

# SEPA<sup>1</sup> Environmental Checklist

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## Purpose of checklist

Governmental agencies use this checklist to help determine whether the environmental impacts of your proposal are significant. This information is also helpful to determine if available avoidance, minimization, or compensatory mitigation measures will address the probable significant impacts or if an environmental impact statement will be prepared to further analyze the proposal.

## Instructions for applicants

This environmental checklist asks you to describe some basic information about your proposal. Please answer each question accurately and carefully, to the best of your knowledge. You may need to consult with an agency specialist or private consultant for some questions. **You may use “not applicable” or “does not apply” only when you can explain why it does not apply and not when the answer is unknown.** You may also attach or incorporate by reference additional studies reports. Complete and accurate answers to these questions often avoid delays with the SEPA process as well as later in the decision-making process.

The checklist questions apply to **all parts of your proposal**, even if you plan to do them over a period of time or on different parcels of land. Attach any additional information that will help describe your proposal or its environmental effects. The agency to which you submit this checklist may ask you to explain your answers or provide additional information reasonably related to determining if there may be significant adverse impact.

## Instructions for lead agencies

Please adjust the format of this template as needed. Additional information may be necessary to evaluate the existing environment, all interrelated aspects of the proposal and an analysis of adverse impacts. The checklist is considered the first but not necessarily the only source of information needed to make an adequate threshold determination. Once a threshold determination is made, the lead agency is responsible for the completeness and accuracy of the checklist and other supporting documents.

## Use of checklist for nonproject proposals

For nonproject proposals (such as ordinances, regulations, plans and programs), complete the applicable parts of sections A and B, plus the Supplemental Sheet for Nonproject Actions (Part D). Please completely answer all questions that apply and note that the words "project," "applicant," and "property or site" should be read as "proposal," "proponent," and "affected geographic area," respectively. The lead agency may exclude (for non-projects) questions in “Part B: Environmental Elements” that do not contribute meaningfully to the analysis of the proposal.

<sup>1</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/Checklist-guidance>

## A. Background

[Find help answering background questions](#)<sup>2</sup>

**1. Name of proposed project, if applicable:**

Snow More

**2. Name of applicant:**

Green Canyon Timberlands LLC

**3. Address and phone number of applicant and contact person:**

Wes Worden, 18350 River Road, Leavenworth, WA 98826

Phone number shown in FPA/N  
2424236 is (509) 387-0321

**4. Date checklist prepared:**

1/22/2025

**5. Agency requesting checklist:**

Washington Department of Natural Resources

**6. Proposed timing of schedule (including phasing, if applicable):**

Road Reconstruction work to be accomplished in April or May 2025 and temp1 and temp2 spur to be abandoned in December 2025. Harvest to start August and be completed by the end of October. Timing could change depending on weather and log markets.

**7. Do you have any plans for future additions, expansion, or further activity related to or connected with this proposal? If yes, explain.**

Yes. The harvest area will be planted within a couple of years of completion.

**8. List any environmental information you know about that has been prepared, or will be prepared, directly related to this proposal.**

Upper Green/Sunday Creek Watershed Analysis and prescriptions are available upon request from South Puget Sound Region office.

None other than the information included Forest Practices Application.

**9. Do you know whether applications are pending for governmental approvals of other proposals directly affecting the property covered by your proposal? If yes, explain.**

None.

**10. List any government approvals or permits that will be needed for your proposal, if known.**

Washington Department of Natural Resources forest practice permit.

FPA/N No. 2424236 is available for viewing on FPARS

**11. Give brief, complete description of your proposal, including the proposed uses and the size of the project and site. There are several questions later in this checklist that ask you to describe certain aspects of your proposal. You do not need to repeat those answers on this page. (Lead agencies may modify this form to include additional specific information on project description.)**

<sup>2</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-A-Background>

← FPA/N 2424236 indicates reconstruction and abandonment activities will include removal of two stream crossings, and installing and removing another stream crossing. Volume removed is estimated at 1650 MBF in FPA/N 2424236.

This application is for the harvest of approximately 2,000 MBF of timber from 66 acres. Also 3,000 feet of road reconstruction and of an existing road prism. This reconstruction will be abandoned upon completion of use by December 2025.

