



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

Name of Proposal: South Everett Community Solar Project

Description of Proposal: Install a 375 kW community solar project in South Everett adjacent to Walter E. Hall park. Project activities include the design and installation of approximately 1200 ground-mounted solar panels over 1.75 acres of City of Everett property. The project will include electrical upgrades, extension of the adjacent driveway, an electric gate, and informational signage for public education.

Proponent: Public Utility District No. 1 of Snohomish County

Location of Proposal, including address, if any: 1226 Casino Road, Everett, WA.

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.
Submit comments by February 24, 2023.

Contact Person:

Responsible Official: Keith Binkley

Signature Keith Binkley Date: February 10, 2023

Position/title: Manager, Natural Resources

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The threshold determination includes reference to and review of the following environmental information concerning the project:

1. SEPA Checklist, South Everett Community Solar, January, 2023
2. Geotechnical Engineering Report, Zipper Geo, Inc., October, 2022
3. Site Drawings, CG Engineering, October 2022
4. Cultural Resources Assessment, CRC Inc, November 2022

Reviewing Agencies:

- City of Everett, WA
- Snohomish Tribe
- Stillaguamish Tribe
- Tulalip Tribes
- Snoqualmie Tribe
- Washington Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation
- Washington Department of Ecology