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Attn: Bridget Kaminski

DEED OF RIGHT TO USE LAND FOR SALMON RECOVERY PURPOSES

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Grantor:

Skagit Land Trust

Grantee:

STATE OF WASHINGTON, acting by and through the WASHINGTON

STATE SALMON RECOVERY FUNDING BOARD and the WASHINGTON STATE RECREATION AND CONSERVATION OFFICE, including any

successor agencies.

Abbreviated

Legal

Description:

Portion of Section 10, Township 34 North, Range 4 East W.M. (More

particularly described in Exhibit "A" - Legal Description, and as depicted in

Exhibit "B" - Property Map).

Assessor's Property Tax Parcel Number(s): 24473

Reference Numbers of Documents Assigned or Released: AF#: 202203310230

The Grantor enters this Deed for and in consideration of monies coming in whole or in part from the State Building and Construction Account-Salmon Recovery Funding Board and Puget Sound Acquisition and Restoration Account. Such grant is made pursuant to the Project Agreement



entered into between the Grantor and the Grantee entitled Skagit Watershed Habitat Acquisition II (B), Project Number 18-2617 signed by the Grantor on the 10th day of January, 2019 and the Grantee the 28th day of January, 2019, and supporting materials which are on file with the Grantor and the Grantee in connection with the Project Agreement.

The Grantor hereby conveys and grants to the Grantee as the representative of the people of the State, the right to enforce the following duties: The Grantor shall take such reasonable and feasible measures as are necessary to protect the Real Property as described in Exhibit A: Legal Description, in perpetuity. Such measures shall be consistent with the purposes in the Project Agreement, including protecting, preserving, restoring and/or enhancing the habitat functions on the Real Property, which includes riparian and floodplain habitat. This habitat supports or may support priority species or groups of species including but not limited to Chinook.

- 1. The Grantor shall allow public access to the Property as provided in the Project Agreement. Such access shall be subject to the restrictions allowed under the Project Agreement, by written agreement with the Grantee, or under state law. This provision is not intended to prevent reasonable access or use restrictions that are necessary for safe and effective management of the property consistent with salmon recovery purposes and the Project Agreement.
- 2. The Grantor shall allow access by the Grantee to inspect the Real Property for compliance with the terms of this Deed and the applicable Project Agreement to which the Grantor is a signatory. Such access shall be subject to the restrictions, if any, allowed under the Project Agreement, by written agreement with the Grantee, or under state law. The Grantor warrants it has and shall maintain the legal right and means to reach the property.
- 3. Without prior written consent by the Grantee or its successors, through an amendment to the Project Agreement or the process set forth below, the Grantor shall not use or allow any use of the Real Property (including any part of it) that is inconsistent with the salmon recovery purposes herein granted and as stated in the Project Agreement. The Grantor shall also not grant or suffer the creation of any property interest that is inconsistent with the salmon recovery purposes herein granted and as stated in the Project Agreement.

Grantee's consent to an inconsistent use or property interest under this Deed shall be granted only to the extent permitted by law and upon the following three conditions, which ensure the substitution of other eligible land. The conditions are: (1) the substitute salmon recovery land must be of reasonably equivalent habitat qualities, characteristics and location for the salmon recovery purposes as the Real Property prior to any inconsistent use; (2) the substitute salmon recovery land must be of at least equal fair market value to the Real Property at the time of Grantee's consent to the inconsistent use; and (3) the fair market value of the Real Property at the time of



the Grantee's consent to the inconsistent use shall not take into consideration any encumbrances imposed on or alterations made to that land as a result of the original state grant and other grants if such encumbrances or alterations reduce the value of the Real Property from what it would be without them.

For purposes of this Deed, the Project Agreement includes any amendments thereto that occurred prior to or may occur subsequent to the execution of this Deed.

This Deed contains covenants running with the land and shall be binding upon the Grantor, its successors and assigns, and upon any person acquiring the Property, or any portion thereof, or any interest therein, including a leasehold interest, whether by operation of law or otherwise. If the Grantor sells all or any portion of its interest, the new owner of the Property or any portion thereof (including, without limitation, any owner who acquires its interest by foreclosure, trustee's sale or otherwise) shall be subject to applicable covenants and requirements under the Deed.

This Deed may not be removed or altered from the Real Property unless specific approval has been granted by the Washington State Recreation and Conservation Office and/or the Washington State Salmon Recovery Funding Board or its successors.

The Washington State Recreation and Conservation Office and the Salmon Recovery Funding Board and/or its successors shall each have a separate and independent right to enforce the terms of this Deed.

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| GRANTOR: |
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| SKAGIT LAND TRUST |
| By: Mark / Shirand |
| Name: Mark Hitchcock |
| Title: President, Board of Directors of Skagit Land Trust |
| Dated this 6th day of DECEMBER, 2022 |
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| STATE OF WASHINGTON) |
| COUNTY OF SKAGIT) ss |
| I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that <u>Mark Hitchcock</u> is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that (he/she) signed this instrument, on oath stated that (he/she) was authorized to execute the instrument and acknowledge it as the <u>President</u> for the Sponsor, Skagit Land Trust and to be the free and voluntary act of such party for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument. |
| Dated: 12/6/2022 |
| Dated: 12/6/2022 Signed: Horaco Resident Signed: North Resident State of the State |
| Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, |
| residing in Monat Vernon . 2011881 |
| My commission expires 10/26/2024 |
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GRANTEE:

STATE OF WASHINGTON, acting by and through the WASHINGTON STATE SALMON RECOVERY FUNDING BOARD, and the WASHINGTON STATE RECREATION AND CONSERVATION OFFICE (RCO), including any successor agencies

STATE OF WASHINGTON) ss COUNTY OF THURSTON)

I certify that I know or have satisfactory evidence that <u>Scott T Robinson</u> is the person who appeared before me, and said person acknowledged that (he/she) signed this instrument, on oath stated that (he/she) was authorized to execute the instrument and acknowledge it as the <u>Deputy Divector</u> for the Recreation and Conservation Office and to be the free and voluntary act of such party for the uses and purposes mentioned in the instrument.

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington,
residing in Thu(StM County

My commission expires 04/18/2005





EXHIBIT A Legal Description

THAT PORTION OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 10, TOWNSHIP 34 NORTH, RANGE 4 EAST, W.M., DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION 495 WEST OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 0-10-00 WEST PARALLEL TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION A DISTANCE OF 919.33 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 81-20-42 WEST A DISTANCE OF 304.98 FEET TO A POINT 537 FEET EAST OF THE WEST LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION; THENCE SOUTH 0-03-56 WEST PARALLEL TO THE WEST LINE OF SAID SUBDIVISION A DISTANCE OF 867.61 FEET TO A POINT ON THE SOUTH LINE AND 537 FEET WEST OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE ALONG SAID SOUTH LINE SOUTH 88-54-25 EAST A DISTANCE OF 305.22 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.



EXHIBIT B Property Map



