



DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal: This proposal includes excavation, backfilling, monitoring well installation, and groundwater sampling. The purpose of this work is to further define the nature and extent of contamination from pesticides and petroleum.

Proponents: Department of Ecology, Port of Benton

Location of proposal, including street address if any: Prosser Airport, 221 Nunn Road, Prosser

Lead agency: Department of Ecology

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 30 days from the date below. Comments must be submitted by October 18, 2008.

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