**12. Location of the proposal. Give sufficient information for a person to understand the precise location of your proposed project, including a street address, if any, and section, township, and range, if known. If a proposal would occur over a range of area, provide the range or boundaries of the site(s). Provide a legal description, site plan, vicinity map, and topographic map, if reasonably available. While you should submit any plans required by the agency, you are not required to duplicate maps or detailed plans submitted with any permit applications related to this checklist.**

Portions of the W1/2 and the SW1/4 of the NE1/4, and the E1/2 of the NW1/4 of section 33, Township 21N, Range 11E in King County. See FPA map.

## B. Environmental Elements

### 1. Earth

[Find help answering earth questions<sup>3</sup>](#)

**a. General description of the site:**

Circle or highlight one: Flat, rolling, hilly, steep slopes, mountainous, **other**:

Generally mountainous with a range of gentle to moderate slopes.

**b. What is the steepest slope on the site (approximate percent slope)?**

75%

**c. What general types of soils are found on the site (for example, clay, sand, gravel, peat, muck)? If you know the classification of agricultural soils, specify them, and note any agricultural land of long-term commercial significance and whether the proposal results in removing any of these soils.**

Sandy Loam.

**d. Are there surface indications or history of unstable soils in the immediate vicinity? If so, describe.**

Yes. A portion of Object ID 27765 (mapped landslide) from DNR Geology Portal exists on the ground. This is found in the Upper Green-Sunday Creek Watershed Analysis and is mapped as an ancient landslide. Field observations confirm it is ancient and inactive. Inner gorge features exist adjacent to some of the stream channels.

← FPA/N 2424236 indicates that inner gorges and bedrock hollows are present around the proposed harvest, but are excluded from the harvest area.

<sup>3</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/regulations-permits/sepa/environmental-review/sepa-guidance/sepa-checklist-guidance/sepa-checklist-section-b-environmental-elements/environmental-elements-earth>

- e. **Describe the purpose, type, total area, and approximate quantities and total affected area of any filling, excavation, and grading proposed. Indicate source of fill.**

The road reconstruction will involve removing vegetation from the existing prism and re-establishing ditch lines (excavating). This minor amount of material will be incorporated into the existing prism and graded for proper drainage. No filling is anticipated except for a minor amount over a proposed culvert to be installed (see crossing C of the forest practices application).

- f. **Could erosion occur because of clearing, construction, or use? If so, generally describe.**

Erosion is possible when soil is exposed during harvest and road construction/abandonment activities.

- g. **About what percent of the site will be covered with impervious surfaces after project construction (for example, asphalt or buildings)?**

None

- h. **Proposed measures to reduce or control erosion, or other impacts to the earth, if any.**

Ceasing all operations if activity has potential to cause sediment delivery to typed waters. Maintain ditches and drainage structures as needed. Use sediment traps, straw bales or other methods to prevent sediment delivery to streams. Water bar shovel trails upon completion of use where there is potential for sediment delivery to streams. As described in question #28 of the forest practice application: where potential stream crossings with equipment is utilized—the bed and banks of the stream will be protected with logs and/or slash. Exposed soils adjacent to these crossings will be mulched upon completion of use.

## 2. Air

[Find help answering air questions](#)<sup>4</sup>

- a. **What types of emissions to the air would result from the proposal during construction, operation, and maintenance when the project is completed? If any, generally describe and give approximate quantities if known.**

Exhaust from harvest and road construction equipment during the course of the project. Quantities unknown.

- b. **Are there any off-site sources of emissions or odor that may affect your proposal? If so, generally describe.**

No.

- c. **Proposed measures to reduce or control emissions or other impacts to air, if any:**

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<sup>4</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-Air>

None. Impact expected to be minimal.

