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## NOTICE OF DECISION

### BEFORE THE SKAGIT COUNTY PLANNING DIRECTOR

- Applicant:** Washington State Department of Natural Resources, c/o Christ Thomsen
- Request /File No:** Administrative Special Use Permit request (#PL11-0173)
- Location:** Located within the Blanchard Forest Block, consisting of approximately 4,810 contiguous acres. The project site is an integrated part of the forest block and consists of a regular shaped piece, comprising of approximately 10 ½ acres, located approximately 11 air miles northwest of Sedro-Woolley. The site is accessed via Barrel Springs Road, east of Chuckanut Drive, Bow, within a portion of Section 16, Township 36 North, Range 3 East, situated within Skagit County, Washington. (Parcel #'s P47918, P47927, P47928, P47929, P47932).
- Land Use Designation:** Secondary and Industrial Forest Natural Resource Lands (SR-NRL and IF-NRL)
- Summary of Proposal:** Administrative Special Use Permit request (#PL11-0173) by the Department of Natural Resources plans to improve public access at the Samish Overlook day use recreation area and identify the site as a trail head.
- Public Hearing:** Not required per SCC 14.06.050(1)(a)(vii)
- Decision/Date:** The application is approved, subject to conditions, dated **September 1, 2011.**
- Appeal:** As provided in SCC 14.06.110(7), the decision may be appealed to Skagit County Hearing Examiner by filing a written notice of appeal with Planning and Development Services within 14 days after the date of the decision.

The entire decision can be obtained at Skagit County Planning and Development Services, 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon, WA.