources (DNR) plans to issue a special use lease to allow for the construction of two potato storage buildings. This proposal consists of building one double wide arch wall metal potato storage building roughly 165' x 275' with an estimated potato capacity of about 12,000 tons. A second building of the same size is planned in the future. Located in Section 36, Township 10 North, Range 29 East, W.M., Franklin 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 **June 24, 2020**. We will consider comments on this proposed DNS received by 4:30 p.m. on **July 8, 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.