### 3. Water

[Find help answering water questions](#)<sup>5</sup>

#### a. Surface:

[Find help answering surface water questions](#)<sup>6</sup>

- 1. Is there any surface water body on or in the immediate vicinity of the site (including year-round and seasonal streams, saltwater, lakes, ponds, wetlands)? If yes, describe type and provide names. If appropriate, state what stream or river it flows into.**

Yes. There are two fish streams adjacent to the harvest unit. One is Snow Creek (F2 from the FPA) and the other is unnamed (F1 from the FPA). There is one Np stream system within harvest unit (Np1, Np1A, Np2, Np3, and Np4 as per the FPA) and one adjacent (Np5 as per the FPA) and five Ns streams (Ns1, Ns2, Ns3, Ns4, and Ns5 as per the FPA). These are all tributary to Snow Creek.

- 2. Will the project require any work over, in, or adjacent to (within 200 feet) the described waters? If yes, please describe and attach available plans.**

Yes. Equipment Crossings of Ns1, Ns2, and Ns3 is proposed. See the FPA map for locations. As described in question #28 of the forest practice application: where potential stream crossings with equipment is utilized—the bed and banks of the stream will be protected with logs and/or slash. Exposed soils adjacent to these crossings will be mulched upon completion of use. Also existing culverts (A & B from the FPA) will be removed when spur 1 and spur 2 are abandoned and the temporary culvert (C from the FPA) will also be installed and removed. These culverts are within Np streams.

FPA/N 2424236 indicates forest practices will occur within 110 feet of two F waters. Also, 50 feet from 4 Np waters with a total length of 1273 feet, and within 50 feet of the same 4 waters for a total length of 470 feet. Harvest will occur adjacent to three Ns waters as well.

- 3. Estimate the amount of fill and dredge material that would be placed in or removed from surface water or wetlands and indicate the area of the site that would be affected. Indicate the source of fill material.**

None.

- 4. Will the proposal require surface water withdrawals or diversions? Give a general description, purpose, and approximate quantities if known.**

No.

- 5. Does the proposal lie within a 100-year floodplain? If so, note location on the site plan.**

No.

<sup>5</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-3-Water>

<sup>6</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-3-Water/Environmental-elements-Surface-water>

6. Does the proposal involve any discharges of waste materials to surface waters? If so, describe the type of waste and anticipated volume of discharge.

No.

**b. Ground:**

[Find help answering ground water questions](#)<sup>7</sup>

1. Will groundwater be withdrawn from a well for drinking water or other purposes? If so, give a general description of the well, proposed uses and approximate quantities withdrawn from the well. Will water be discharged to groundwater? Give a general description, purpose, and approximate quantities if known.

No.

2. Describe waste material that will be discharged into the ground from septic tanks or other sources, if any (domestic sewage; industrial, containing the following chemicals...; agricultural; etc.). Describe the general size of the system, the number of such systems, the number of houses to be served (if applicable), or the number of animals or humans the system(s) are expected to serve.

None.

**c. Water Runoff (including stormwater):**

1. Describe the source of runoff (including storm water) and method of collection and disposal, if any (include quantities, if known). Where will this water flow? Will this water flow into other waters? If so, describe.

Potential storm water flow from ditch lines will flow through cross-drain culverts back onto the forest floor.

2. Could waste materials enter ground or surface waters? If so, generally describe.

Yes. There is a slight risk of fuel and or hydraulic fluid spills from equipment.

3. Does the proposal alter or otherwise affect drainage patterns in the vicinity of the site? If so, describe.

No. The road reconstruction will keep drainage where it originates.

**d. Proposed measures to reduce or control surface, ground, and runoff water, and drainage pattern impacts, if any:**

Cross-drain culverts will be installed on spur 1 to control runoff. Shovel-trails from harvest operations will be water-barred and/or fluffed as needed to prevent erosion.

## 4. Plants

[Find help answering plants questions](#)

**a. Check the types of vegetation found on the site:**

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<sup>7</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-3-Water/Environmental-elements-Groundwater>

- deciduous tree: alder, maple, aspen, other**
- evergreen tree: fir, cedar, pine, other**
- shrubs**
- grass**
- pasture**
- crop or grain**
- orchards, vineyards, or other permanent crops.**
- wet soil plants: cattail, buttercup, bullrush, skunk cabbage, other**
- water plants: water lily, eelgrass, milfoil, other**
- other types of vegetation**

**b. What kind and amount of vegetation will be removed or altered?**

Approximately 1,650 MBF (thousand board feet) of mature timber will be removed. Also brush growing on the spur 1 and spur 2 will be removed.

