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**MEMORANDUM**

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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:

**Crow Bait Timber Sale #99066 and Forest Practice Application #2421790 proposal is for 130 net acres consisting of three variable retention harvest units and two right of way units, removing approximately 4,342 MBF of merchantable timber. The proposal includes 4,285 feet of required reconstruction, 706 feet of optional construction, and 39,846 feet of required pre-haul maintenance. Located in Sections 26, 27, 34, 35, Township 14 North, Range 06 East, W.M., Lewis 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 **August 26, 2020.** We will consider comments on this proposed DNS received by 4:30 p.m. on **September 9, 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.