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**DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE (DNS)  
(WAC 197-11-970)**

**Name of Proposal:**

Jennings Park Substation

**Description of Proposal:**

The proposed project includes the construction and operation of a new electrical distribution substation located at 7708/7728 47th Ave NE, Marysville, WA. The project includes a 1.1 acre substation yard, access driveway, and security fence. The substation is part of the District’s Electric System Capital Program to provide additional electrical capacity and reliable electric service within the City of Marysville service area. Site construction is proposed to start in the summer of 2023, with substation electrical construction occurring through fall of 2024.

**Proponent:**

Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County

**Location of Proposal, including address, if any:**

The project is located at 7808 & 7728 47<sup>th</sup> Ave. NE in Marysville, WA parcel numbers 30052100414500 and 30052100412500.

**Lead Agency:**

Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21.030(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 upon request.

There is no comment period for this DNS.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date below. Comments must be submitted by 9/22/2022

**Contact Person:** Colleen Murphy

**Signature:** Colleen Murphy **Date:** 9/8/2022

**Position/title:** Manager, Environmental Affairs

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The threshold determination includes reference to and review of existing environmental information concerning the history, development and current site conditions of the project.

1. SEPA Environmental Checklist, Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County, April 21, 2022.
2. Critical Areas Report prepared by Wetland Resources, dated November 22, 2021.
3. Geotechnical Engineering Report prepared by Zipper Geo Inc. dated December 6, 2021.
4. Preliminary Cultural Resources Survey by ASM Affiliates, Inc. date July 14, 2022.
5. Sound Analysis prepared by BRC Acoustics & Audiovisual Design dated July 23, 2022.
6. Greenhouse Gas Calculation Worksheets prepared by Public Utility District No.1 of Snohomish County, dated February 9, 2022.

These documents were considered during the SEPA review process and will be made available to reviewing agencies with jurisdiction over the project as part of their permitting processes. Documents listed here may be available for review upon request.

**Agencies Notified:**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City of Marysville           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Washington Department of Ecology                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tulalip Tribes               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stillaguamish Tribe          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Washington Department of Archaeology and Historic |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Snohomish County             | Preservation  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Puget Sound Clean Air Agency |   |