**c. List threatened and endangered species known to be on or near the site.**

None known.

**d. Proposed landscaping, use of native plants, or other measures to preserve or enhance vegetation on the site, if any.**

None.

**e. List all noxious weeds and invasive species known to be on or near the site.**

Scotch Broom exists within a mile or so of the harvest unit adjacent to existing roads.

## 5. Animals

[Find help answering animal questions](#)<sup>8</sup>

**a. List any birds and other animals that have been observed on or near the site or are known to be on or near the site.**

Examples include:

- **Birds: hawk, heron, eagle, songbirds, other: songbirds**
- **Mammals: deer, bear, elk, beaver, other: deer, elk**
- **Fish: bass, salmon, trout, herring, shellfish, other: salmon, trout**

**b. List any threatened and endangered species known to be on or near the site.**

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<sup>8</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-5-Animals>

Chinook and Coho Salmon, and Bull Trout may exist within streams F1 and F2 (Snow Creek).

FPRAM review indicates the presence of Northern Spotted Owls within the proposed area. Upon assessment by DNR and WDFW this stand meets the definition of non-habitat and is not within .25 miles of site centers.

**c. Is the site part of a migration route? If so, explain.**

Not that I am aware of.

Most of Washington State is considered part of the Pacific Flyway, but no impacts are expected as a result of this proposal.

**d. Proposed measures to preserve or enhance wildlife, if any.**

Retain snags which are not a safety hazard within designated leave areas.

**e. List any invasive animal species known to be on or near the site.**

None known.

## 6. Energy and natural resources

[Find help answering energy and natural resource questions](#)<sup>9</sup>

**a. What kinds of energy (electric, natural gas, oil, wood stove, solar) will be used to meet the completed project's energy needs? Describe whether it will be used for heating, manufacturing, etc.**

None.

**b. Would your project affect the potential use of solar energy by adjacent properties? If so, generally describe.**

No.

**c. What kinds of energy conservation features are included in the plans of this proposal? List other proposed measures to reduce or control energy impacts, if any.**

None.

## 7. Environmental health

[Health Find help with answering environmental health questions](#)<sup>10</sup>

**a. Are there any environmental health hazards, including exposure to toxic chemicals, risk of fire and explosion, spill, or hazardous waste, that could occur because of this proposal? If so, describe.**

Small risk of fire or chemical spill associated with the road building and logging equipment.

**1. Describe any known or possible contamination at the site from present or past uses.**

None.

<sup>9</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-6-Energy-natural-resou>

<sup>10</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-7-Environmental-health>



2. Describe existing hazardous chemicals/conditions that might affect project development and design. This includes underground hazardous liquid and gas transmission pipelines located within the project area and in the vicinity.

None known.

3. Describe any toxic or hazardous chemicals that might be stored, used, or produced during the project's development or construction, or at any time during the operating life of the project.

Diesel fuel, hydraulic fluid, gasoline, saw bar oil, motor oil would be used during the project.

4. Describe special emergency services that might be required.

Emergency rescue due to injury. Petroleum spill cleanup. Fire-fighting.

5. Proposed measures to reduce or control environmental health hazards, if any.

Follow Washington State fire precautionary requirements—maintain required fire suppression equipment on site during fire season. Maintain a spill kit on site during harvest operations.

← If contamination is suspected, the proponent must contact the Department of Ecology.

#### b. Noise

1. What types of noise exist in the area which may affect your project (for example: traffic, equipment, operation, other)?

None.

2. What types and levels of noise would be created by or associated with the project on a short-term or a long-term basis (for example: traffic, construction, operation, other)? Indicate what hours noise would come from the site)?

Log truck traffic noise, chainsaw noise, excavator sounds, other equipment noise.  
Noise levels unknown.

3. Proposed measures to reduce or control noise impacts, if any:

None.

## 8. Land and shoreline use

[Find help answering land and shoreline use questions](#)<sup>11</sup>

- a. What is the current use of the site and adjacent properties? Will the proposal affect current land uses on nearby or adjacent properties? If so, describe.

