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Re: WT Wooten Wildlife Area Campground No. 9
File: 22-052

Dear Lisa Wood:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Determination of Nonsignificance regarding the WT Wooten Wildlife Area Campground No. 9 Project (Proponent: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife). After reviewing the documents, the Department of Ecology (Ecology) submits the following comments:

Water Quality Program

Best Management Practices (BMPs) for erosion and sediment control must be used on the construction site and adjacent areas to prevent upland sediments from entering surface water. Refer to the 2019 Stormwater Management Manual for Eastern Washington. All ground disturbed by construction activities must be stabilized. When appropriate, use native vegetation typical of the site.

For more information or technical assistance, please contact Shannon Adams at (509) 329-3610 or via email at Shannon.Adams@ecy.wa.gov.

State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA)

Ecology bases comments upon information submitted for review. As such, comments made do not constitute an exhaustive list of the various authorizations you may need to obtain, nor legal requirements you may need to fulfill in order to carry out the proposed action. Applicants should remain in touch with their Local Responsible Officials or Planners for additional guidance.

For information on the SEPA Process, please contact Cindy Anderson at (509) 655-1541 or via email at Cindy.Anderson@ecy.wa.gov.

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For more guidance on, or to respond to the comments made by Ecology, please contact the appropriate staff listed above at the phone number or email provided.

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