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NOTICE OF FINAL DETERMINATION

RULE MAKING FOR POTENTIAL CHANGE IN CLASSIFICATION OF THE GRAY WOLF IN COJUNCTION WITH PERIODIC STATUS REVIEW DATE ISSUED: FEBRUARY 7, 2024 - SEPA NUMBER: DNS 24-004

Under the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) and WACs 197-11-340(2) and 197-11-350, the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) issued a:

[X] Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS)
[] Mitigated Determination of Nonsignificance (MDNS)
[] Revised Determination of Nonsignificance (RDNS)
This threshold determination is hereby:
[] Retained.
[] Revised. Modifications to this threshold determination include the following:
[X] Withdrawn. The WDFW Fish and Wildlife Commission declined to reclassify gray wolves from State Endangered to State Threatened. Therefore no action will be taken under this SEPA determination and it has been withdrawn.
[] Extended. A final threshold determination <u>has not</u> been made. This SEPA proposal is under additional review. You will be notified when a final determination is made.
This document is a part of the official SEPA record; retain this with the original checklist and determination.
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