Commercial Forestry. This proposal is compatible with adjacent property uses.

- b. Has the project site been used as working farmlands or working forest lands? If so, describe. How much agricultural or forest land of long-term commercial significance will be converted to other uses because of the proposal, if any? If resource lands have

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<sup>11</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-8-Land-shoreline-use>

**not been designated, how many acres in farmland or forest land tax status will be converted to nonfarm or nonforest use?**

The site has been and will continue to be used as commercial timberland. No conversions are proposed.

- 1. Will the proposal affect or be affected by surrounding working farm or forest land normal business operations, such as oversize equipment access, the application of pesticides, tilling, and harvesting? If so, how?**

No.

- c. Describe any structures on the site.**

None

- d. Will any structures be demolished? If so, what?**

No.

- e. What is the current zoning classification of the site?**

Commercial Timberland.

- f. What is the current comprehensive plan designation of the site?**

Commercial Timberland.

- g. If applicable, what is the current shoreline master program designation of the site?**

Not Applicable

- h. Has any part of the site been classified as a critical area by the city or county? If so, specify.**

Not that I am aware of.

- i. Approximately how many people would reside or work in the completed project?**

None.

- j. Approximately how many people would the completed project displace?**

None.

- k. Proposed measures to avoid or reduce displacement impacts, if any.**

None.

- l. Proposed measures to ensure the proposal is compatible with existing and projected land uses and plans, if any.**

None.

- m. Proposed measures to reduce or control impacts to agricultural and forest lands of long-term commercial significance, if any:**

None--Timber harvest is compatible with current planning/zoning restrictions

## 9. Housing

[Find help answering housing questions](#)<sup>12</sup>

- a. **Approximately how many units would be provided, if any? Indicate whether high, middle, or low-income housing.**

None.

- b. **Approximately how many units, if any, would be eliminated? Indicate whether high, middle, or low-income housing.**

None.

- c. **Proposed measures to reduce or control housing impacts, if any:**

None.

## 10. Aesthetics

[Find help answering aesthetics questions](#)<sup>13</sup>

- a. **What is the tallest height of any proposed structure(s), not including antennas; what is the principal exterior building material(s) proposed?**

Not Applicable.

- b. **What views in the immediate vicinity would be altered or obstructed?**

There may be improved views of the distant mountains.

- c. **Proposed measures to reduce or control aesthetic impacts, if any:**

None.

## 11. Light and glare

[Find help answering light and glare questions](#)<sup>14</sup>

- a. **What type of light or glare will the proposal produce? What time of day would it mainly occur?**

None.

- b. **Could light or glare from the finished project be a safety hazard or interfere with views?**

No.

- c. **What existing off-site sources of light or glare may affect your proposal?**

None.

- d. **Proposed measures to reduce or control light and glare impacts, if any:**

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<sup>12</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-9-Housing>

<sup>13</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-10-Aesthetics>

<sup>14</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-11-Light-glare>

None.

## 12. Recreation

[Find help answering recreation questions](#)

- a. **What designated and informal recreational opportunities are in the immediate vicinity?**

Hunters and campers drive through the area on the open USFS Roads but the lands owned by Green Canyon Timberlands LLC are closed to public use.

- b. **Would the proposed project displace any existing recreational uses? If so, describe.**

Drivers of the USFS roads may be temporarily delayed for safety when harvest is close to said roads.

- c. **Proposed measures to reduce or control impacts on recreation, including recreation opportunities to be provided by the project or applicant, if any:**

None. Impact expected to be minimal.

## 13. Historic and cultural preservation

[Find help answering historic and cultural preservation questions](#)<sup>15</sup>

- a. **Are there any buildings, structures, or sites, located on or near the site that are over 45 years old listed in or eligible for listing in national, state, or local preservation registers? If so, specifically describe.**

No.

FPRAM check confirms no conflict with historical sites or resources

- b. **Are there any landmarks, features, or other evidence of Indian or historic use or occupation? This may include human burials or old cemeteries. Are there any material evidence, artifacts, or areas of cultural importance on or near the site? Please list any professional studies conducted at the site to identify such resources.**

No.

