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STATE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

Determination of Nonsignificance

Date of Issuance: August 14, 2025

Lead Agency: Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission

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Project Name: Pleasant Harbor State Park Abutment and Pier Repairs

Description of Proposal: Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (Parks) proposes to repair and maintain the marine access structure at Pleasant Harbor State Park. The repairs and maintenance consist of two components. The first component is the replacement of eight existing creosote-treated cross braces (four sets) with galvanized steel cross-braces and the installation of three epoxy grout-filled fiberglass pile jackets. The second component is the repair and replacement of the existing failing pier abutment. This includes installation of a new abutment shoreward of the existing abutment and above the high tide line (HTL) using drilled concrete shafts and cast-in-place concrete abutment approach.

Location of Proposal: The facility is located at 308713 US 101, Brinnon, WA 98320 in Jefferson County. Parcel Number 50210416. Section 10, Township 25 N, Range 2 W. Latitude 47.6651 N by Longitude -122.9148 W.

Threshold Determination: Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission has determined that this proposal will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030. We have reviewed the attached Environmental Checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available at: www.parks.wa.gov/SEPA

This determination is based on the following findings and conclusions:

1. The work is maintenance and repair to existing marine facilities.

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- 2. The project will comply with the in-water work window for the project area (anticipated to be July 16 through February 15). Forage fish work windows may also apply and compliance with these windows will be determined during the permitting process.
- 3. Equipment washing, servicing, and refueling will only be allowed at designated upland locations. Appropriate best management practices will be used to ensure no spills of petroleum products or other hazardous substances take place during these activities.
- 4. No debris, rubbish, soil, silt, sand, cement, concrete, or washings thereof, or other construction-related materials or wastes, oil, or petroleum products will be allowed to enter jurisdictional waters, or placed where it will be subject to erosion by rain, wind, or waves and enter into jurisdictional waters.
- 5. Wattles and/or silt fencing will be properly installed adjacent to work zones to protect existing nearshore vegetation and prevent any excessive siltation runoff from entering intertidal critical areas.
- 6. Ground protection mats will be used for equipment access on the beach if needed.
- 7. The project proposes to use hand tools to the greatest extent possible.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340 (2) and the comment period will end on **August 28, 2025**.

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There is no agency SEPA appeal; however all comments are welcome and will be thoroughly considered.