FPRAM check confirms no conflict with archaeological or cultural sites or resources.

- c. **Describe the methods used to assess the potential impacts to cultural and historic resources on or near the project site. Examples include consultation with tribes and the department of archeology and historic preservation, archaeological surveys, historic maps, GIS data, etc.**

Washington DNR will notify Green Canyon Timberlands, LLC if they screen the application and they show an area of potential cultural resource significance within or close to the harvest/road construction area.

- d. **Proposed measures to avoid, minimize, or compensate for loss, changes to, and disturbance to resources. Please include plans for the above and any permits that may be required.**

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<sup>15</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-13-Historic-cultural-p>

If any cultural resources are discovered during operations, operations will be suspended at that location until the significance or potential significance of the site is determined with assistance by DNR and DAHP.

## 14. Transportation

[Find help with answering transportation questions](#)<sup>16</sup>

- a. **Identify public streets and highways serving the site or affected geographic area and describe proposed access to the existing street system. Show on site plans, if any.**

None.

- b. **Is the site or affected geographic area currently served by public transit? If so, generally describe. If not, what is the approximate distance to the nearest transit stop?**

No.

- c. **Will the proposal require any new or improvements to existing roads, streets, pedestrian, bicycle, or state transportation facilities, not including driveways? If so, generally describe (indicate whether public or private).**

No.

- d. **Will the project or proposal use (or occur in the immediate vicinity of) water, rail, or air transportation? If so, generally describe.**

No.

- e. **How many vehicular trips per day would be generated by the completed project or proposal? If known, indicate when peak volumes would occur and what percentage of the volume would be trucks (such as commercial and nonpassenger vehicles). What data or transportation models were used to make these estimates?**

Road construction to begin in April or May 2024 and will be completed within approximately two to three weeks. Peak log truck traffic would occur in August 2025 with an estimated 12 to 15 trips per day being hauled. Timing could change due to budgets, log markets, and weather.

- f. **Will the proposal interfere with, affect, or be affected by the movement of agricultural and forest products on roads or streets in the area? If so, generally describe.**

No.

- g. **Proposed measures to reduce or control transportation impacts, if any:**

None.

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<sup>16</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-B-Environmental-elements/Environmental-elements-14-Transportation>

## 15. Public services

[Find help answering public service questions<sup>17</sup>](#)

- a. **Would the project result in an increased need for public services (for example: fire protection, police protection, public transit, health care, schools, other)? If so, generally describe.**

No.

- b. **Proposed measures to reduce or control direct impacts on public services, if any.**

None.

## 16. Utilities

[Find help answering utilities questions<sup>18</sup>](#)

- a. **Circle utilities currently available at the site: electricity, natural gas, water, refuse service, telephone, sanitary sewer, septic system, other:**

None.

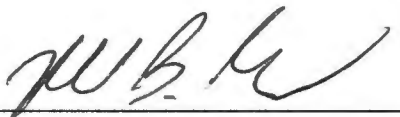
- b. **Describe the utilities that are proposed for the project, the utility providing the service, and the general construction activities on the site or in the immediate vicinity which might be needed.**

None.

## C. Signature

[Find help about who should sign<sup>19</sup>](#)

**The above answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the lead agency is relying on them to make its decision.**

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**Type name of signee:** Wes Worden

**Position and agency/organization:** Regional Manager/Chinook Forest Management

**Date submitted:** 1/22/2025 (via mail)

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<sup>17</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/regulations-permits/sepa/environmental-review/sepa-guidance/sepa-checklist-guidance/sepa-checklist-section-b-environmental-elements/environmental-elements-15-public-services>

<sup>18</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/regulations-permits/sepa/environmental-review/sepa-guidance/sepa-checklist-guidance/sepa-checklist-section-b-environmental-elements/environmental-elements-16-utilities>

<sup>19</sup> <https://ecology.wa.gov/Regulations-Permits/SEPA/Environmental-review/SEPA-guidance/SEPA-checklist-guidance/SEPA-Checklist-Section-C-Signature>